

# **Humans Need to Protect Tigers**

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#### Grammar Exercise for Reading

# (Modals) have to

· Have to is the most commonly used modal of obligation.

#### **Example**

You have to pay to make outside calls.

I have to go to Rome on business.

We **have to** be fair to both players.

Do you have to wear uniform?

We all **have to** learn to handle stress.

#### Which is correct?

- 1. Sometimes you (have to / must to) be more kind.
- 2. Do we (have to / can) go to the party?
- 3. Now we (have to / ought to) try hard.
- 4. You'll (have to / would to) go to the classroom in time.
- 5. You don't (have to / must) wait so long to see a doctor.
- 6. We'll (have to / must) move if we have children.
- 7. We (have to / can) work hard to attain our goal.
- 8. I (have to / should be) study hard to get good grades.

### Choose the appropriate place between ① or ② for 'have to'.

- 1. 1 2 leave at midnight.
- 2. You 1 do what you 2 know.
- 3. I 1) learn to 2) relax.
- 4. I ① go back to ② Seoul.
- **5.** ① They ② have it in writing.
- 6. I 1) talk to you. Do you 2) have time?
- 7. Then I'll 1) have something 2 else.

Exercise

Choose three sentences from the answer and say them in 3 seconds to your teacher without your book.

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# Unit 101 Humans Need to Protect Tigers

The tiger is one of the world's most well-known animals. Sadly, tigers are on the brink of extinction. In the past, nine types of tigers inhabited large parts of Asia. However, during the 1900s, three types became extinct. Now, the fourth type of tiger is likely extinct in the wild.

Tigers play a vital role in their habitats. They help maintain the balance between prey animals and forest vegetation. Without tigers, these animals would consume too many plants, causing problems for other creatures that rely on the vegetation for food and shelter.

Can you guess why they are disappearing? One reason is that companies sell tiger bodies for profit. Tiger body parts have been used in traditional Chinese medicine by some companies. Sellers can earn a lot of money by selling dead tigers to these companies. Selling tiger products has been against the law in China since 1993. And most countries around the world have banned the business of products using tiger parts. But some continue. Some of these sellers prioritize making money over protecting endangered species.

Another reason that tigers are disappearing is habitat destruction. People cut down the forest and change wild grassland into farmland to grow crops. As the wildlands disappear, the tigers **have to** live in small areas that are far

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apart from each other. When tiger habitats are destroyed, the animals that tigers eat have less land to live on, too. And people hunt those animals, so their numbers drop even more. Tigers have less wild food, so  $\pm they$  sometimes have to come to the village where people live to attack farm animals. Farmers shoot tigers that they see attacking their animals.

People around the world are working hard to save tigers from becoming extinct. Governments protect tigers by stopping the tiger business. They also help by punishing illegal sellers. Conservation groups from many nations assist in countries where tigers live. They raise funds for tiger projects.

No one wants tigers to become extinct. But time is limited. What can you do? It may seem obvious, but we must prioritize protecting the tigers that are alive right now. Additionally, we need to preserve more tiger habitats. More guards must be hired to stop the sale of tiger parts and products. If people work together, these magnificent animals may be saved.

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extinction[n]	a situation in which some thing no longer exists  The <b>extinction</b> of animals is a social problem now.	
• habitat[n]	the natural home or environment of an animal, or plant  Habitats are disappearing for animals.	
■ maintain[v]	to continue; keep in existence  The caretaker helps <b>maintain</b> the school garden by watering the plants every day.	
prey[n]	an animal that is hunted and killed by another for food The seals are easy <b>prey</b> for sharks.	
■ illegal[adj]	not allowed by that law  It's illegal to throw trash on the ground.	
■ ban[v]	to forbid someone from doing  He was <b>banned</b> from driving for two years.	
destroy[v]	to put an end to the existence of something by damaging An earthquake can <b>destroy</b> the old building.	
punish[v]	to make someone suffer for a crime or bad behavior  This law <b>punishes</b> people for animal abuse.	
obvious[adj]	easy for the mind to understand or recognize  The answers seem <b>obvious</b> enough to me.	
conservation[n]	the protection of animals, plants and natural resources  Some people are trying to raise money for <b>conservation</b> .	





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## **Reading Comprehension**

[1~3] Choose the right word for the blank below.

In the past, nine types of tigers lived across large parts of Asia. During the 1900s, three types became extinct. Now the fourth type of tiger is probably 1. in the wild. Tigers are disappearing because companies sell tiger body parts for 2. and their habitats have been destroyed. we have to 3. the ones alive right now to keep tigers from becoming extinct. We have to protect more land of tiger habitats. More guards have to be hired to stop selling tiger parts and products.

