

Modals of Permission and Request

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V. Practice



1. Write questions asking for permission, using the words in parentheses.

1. I'd like to use your car tomorrow.

(Could) _____

2. I need to take an early lunch break today.

(May) _____

3. I'd like to sit next to you.

(Do you mind if) _____

4. We want to change the radio station.

(Can) _____

5. I want to go to the mall.

(Can) _____

6. I'd like to pour myself a little more coffee.

(Do you mind if) _____

7. We need to borrow your camera.

(May) _____

8. I'd like to ask you some questions.

(Could) _____

2. Change each imperative to a polite request. Use the words in parentheses.

1. Vacuum the living room, please.

(Can) _____

2. Please trim the rose bushes.

(Could) _____

3. Drive your grandfather to the clinic.

(Would you mind) _____

4. Take out the trash, please.

(Will) _____

5. Please pick up the clothes at the laundry.

(Would) _____

6. Please mow the lawn this afternoon.

(Will) _____

7. Pick up the kids at school, please.

(Would) _____

8. Mop the kitchen floor.

(Would you mind) _____

