Should / Ought To: Advice

Ought not to: consejo negativo

Ought not to significa «no debería». El orden es ought, not, to y el verbo. Es correcto, aunque en conversaciones es más habitual shouldn't.

Ejemplo resuelto

The paint is wet. You ____ touch it. → You ought not to touch it.
La pintura está mojada. No deberías tocarla.

Completa todos los huecos con ought not to.

01. Touching the wet paint will leave a mark.
Mia _____ touch the wet paint.

02. Leaving the door open will let the dog out.
Leo _____ leave the door open.

03. Sharing the password could expose private files.
Emma _____ share her password.

04. Running on the icy path could cause a fall.
Ben _____ run on the icy path.

05. Ava's phone could get wet in the rain.
Ava _____ leave her phone outside.

06. The oven is hot and the tray could burn bare hands.
Noah _____ touch the tray with bare hands.

07. Grace's laptop is beside an open drink.
Grace _____ keep her drink beside the laptop.

08. Daniel's ticket is needed for the return journey.
Daniel _____ throw away his ticket.

09. Ella's only key is on the table near the bin.
Ella _____ put her key in the bin.

10. Tom's paint will dry if the lid stays off.
Tom _____ leave the paint pot open.

11. Lily's library book must stay clean.
Lily _____ write in the library book.

12. Oliver's train is the last one tonight.
Oliver _____ miss the last train.

13. Ruby's wet coat could soak the papers below it.
Ruby _____ put the wet coat on the papers.

14. Henry's cake recipe needs sugar, not salt.
Henry _____ use salt instead of sugar.

15. Sam's glass vase could fall off the narrow shelf.
Sam _____ leave the vase on that shelf.

16. Lucy needs the original photo files tomorrow.
Lucy _____ delete the original files.

17. Alex's guests need the main entrance clear.
Alex _____ block the main entrance.

18. Sofia's glue has not dried yet.
Sofia _____ pull the pieces apart yet.

19. Jack's bicycle has no working front light.
Jack _____ ride it in the dark without a light.

20. Anna's letter still needs a stamp.
Anna _____ post the letter without a stamp.

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21. David's tools could rust in the rain.
David _____ leave his tools in the rain.

22. Julia's class starts at nine sharp.
Julia _____ arrive late for class.

23. Lucas's phone is needed for an important call.
Lucas _____ switch it off before the call.

24. Nora's meal needs to stay warm for her visitor.
Nora _____ let the meal go cold.

25. Owen's parcel contains a glass bowl.
Owen _____ toss the parcel onto the floor.

26. Sarah's notebook is beside a leaking bottle.
Sarah _____ put the leaking bottle in her bag.

27. James's chair has a broken leg.
James _____ sit on that chair.

28. Chloe's ticket has a strict entry time.
Chloe _____ ignore the entry time.

29. Kate's cat could escape through the open window.
Kate _____ leave that window open.

30. Ryan's freshly planted seeds need gentle watering.
Ryan _____ use a strong hose on those seeds.

31. Laura's appointment cannot be moved today.
Laura _____ forget her appointment.

32. Peter's paintbrush could harden if the paint dries.
Peter _____ leave paint on the brush overnight.

33. Nina's passport is needed at the check-in desk.
Nina _____ pack her passport in the checked bag.

34. Rosa's soup needs more time to cook.
Rosa _____ serve the soup too soon.

35. Felix's new password must remain private.
Felix _____ post his password online.

36. Irene's pan is almost overflowing.
Irene _____ turn the heat up further.

37. Paul's papers could blow away near the open window.
Paul _____ leave them beside the window.

38. Beth's guests need somewhere to sit.
Beth _____ remove all the chairs.

39. Clara's thin drawing paper tears easily.
Clara _____ rub the paper too hard.

40. Adam's parcel is for a different address.
Adam _____ deliver it to this house.

Soluciones

Frases completas. La respuesta del hueco aparece en negrita.

01. Mia **ought not to** touch the wet paint.
02. Leo **ought not to** leave the door open.
03. Emma **ought not to** share her password.
04. Ben **ought not to** run on the icy path.
05. Ava **ought not to** leave her phone outside.
06. Noah **ought not to** touch the tray with bare hands.
07. Grace **ought not to** keep her drink beside the laptop.
08. Daniel **ought not to** throw away his ticket.
09. Ella **ought not to** put her key in the bin.
10. Tom **ought not to** leave the paint pot open.
11. Lily **ought not to** write in the library book.
12. Oliver **ought not to** miss the last train.
13. Ruby **ought not to** put the wet coat on the papers.
14. Henry **ought not to** use salt instead of sugar.
15. Sam **ought not to** leave the vase on that shelf.
16. Lucy **ought not to** delete the original files.
17. Alex **ought not to** block the main entrance.
18. Sofia **ought not to** pull the pieces apart yet.
19. Jack **ought not to** ride it in the dark without a light.
20. Anna **ought not to** post the letter without a stamp.
21. David **ought not to** leave his tools in the rain.
22. Julia **ought not to** arrive late for class.
23. Lucas **ought not to** switch it off before the call.
24. Nora **ought not to** let the meal go cold.
25. Owen **ought not to** toss the parcel onto the floor.
26. Sarah **ought not to** put the leaking bottle in her bag.
27. James **ought not to** sit on that chair.
28. Chloe **ought not to** ignore the entry time.
29. Kate **ought not to** leave that window open.
30. Ryan **ought not to** use a strong hose on those seeds.
31. Laura **ought not to** forget her appointment.
32. Peter **ought not to** leave paint on the brush overnight.
33. Nina **ought not to** pack her passport in the checked bag.
34. Rosa **ought not to** serve the soup too soon.
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36. Irene **ought not to** turn the heat up further.
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38. Beth **ought not to** remove all the chairs.
39. Clara **ought not to** rub the paper too hard.
40. Adam **ought not to** deliver it to this house.