- 1. a. giant
  - c. extinct

- b. needed
- d. hot

- **2.** a. litter
  - C. water

- b. laptop
- d. money

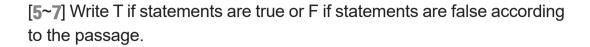
- **3.** a. protect
  - c. sell

- b. buy
- d. treat
- **4.** What is the passage mainly about?
  - a. The extinction of tigers
  - b. Number of tigers world wide
  - **c**. Why people sell tigers
  - d. Why tigers are unnecessary



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- **5.** There were nine types of tigers in the past.
- All of the countries in Asia agreed to ban the business of using tigers.
- 7. Some people destroy habitats of tigers to grow crops.
- 8. The word shelter in the passage is CLOSEST in meaning to
  - a. shield
  - b. danger
  - c. sugar
  - d. drink
- **9.** The word consume in the passage is CLOSEST in meaning to
  - a. eat
  - b. suffer
  - c. heal
  - d. preserve
- 10. Which of these sentences about tigers is NOT true?
  - a. A tiger is an endangered species.
  - b. Habitat of tigers are disappearing because of people.
  - c. Tigers have an influence to keep the balance in the wild.
  - d. People convert farmland into wild grassland.



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- 11. Which of these sentences about tigers is true?
  - a. Four types of tigers are no longer in existence.
  - b. Some people sell tigers for the environment.
  - **c**. Tigers come to the village to have wild food.
  - d. Some people make efforts to remove the tigers from their habitat.
- **12.** What does **★they** in paragraph 4 refer to?
  - a. humans
  - b. money
  - c. habitats
  - d. tigers
- 13. What can be inferred from the passage?
  - a. There is no land for tigers in Asia.
  - b. Humans are responsible for extinction of animals and protecting them.
  - c. Traditional Chinese medicine takes effect gradually.
  - d. Human should stop developing their country.
- 14. According to the passage, how many types of tigers were in Asia?

  15. According to the passage, what actions do humans have to do right now to

save tigers?

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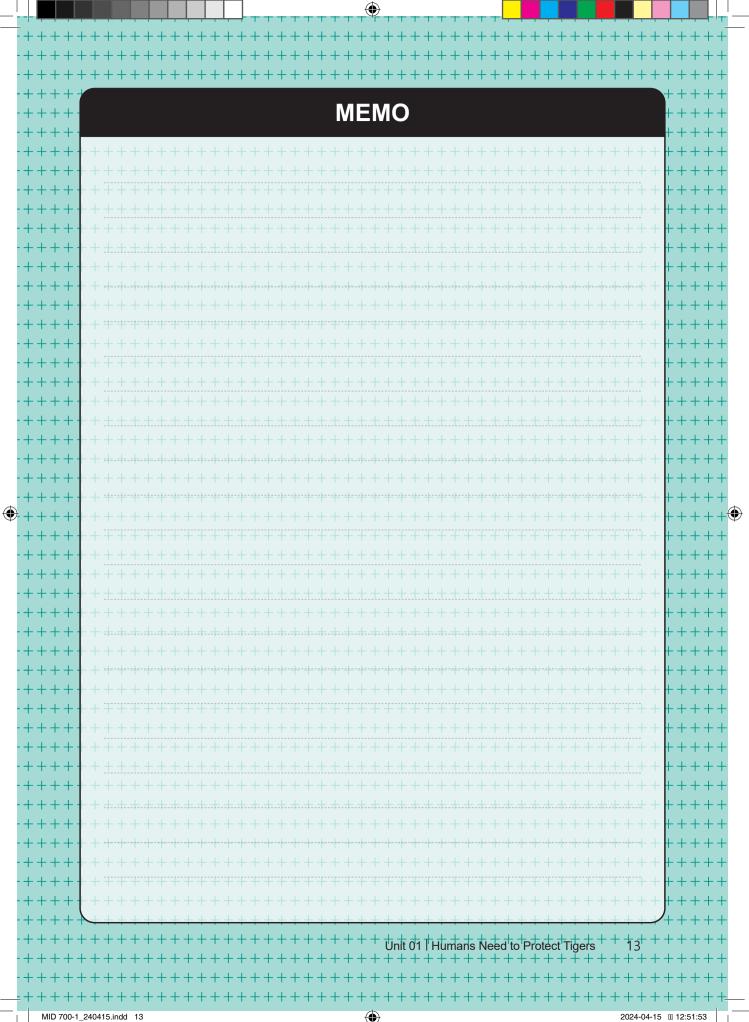
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