

Can
 Could
 may
 might
 Must
 will
 would
 should

List Modal verbs

1 Shall	1 Can	Certain, Possible or Impossible
2 Ought to	2 May	must, might, Cant
3 have to / has to	3 Must	Ex: My keys must ben in the car
4 Be able to	4 Shall	It might rain tomorrow
5 Can't	5 will	That Can't be Peter's coat. It's
6 Need to	6 Could	to small
7 Mustn't	7 might	Ability, ask Permission, and make
8 Needn't	8 should	request
9 Couldn't	9 would	Cant, May, Could, would
10 used to	10 have to	Ex: I Can't swim
11 Be to	11 ought to	May I ask a question? Could I have some tea, please? would you like some help?

★ Probability

Possibility

May, might and could

Ex: They may come by car. (Maybe they will come by car.)

They might be at home. (Maybe they are at home.)

If we don't hurry, we could be late. (Maybe we will be late.)

We use Can to make general statements about what is possible

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★ Abilities - Abilities

Can and Can't

Ex: She can speak several languages

He can swim like a fish

They can't dance very well

★ Present or Future

I can see you

Help! I can't breathe

★ Permission

Can, Could, May

Permission: Can

Can I ask a question, please?

Formal and Polite: Could

Could I ask a question, please?

Formal and Polite: May

May I ask a question, please?

★ Requests

Could, would, can, will

Could you... and would you...

Ex: Could you take a message, please?

less polite: Can

Can you take a message, please?

★ Offers and Invitations

Can, shall, could, would

Make offers: Can, shall

Can I do that for you?

Shall I call you on your mobile?

to make an offer I can, I could or I'll
I can do that for you if you like.
I'll do that for you if you like.

* Suggestion

Should and shouldn't, could

Suggestion and give advice:

You should send a email

* Obligation

must, mustn't Necessary (or not) to do something: Present

You must stop at a red light

I am sorry, but you mustn't make a noise in here

Past

Everyone

Activity Modals Verbs

- 1 you may listen to the teacher 10 I may play tennis tomorrow
- 2 you mustn't park here
- 3 People don't have to waste food
- 4 might It snow tomorrow?
- 5 I shall have a coffee, please?
- 6 you should do more exercise
- 7 you mustn't drink alcohol.
- 8 you can play the guitar
- 9 would you like to go by train?

- Apple
- Cherry
- Banana
- orange
- watermelon
- Blueberry
- strawberry
-
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- Pear
- Kiwi
- Pineapple
- Melon
- grapes
- Coconut
-
-
-
- Dragonfruit

Video

Can I help you Ab
 Should wear an apron Sug
 Five we must mix everything obi
 Now we must roll the dough obi
 Can I do it, please? Ab
 Can I slice the onion? OFF
 No, you shouldn't Perh
 But you can cut the bacon? Per

You must be careful with the knife, you shouldn't cut it so fast
 How long should we bake our pizza, we shouldn't bake it for
 more than 15. It could get burned, must be ready now
 you must wash your hands before you eat, you must be very
 hungry, would do you like some more, shall we, shall I take
 my bike, too?, you can take your bike and roller skates,
 I wish I could do it, too!, It must be terrific!, can't I pick them, grandma?
 you mustn't pick the flowers, you might get sick, you can make a
 wish, will you buy me a chocolate ice cream, please?, May I help you?
 what flavor would you like?, you must throw it into the garbage
 can, you may hurt your self, you must wait your turn, may
 I sit here?, you may, shall we go home now girls?, that might
 be your mom, she must be curious

Scribe

May I have a double cone grandma? Permission

You shouldn't eat so much because you can get a save thibat

What flavor would you like Prohibition / Permission

I would like vanilla, chocolate and strawberry, Avor, Please OFFERS

Are, you must what your turn Obligation

Excuse me, may I sit here? Permission

Yes, you may

Shall we go home now gins? OFFERS and invitation

Could we stay a little bit longer, Please Request

ah that might be your mom Probability

Yes, she is, she must be Urus to know where we're doing
obligation

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A Hello, may help you

B He yes Please what do you have suggest for a rash?

