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Surname:
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modal verbs



CAN: ability in the present, asking permission.

COULD: ability in the past, polite requests, asking permission politely

MUST: internal obligation
MUSTN'T: prohibition

HAVE TO: external obligation
HAD TO: obligation in the past

NEEDN'T,
DON'T HAVE TO,
no necessity

WOULD: polite or formal requests

WILL: offers, opinions, hopes, warnings, fears, suggestions, promises

SHALL: questions, offers with **I** and **WE**

✓ Fill in the blanks with proper modal verbs

- 1) When Susan was five, she _____ read and write.
- 2) I _____ get up early today. Because it is Sunday.
- 3) Birds _____ fly but lions _____.
- 4) This bag is too heavy for you. _____ I help you?
- 5) I _____ wear school uniform at my school.
- 6) You _____ smoke here. It is forbidden.
- 7) _____ you turn on the lights, please?
- 8) I _____ help my mother with the housework. She is tired.
- 9) If you go to bed late, you _____ be late for the school.
- 10) You _____ do your homework if you want to go out.
- 11) _____ you help me with the cleaning?
- 12) I _____ drive to work last year but now I _____ as I moved to a new apartment.
- 13) _____ we go out tonight?
- 14) She _____ walk because she has broken her leg.
- 15) Rose _____ obey the rules but she didn't.
- 16) You _____ pay the taxes regularly otherwise you _____ be punished.
- 17) You _____ park here. You _____ find a parkland.
- 18) She _____ win the match because she was ill.
- 19) We _____ buy tickets for the concert. Susan has already bought them.
- 20) My father is very talented. He _____ paint very well.
- 21) It is hot outside. You _____ wear your jacket.
- 22) It is raining heavily. You _____ take your umbrella.
- 23) You _____ use your mobile phone at the cinema.
- 24) My mother _____ go to the dentist. She has a terrible toothache.
- 25) _____ I borrow your camera tonight?
- 26) You _____ touch it. It is too hot.
- 27) You _____ be careful while driving.
- 28) When I was a young man, I _____ run fast.
- 29) _____ elephants jump?
No, they _____.
- 30) You _____ pick up these flowers. Otherwise, my mother _____ get angry with you.

