# Subjuntivo formal y estructuras mandativas

Cuando alguien pide o recomienda algo, el verbo que viene después no cambia: They suggest that he leave (Sugieren que se vaya). No añadimos -s, ni siquiera con he o she. Para decir que no, ponemos not delante del verbo. En inglés británico también puede usarse should.

**Ejemplos resueltos / Worked examples**

They insist that Ava be on time. (Insisten en que Ava llegue a tiempo.) / It is vital that the report be sent today. (Es fundamental que el informe se envíe hoy.) / The teacher asked that he not leave. (La profesora pidió que no se fuera.) / They recommend that she should wait. (Recomiendan que espere.)

**Complete, correct or rewrite each sentence as instructed. Use the base form after the mandative expression.**

Completa, corrige o reescribe según la consigna. Después de estas expresiones, usa la forma base del verbo.

**01.** La persona encargada recomienda que Ava asista a la reunión.
Complete with the base form: The team leader recommends that Ava ___ attend the meeting. (attend)

**02.** La presidencia insiste en que Noah guarde el recibo.
Complete with the base form: The chairperson insists that Noah ___ keep the receipt. (keep)

**03.** La profesora insiste en que Mia entregue el formulario.
Complete with the base form: The teacher insists that Mia ___ submit the form. (submit)

**04.** Recomiendan que Leo mantenga la calma.
Complete with the base form: They recommend that Leo ___ remain calm. (remain)

**05.** El gerente pide que Ella lea las instrucciones.
Complete with the base form: The manager requests that Ella ___ read the instructions. (read)

**06.** El comité exige que Lucas utilice la entrada lateral.
Complete with the base form: The committee demands that Lucas ___ use the side entrance. (use)

**07.** El guía sugiere que Sofia llegue a tiempo.
Complete with be: The guide suggests that Sofia ___ on time.

**08.** El director propone que Owen salga pronto.
Complete with the base form: The director proposes that Owen ___ leave early. (leave)

**09.** El entrenador pide que Grace compruebe las cifras.
Complete with the base form: The coach asks that Grace ___ check the figures. (check)

**10.** El centro exige que Ethan devuelva la llave.
Complete with the base form: The school requires that Ethan ___ return the key. (return)

**11.** La médica recomendó que Grace no se saltara el desayuno.
Complete with not + the base form: The doctor recommended that Grace ___ breakfast. (not / skip)

**12.** El gerente insistió en que Grace y el personal no dejaran bolsas en el pasillo.
Complete with not + the base form: The manager insisted that Grace and the staff ___ bags in the hallway. (not / leave)

**13.** El guía pidió que Grace y los visitantes no tocaran la exposición.
Complete with not + the base form: The guide asked that Grace and the visitors ___ the display. (not / touch)

**14.** Es importante que Grace no comparta el código de acceso.
Complete with not + the base form: It is important that Grace ___ the access code. (not / share)

**15.** El centro exige que Grace y los alumnos no usen el móvil durante el examen.
Complete with not + the base form: The school requires that Grace and the students ___ phones during the test. (not / use)

**16.** Es esencial que el informe de Grace se envíe hoy.
Complete the passive subjunctive with be + the past participle: It is essential that Grace's report ___ today. (send)

**17.** Las normas de la escuela de Grace exigen que todos los visitantes se registren en recepción.
Complete the passive subjunctive with be + the past participle: The rules at Grace's school require that all visitors ___ at reception. (register)

**18.** El comité pidió que se cambiara enseguida la cerradura de la casa de Grace.
Complete the passive subjunctive with be + the past participle: The committee requested that the old lock at Grace's house ___ immediately. (replace)

**19.** La profesora insistió en que la respuesta de Grace se escribiera completa.
Complete the passive subjunctive with be + the past participle: The teacher insisted that Grace's answer ___ in full. (write)

**20.** Es importante que se cierren las puertas de la escuela de Grace antes de que cierre.
Complete the passive subjunctive with be + the past participle: It is important that the doors at Grace's school ___ before it closes. (lock)

