

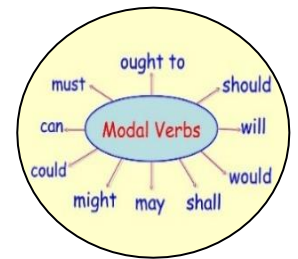


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Worksheet No:25	Topic: MODAL VERBS (ANSWER KEY)	Note: To be done in language notebook

Ex.1. Choose the correct option.

1. When I was young, I **could** swim very well. (should / could)
2. You **might** pay a little more attention to your studies! (might / may)
3. She doesn't often get late; something **must** have gone wrong. (must/ may)
4. Don't worry; I **will** carry the books for you. (would / will)
5. You **should** listen to everyone but do what your heart says. (should /would)
6. She told me that she **would** turn twenty-six next month. (could /would)
7. Though it's late, it **might** be fine even if we reach now. (might / shall)
8. Cyclists **must** wear helmets. (must /can)



Ex.2. Identify the modals in these sentences and choose from the bracket the purpose of each sentence.

1. May you live long! **Express a wish**
2. Could you help me cross the road? **Polite request**
3. I wish you would keep your mouth shut for a while. **Imaginary situation**
4. Vehicles must not be parked here. **Prohibition or obligation**
5. You ought to look after your parents. **Moral obligation**
6. You should have listened to your teacher's instructions more seriously.
advice
7. Would you lend us your car for a day, please? **Polite request**
8. You must be back before dark. **Prohibition or obligation**



Ex.3. Rewrite these sentences using the correct modal verbs.

1. **Could /Can** you solve this sum for me?
2. **May** I borrow your pen?
3. He **may** be relieved with immediate effect.
4. Don't worry; I **will** carry the books for you.
5. The philosopher was so punctual that people **would** set their watches by his routine.
6. You **ought to** be ashamed of what you have done.
7. Be sincere lest you **should** fall miserably in life.
8. **Must** you go so soon?