A You should try this lotion

B OK, and could I have a box a pain medicine

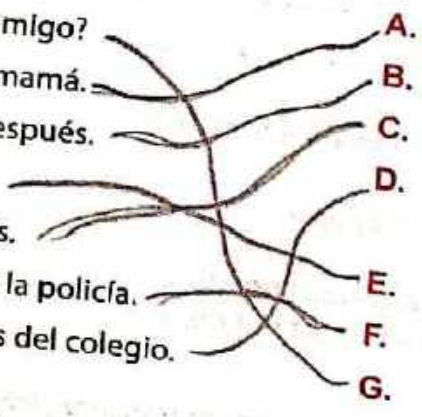
A Here you are Can I help you with any these else

USES		EXAMPLE
CAN	General ability. Request.	They can control their own budgets . We can't fix it. Can I smoke here? Can you help me?
COULD	General ability in the past. Request.	Could I borrow your dictionary? Could you say it again more slowly ? We could try to fix it ourselves. I think we could have another Gulf War . He gave up his old job so he could work for us.
MAY	Asking for permission Possibility.	May I have another cup of coffee? China may become a major economic power .
SHOULD	To give advice, recommendation or suggestion.	You really should go to the new restaurant on Main Street. I think you should study for the test so that you don't fail.
WOULD	Used as a polite invitation or to offer. Describe a prediction (hypothetical situations). To not sound impolite when disagreeing with someone.	Would you like to go to the movies with me tonight ? It would be nice to have a barbecue . I wouldn't agree with that.
HAVE TO	Shows us that the obligation comes from somebody else. It's a law or a rule and the speaker can't change it.	We have to complete this activity by Friday. In Britain you have to buy a TV license every year.
MUST	Shows us that the obligation comes from the speaker. It isn't a law or a rule.	I must memorize all of these rules about modal verbs. I must call my dad tonight.

Activity

1 Match them.

- ¿Te gustaría bailar conmigo?
- Yo puedo ayudar a tu mamá.
- Carlos puede comer después.
- Debes ser buen hijo
- Yo debería estudiar más.
- Ustedes deben llamar a la policía.
- Debes cumplir las reglas del colegio.



- I can help your mother.
- Carlos can eat later.
- I should study more.
- You have to abide the rules of the school
- You must be a good son
- You must call the police.
- Would you like to dance with me?

2 Pick the right Modals verb.

- I think you shouldn't wear that dress. It doesn't suit you. (don't have to - must- shouldn't)
- We must take our food to school. We went to the canteen. (had to - didn't have to - didn't need to)
- All children must fasten their seatbelts when travelling by car. (have to- should- must)
- You mustn't drink that. It's poison. (Must-should-mustn't)
- Should I stay and help you or you can do it alone? (Should- Must- Would)
- You mustn't be very rich to go skiing nowadays. (must not- have not- can't/ not)
- I can't go out now. I must do my homework, my mummy tells me. (should - have to - must)
- You mustn't use your flash inside the Museum, it's forbidden. (wouldn't -must- mustn't)
- We have to be cautious. We shouldn't try and cross the river now. (have to- should- shouldn't)

3 Choose the right modals verb in brackets, and then answer the questions.

MY BEST FRIENDS LIFE

I have many friends. But only two best friends. They are fond of dancing. They can dance very well. They always make a scene. I will shortly tell you about one of them. She could (could/would) dance so well when she was little. She is 15 years old. She has danced for 10 years, but now she can't (can't/ shouldn't) do it. Because is not allowed to dance, because she has a problem with her legs. For the first time she danced. But then her legs started achin. Then she asked for advice to her mother. Mother sent her to doctor. And request her to really go. When she came to doctor she showed him her legs. The doctor prescribed her tablets. The Alesja asked him for permission to dance. Because she really needed to dance. The doctor said to her that that now she can't (can't/wouldn't) dance but in the future she might dance. Now she is okey and she can dance. The doctor gave her permission for that. We are very happy that situation ended well.

1. How many friends does she have got? unspecified (many friends)
2. What can her best friends do? dance
3. Could she dance in this moment? No, she couldn't
4. Has she danced for twelve years? No, she hasn't dance 12 years
5. Could she dance in the future? She could dance in the future

4 Imagine it is the year 3000. Describe how things are then.

- A. What people can/can't do; what they may wear.
- B. What education is like:
What students have/don't have to do, must/must not do, etc.
What teachers have/don't have to do, must/must not do, etc.
- C. The aspect of cities.
- D. Means of transport; cars, trains, planes, new means of transport (cars can fly)
- E. Jobs (workers have to...../don't have to; bosses have to../ don't have to.....). what offices or companies are like.
- F. What the weather may be like.
- G. Things that should be/shouldn't be different.

- People can teleport and fly
- Students may students every monday to thousand
- Class can be at school
- There many robots walkin the street
- local sites may have machines working
- The cars and motorcycle can fly
- The teacher can be a robot
- Students have to know about robotics
- The someathair can be hot but also cold
- Jobs may be different
- The economy be different