

### **PERMISSION: BE ALLOWED TO**

We use **am / is / are allowed to** to talk about permission in the present.

I'm **allowed to** study with friends.

We use **was / were allowed to** to talk about permission in the past.

When we were little, we **weren't allowed to** play video games every day.

We use **will / won't be allowed to** to talk about permission in the future.

He **won't be allowed to** have a party this summer.

### **1.- Find and correct the mistake in each sentence.**

In tomorrow's test, the students **won't allowed to** use dictionaries **\_\_won't be\_\_**

1- We **wasn't allowed to** play outside yesterday \_\_\_\_\_

2- When I'm older, I'm **allowed to** buy a car. \_\_\_\_\_

3- Children **are not allowed run** in the school building. \_\_\_\_\_

4- The dog **doesn't allowed to** lie on the sofa. \_\_\_\_\_

5- It's Friday today, so you **allowed to** stay up late. \_\_\_\_\_

### **2.- Complete the second sentence so it means the same as first. Use the correct form of be allowed to.**

You can't make any mistakes. The teacher gets angry! You **\_\_aren't allowed to\_\_** make any mistakes.

1- I couldn't borrow my sister's dress for the party. I \_\_\_\_\_ borrow my sister's dress for the party.

2- Jenny hopes she can go on vacation with her friends this summer.

Jenny hopes she \_\_\_\_\_ go on vacation with her friends this summer.

3- We can't eat our lunches in the classroom. We \_\_\_\_\_ eat our lunches in the classroom.

4- The teacher won't let you do your homework tomorrow. She's expecting it today.

You \_\_\_\_\_ do your homework tonight.

### **PERMISSION: CAN, COULD**

We use **can / can't + base form** to talk about permission in the present.

We use **could / couldn't + base form** to talk about permission in the past.

### **3.- Choose the correct answers. And then rewrite them using to be allowed to**

You **(can't)** / couldn't come into the bathroom. I'm taking a shower

You **are not allowed to** come into the bathroom I'm taking a shower

1- In the test last week, we can / couldn't ask any questions.

2- I can / could go to the party this evening.

3- We can't / couldn't watch the movie last night.

4- I can / could wear my sister's jacket when she didn't need it.

5- The children can / could have some of Grandpa's birthday cake this afternoon.

**4.- Complete the sentences with can, can't, could, or couldn't, and the verb in parentheses**

You \_\_\_\_\_ can't leave \_\_\_\_\_ school. You're only 13! (leave)

1- I'm sorry, but you \_\_\_\_\_ your presentation today. (give)

2- I liked rainy school days because we \_\_\_\_\_ in the classrooms. (play)

3- You \_\_\_\_\_ your dog on vacation with you. The hotel welcome pets! (go)

4- I \_\_\_\_\_ to the beach yesterday because my aunt was visiting. (go)

5- My brother \_\_\_\_\_ into my bedroom when I'm studying because he's too noisy. (come)



(to go) > Buses **aren't allowed to go** here.



(to play) > Children \_\_\_\_\_ in this area.



(to eat and drink) > We \_\_\_\_\_ here.



(to enter) > Cats \_\_\_\_\_ this building.



(to use) > My sister \_\_\_\_\_ her mobile phone.



(to go fishing) > My uncle and aunt  in this pond.



(to poop) > Pets  here.



(to go) > Girls  into Mike's room.



(to bully) > You  at our school.



(to walk) > Mr. Sebel  his dog in this park.