

YOU HAVE TO/MUST DO  
SOMETHING – MUSTN'T

It's compulsory (for you)  
(not) to do it

It's mandatory to do it

It's necessary to do it

Something needs doing

Something needs to be  
done

I strongly recommend you  
to do it

It's forbidden to do it

I highly recommend doing  
it

I suggest doing it

YOU MUSTN'T DO IT

You can't do it

You are not allowed to do  
it

YOU DON'T HAVE TO DO  
SOMETHING

There is no need to do it

It's not necessary for you  
to do it

It's optional for you to do  
it

It's up to you to do it

YOU SHOULD DO IT – YOU  
SHOULDN'T DO IT

In my opinion it's  
good/bad to do something

The way I see it's a  
good/bad idea to do  
something

I do think it's right/wrong  
to do something

I do consider you ought  
(not) to do it