

VERB

OUGHT:

It is used as:

To express moral obligation, duty and desirability. "Ought to" can indicate present or future time. It is always followed by "to".

Example:

- 1. The boy <u>ought</u> to have worked hard.
- 2. You <u>ought</u> to do it by sunset.
- 3. You <u>ought</u> to have advised your son.
- 4. I ought to have helped her.
- 5. She said I <u>ought</u> To write to my mother.