**Continue / Continúa**

**21.** Es esencial que Grace llegue a tiempo.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: It is essential that Grace ___ on time. (be)

**22.** Es fundamental que Ethan lea las instrucciones.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: It is vital that Ethan ___ the instructions. (read)

**23.** Es importante que Ava guarde una copia.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: It is important that Ava ___ a copy. (keep)

**24.** Es necesario que Noah y el equipo trabajen unidos.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: It is necessary that Noah and the team ___ together. (work)

**25.** Es aconsejable que Mia pida un recibo.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: It is advisable that Mia ___ a receipt. (request)

**26.** Aceptaron su recomendación de que Ava saliera pronto.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: Their recommendation that Ava ___ early was accepted. (leave)

**27.** Recibimos una petición para que Noah mantuviera la sala en silencio.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: We received a request that Noah ___ the room quiet. (keep)

**28.** Está claro que Mia y cada miembro deben llevar una identificación.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: The requirement that Mia and every member ___ a badge is clear. (wear)

**29.** Repitieron la orden de que Leo no entrara en la sala.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: The demand that Leo ___ the room was repeated. (enter)

**30.** Fue útil su sugerencia de que Ella guardara el correo.
Complete the mandative clause with the base form: Her suggestion that Ella ___ the email was helpful. (save)

**31.** La presidencia exige que Grace asista a la reunión.
Rewrite using the British should form after that: “The chairperson demands that Grace attend the meeting.”

**32.** El guía recomienda que Grace espere junto a la entrada.
Rewrite using the British should form after that: “The guide recommends that Grace wait by the entrance.”

**33.** La profesora insiste en que Grace llegue a tiempo.
Rewrite using the British should form after that: “The teacher insists that Grace be on time.”

**34.** El gerente pide que Grace compruebe el total.
Rewrite using the British should form after that: “The manager requests that Grace check the total.”

**35.** El comité propone que Grace dirija el proyecto.
Rewrite using the British should form after that: “The committee proposes that Grace lead the project.”

**36.** Corrige el verbo: «La profesora insiste en que Grace llega a tiempo».
Correct the verb in this mandative sentence: “The teacher insists that Grace arrives on time.”

**37.** Corrige el verbo: «Recomiendan que Grace sale pronto».
Correct the verb in this mandative sentence: “They recommend that Grace leaves early.”

**38.** Corrige el verbo: «Es esencial que Grace comprueba las cifras».
Correct the verb in this mandative sentence: “It is essential that Grace checks the figures.”

**39.** Corrige el verbo: «El gerente exigió que Grace devuelve la llave».
Correct the verb in this mandative sentence: “The manager demanded that Grace returns the key.”

**40.** Corrige el verbo: «El guía pidió que Grace está en silencio».
Correct the verb in this mandative sentence: “The guide requested that Grace is quiet.”

## Answer key / Soluciones

Model answers. The subjunctive or should form is shown in bold. / Respuestas modelo. La forma de subjuntivo o la estructura con should aparece en negrita.

**01. attend**

**02. keep**

**03. submit**

**04. remain**

**05. read**

**06. use**

**07. be**

**08. leave**

**09. check**

**10. return**

**11. not skip**

**12. not leave**

**13. not touch**

**14. not share**

**15. not use**

**16. be sent**

**17. be registered**

**18. be replaced**

**19. be written**

**20. be locked**

**21. be**

**22. read**

**23. keep**

**24. work**

**25. request**

**26. leave**

**27. keep**

**28. wear**

**29. enter**

**30. save**

**31.** The chairperson demands that Grace **should attend** the meeting.

**32.** The guide recommends that Grace **should wait** by the entrance.

**33.** The teacher insists that Grace **should be** on time.

**34.** The manager requests that Grace **should check** the total.

**35.** The committee proposes that Grace **should lead** the project.

**36.** The teacher insists that Grace **arrive** on time.

**37.** They recommend that Grace **leave** early.

**38.** It is essential that Grace **check** the figures.

**39.** The manager demanded that Grace **return** the key.

**40.** The guide requested that Grace **be** quiet.