

## Exercises

28.1 Put in **must** or **can't**.

- You've been travelling all day. You must be tired.
- That restaurant ..... be very good. It's always full of people.
- That restaurant ..... be very good. It's always empty.
- I'm sure Kate gave me her address. I ..... have it somewhere.
- I often see that man in this street. He ..... live near here.
- It rained every day during their holiday. It ..... have been very nice for them.
- Congratulations on passing your exam. You ..... be very pleased.
- This bill ..... be correct. It's much too high.
- You got here very quickly. You ..... have driven very fast.
- Bill and Sue always stay at five-star hotels. They ..... be short of money.
- Karen hasn't left the office yet. She ..... be working late tonight.

## 28.2 Complete each sentence with a verb (one or two words).

- I've lost one of my gloves. I must have dropped it somewhere.
- Their house is very near the motorway. It must be very noisy.
- You've lived in this village a long time. You must ..... everybody who lives here.
- I don't seem to have my wallet with me. I must ..... it at home.
- 'How old is Ed?' 'He's older than me. He must ..... at least 40.'
- I didn't hear my phone. I must ..... asleep.
- 'You're going on holiday soon. You must ..... forward to it.' 'Yes, I am.'
- I'm sure you know this song. You must ..... it before.
- The road is closed, so we have to go another way. There must ..... an accident.
- 'Do you have a car?' 'You must .....! How could I afford to have a car?'
- David is the managing director of a large company, so he must ..... quite a high salary.

28.3 Use the words in brackets to write sentences with **must have** and **can't have**.

- We went to our friends' house and rang the doorbell, but nobody answered. (they / go out)  
They must have gone out.
- Sarah hasn't contacted me. (she / get / my message)  
She can't have got my message.
- The jacket you bought is very good quality. (it / be / very expensive)  
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- I haven't seen our neighbours for the last few days. (they / go away)  
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- I can't find my umbrella. (I / leave / it in the restaurant last night)  
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- Amy was in a very difficult situation when she lost her job. (it / be / easy for her)  
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- There was a man standing outside the cafe. He was there a long time. (he / wait / for somebody)  
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- Rachel did the opposite of what I asked her to do. (she / understand / what I said)  
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- When I got back to my car, it was unlocked. (I / forget / to lock it)  
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- My neighbours were making a lot of noise in the night. It woke me up. (they / have / a party)  
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- The light was red, but the car didn't stop. (the driver / see / the red light)  
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- Paul has had these shoes for years, but they still look new. (he / wear / them much)  
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