

MODAL VERBS IN ACTION

can / can't / must / mustn't / have to / needn't / should / shouldn't / ought to

If the red light is on, you stop immediately.



When the yellow light is on, you slow down and stop.

When the yellow light is on, you stop the car.

When the yellow light turns red, you stop the car.

If the light turns green, it means you continue your driving.

What do the following traffic signs mean?



You ride a bicycle here



You sound your horn here



You stop here



You smoke here



You use your mobile phone here



You go faster than 50

ALLOW // BE ALLOWED TO

You can't run in the library = You mustn't run in the library = You AREN'T ALLOWED TO run in the library

My parents allow me to drive their car = I'm allowed to drive their car

Rewrite the original sentences using the structure BE ALLOWED TO. Look at the example.

You can't / mustn't whistle in the classroom

→ You're not allowed to whistle in the classroom

1. They can't draw pictures during the English lesson → They draw pictures during the English lesson.
2. Mary can take part in the audition. She's 18. → Mary take part in the audition. She's 18
3. The prisoner can't make a phone call. → The prisoner make a phone call.
4. You can use your mobile phone now. → You use your mobile phone now.
5. You can't go faster than 50 miles per hour. → You go faster than 50 miles per hour.
6. You can't go faster than 50 miles per hour → It go faster than 50 miles per hour.