

modal verbs

What do these sentences express?

1. I can swim really fast

a) permission

b) ability

c) likelihood

2. We have to practice more

a) suggestion/advice

b) request

c) obligation/necessity

3. You should stop skipping classes

a) command

b) likelihood

c) suggestion/advice

Choose the correct modal verb for each sentence

1. You _____ take care of the planet.

a) can

b) may

c) should

2. You don't _____ to finish today, don't worry.

a) need

b) could

c) must

3. I think the politicians _____ build more schools.

a) have

b) should

c) may

4. We _____ to wait for the results before we leave.

a) have

b) might

c) have to

5. My mom _____ be stuck in traffic, she's usually early.

a) must

b) can

c) would

6. I love pizza, I _____ eat it everyday.

a) will

b) should

c) could

7. _____ you throw away the trash today?

a) would

b) may

c) have

8. _____ I go to the bathroom please?

a) may

b) can

c) should