

Language focus

SO-SUCH-TOO-ENOUGH:

here & here

5.1 Look at the examples and complete the rules.

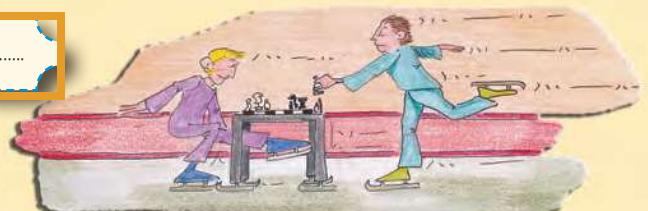
- Curling is **so demanding** that it is referred to as 'chess on ice'.

We use **so** + (without a noun)

NOTE
We use **so / such** ... that to talk about result.

- Curling is **such a demanding sport** that it is referred to as 'chess on ice'.

We use **such** + (a/an) + (adjective) +



5.2 Circle.

- Curling is **too demanding** (for me) to play it.

This sentence means: a) Curling is very demanding, but I can play it.
b) Curling is extremely demanding and I can't play it.

Too comes **before / after** an adjective. It has a **positive / negative** meaning.

I have got **enough** money to buy scuba diving equipment.

Basketball is **easy enough** (for me) to play.



NOTE
Too and enough are followed by an infinitive.

Enough comes **before / after** an adjective and **before / after** a noun.

It has a **positive / negative** meaning.

QUESTION TAGS

Curlers wear special shoes, **don't they?**

Yes, they do.

Yes, that's right.
They mustn't.

Curlers must not touch the stone, **must they?**

Well, it is actually. The rules aren't easy enough for everyone to follow.

Curling isn't difficult, **is it?**



NOTE
Let's play tennis, **shall we?**
I'm clever, **aren't I?**
Don't talk, **will you?**

The short questions in bold are called **questions tags**. They are used to check information or to ask for confirmation. How are they formed?

Grammar Reference, p. 171

SO or SUCH?

Q1 - It was ___ a lovely day

- such
- so

Q2 - There was ___ a lot of trouble that the police were called

- so
- such

Q3 - I've never seen ___ many people at a concert

- so
- such

Q4 - I've never seen ___ a dirty kitchen

- such
- so

Q5 - It's ___ expensive

- such
- so

Q6 - It took ___ much time to do

- so
- such

Q7 - She works ___ quickly

- such
- so

Q8 - It looks ___ nice

- such
- so

Q9 - The film was ___ dull that we left halfway through

- so
- such

Q10 - The car is ___ uneconomical

- so
- such

TOO or ENOUGH?

01: The soup is ___ hot to eat right now.

- too
- enough

02: The cake is sweet ___ for my taste.

- too
- enough

03: He studied hard ___ to pass the exam.

- too
- enough

04: He spoke ___ fast for me to understand.

- too
- enough

05: I ate ___ much cake at the party.

- too
- enough

06: She is old ___ to drive now.

- too
- enough

07: We have ___ food for everyone at the party.

- too
- enough

08: The music was ___ loud for the neighbors.

- too
- enough

09: The water is warm ___ to swim in.

- too
- enough

10: He is tall ___ to reach the top shelf.

- too
- enough

QUESTION TAGS

ΣΥΜΠΛΗΡΩΣΤΕ ΤΟ QUESTION TAG ΠΟΥ ΤΑΙΠΙΑΖΕΙ



1 The Chapmans are going on a cruise ,?

2 A rooster can't lay an egg ,?

3 Mr. Johnston hasn't finished his painting ,?

4 Jennifer won't finish the housework on time ,?



5 Sharon goes for a walk at weekends ,?

6 Brian wants to keep a lizard as a pet ,?

7 Alfie has eaten at a Chinese restaurant ,?

8 Brown bears don't live in the North Pole ,?



9 Harry and Amelia got married last Saturday ,?

10 Mr. Lee didn't come to the wedding ,?

11 Grace doesn't want to go shopping ,?

12 Daisy's father isn't an athlete ,?



13 Mark wasn't playing football in the garden ,?

14 Let's go to an Italian restaurant and have pizza ,?

15 Mrs. Scott is playing golf at the moment ,?

16 Isabella was at school yesterday morning ,?