

Worksheet

Name :		Subject:	Modal Verbs
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<u>Modal verbs</u> are special helping verbs that show the speaker's attitude — such as ability, permission, possibility, advice, or necessity.

They are used before the base form of a verb.

Example:

- She can swim.
- You must study.
- We ought to help others.

Modal Verb	Meaning / Use	Example Sentence	Explanation
can	ability or permission	I can play the guitar.	Shows ability.
"COIIIO	past ability / polite request / possibility	I could run fast when I was young.	Past ability.
may	permission or possibility	You may leave now.	Gives permission.
might	weak possibility	It might rain later.	There is a small chance.
must	strong obligation / deduction	You must wear a helmet.	It's necessary.
shall	formal future / suggestion (mainly British English)	We shall meet again.	Future or promise.
should	advice / expectation	You should eat healthy food.	Giving advice.
will	future / decision / willingness	I will help you tomorrow.	Expresses the future.
would	polite request / hypothetical situation	I would travel if I had money.	Imaginary or polite.
ought to	moral duty / advice	We ought to respect our parents.	Similar to should, but stronger.

Q1: Choose the correct modal verb for each sentence.

Write only one answer for each.

•	You wear a helmet when you ride a motorbike. It's the law.
•	you help me with my homework, please?
•	It looks cloudy. It rain this afternoon.
•	We arrive on time if we leave now.
•	She play the piano very well when she was younger.
•	Students respect their teachers.
•	I'm not sure, but I go to the party tonight.
•	You eat so much junk food.It's bad for your health.
•	If I had more money, I buy a new phone.
•	We meet again someday.
<u>Q2</u>	2: Choose the correct answer for each sentence.
	You wear a seatbelt while driving. It's the law. can B) must C) might D) would
	When I was a child, I run very fast. could B) can C) will D) must
	It's very cloudy. It rain later. should B) must C) might D) will not
	You eat so much sugar. It's bad for your teeth. ought to B) may C) might D) shall
	If I had a car, I drive to school every day. can B) will C) would D) must
	you please pass me the salt? Shall B) Can C) Could D) Would
	We arrive on time if we leave now. can B) may C) must D) should
	You study harder if you want to pass the exam. may B) might C) should D) will
	I'm not sure, but I go to the concert tonight. must B) might C) can D) shall
	- We meet again someday. will B) could C) should D) can