

Modals & Semi-modals Practice

Instructions: Choose the correct modal or semi-modal from the options in the parentheses to complete the sentence. Pay attention to the **time**

(past, present, or future).

1. When I was five years old, I **(can / could)** ride a bike, but I wasn't very fast.
2. Tomorrow, I **(will be able to / was able to)** help you with your homework.
3. You **(should / must not)** eat too many sweets; it's not healthy for you.
4. Last night, the door was locked, so she **(has to / had to)** enter through the window.
5. My brother is a genius! He **(is able to / shouldn't)** speak four languages.
6. We **(don't have to / couldn't)** go to school yesterday because it was a holiday.
7. Shhh! You **(must / may)** be quiet in the library.
8. I **(am able to / will be able to)** come to the party tonight if I finish my work early.
9. They **(couldn't / shouldn't)** find the house last night because it was too dark.
10. If you want to succeed, you **(have to / could)** study hard for the test.
11. **(Can / Should)** I have a cookie before dinner, please?
12. Yesterday, I **(was able to / will be able to)** finish the whole book in one day.