

3 Rewrite the sentences. Use the modal verbs in brackets.

1 Maybe Mike is at school. (could)

Mike could be at school......

2 I'm sure that he didn't tell you the truth. (can't)

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3 It's possible that he works for the government.
(might)

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4 Maybe he doesn't like your sense of humour. (may not)

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5 It's obvious that the food wasn't fresh. (can't)

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6 There is some chance that Joan is allergic to eggs.
(could)

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7 Perhaps this hotel is not very expensive. (may not)

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8 It's possible that he caused the accident. (may)

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9 Perhaps they didn't get our invitation. (may not)

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10 It's obvious that something went wrong. (must)

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1. He said, "I found the money in the garden yesterday."
He said that _____.
2. The policeman asked me, "What were you wearing last Sunday"?
The policeman asked me _____.
3. The teacher explained to us, "The moon takes 28 days to go around the earth."
The teacher explained to us that _____.
4. Dad warned us, "Don't touch the fresh paint!"
Dad warned us _____.
5. He wanted to know, "Will you go to the concert next week?"
He wanted to know _____.
6. Mary begged the teacher, "Please, give me another chance!"
Mary begged the teacher _____.
7. Mother asked me, "Did he lend you the money?"
Mother asked me _____.
8. I was wondering, "Why does the earth move around the sun?"
I was wondering _____.
9. She said, "I'm sorry but I have to go now."
She said that _____.
10. My mum complained, "I have been trying to phone you all day!"
My mum complained _____.
11. My friend told me, "I'll have to go to the party without you."
My friend told me _____.