

MAY vs. MIGHT

We use these modals to express possibility or probability.

MAY = 50%

MIGHT = 20%

We use MAY/MIGHT + Verb (base form). If the sentence is negative, then we use MAY/MIGHT NOT + Verb.

Examples:

Mary is wearing shorts and sneakers. She **may** be ready to go running.

Sandra is crying. She **might** have problems at home.

Exercise. Write about your activities for next weekend. Write 5 things you may do and 5 things you might do. Remember that MAY indicates more probability than MIGHT.

WHAT I MAY DO

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

WHAT I MIGHT DO

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.