

I Choose and fill in the best form.

1. I swim across the river, but it was harder than I expected. (could, was able to)
2. I think you try to relax more. (should, must)
3. In this country, boys do military service. (must not, don't have to)
4. It took a long time, but I repair the car. (could, was able to)
5. John go to school on Saturdays. (must, has to)
6. She walk again in a few weeks. (can, will be able to)
7. That be her daughter - they're nearly the same age. (can't, mustn't)
8. We decide to go camping again at Easter. (may, can)
9. When I was younger I sing quite well. (could, was able to)
10. You pass a special exam to be a teacher. (must, have to)

II Complete the sentences, using mustn't or don't have to.

1. Campers play music after 10 p.m.
2. It's rained a lot, so we water the garden.
3. Passengers speak to the driver.
4. Friday is a holiday - I work.
5. You buy alcohol if you are under 18.

III Complete the sentences with should have / shouldn't have / must have / needn't have / could have / might have / can't have and the correct verb form.

1. You my jeans after you borrowed them! (wash)
2. It's a good thing they got her to hospital in time. She (die)

3. You more garlic in the soup. (put)
4. He in Vienna yesterday. I saw him in London. (be)
5. You your wallet on the table. (leave)
6. She me about that. I had already known that. (tell)
7. They at home yesterday. I saw the light. (be)
8. He all his money. It's not possible. I gave him \$ 100 yesterday! (spend)
9. "Where is Phil?" "I don't know. He home." (go)
10. You that old car. It's broken and you have no money now. (buy)

IV Paraphrase the following sentences using modal verbs.

1. They will probably arrive a bit late.

They

2. I'm absolutely certain his lecture will be very interesting.

His lecture

3. I'm sure this is the postman.

This

4. Perhaps they didn't notice the road sign and turned left.

They

5. It's not a good idea to work so hard.

You

6. I'm sure you had a very good time at that party.

You

7. I'm sure she is at home.

She

8. I'm sure you are not serious. I know you're joking.

You

9. Perhaps you left your keys here this morning.

You

10. It was unnecessary to hurry, but we did.

We