

Modal Verbs

Rewrite each sentence so that it contains a modal verb. Look at the examples.

1. It is certain that Jill is responsible for the graffiti because he's covered in paint

JILL **MUST** BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE GRAFFITI BECAUSE HE'S
COVERED IN PAINT

2. My advice is to say sorry.

YOU **SHOULD** SAY SORRY

3. You aren't allowed to enter the staff room

YOU **MUSTN'T** ENTER THE STAFF ROOM

4. It isn't necessary for her to phone me back.

She...

5. Perhaps we'll go swimming tomorrow

We...

6. I think Mary is probably at home because the windows are open.

Mary...

7. It's obligatory to wear trainers in PE,

We...

8. It's impossible that Mark is there. He's living in Oxford.

9. You cannot smoke in the underground. It's forbidden

10. It is essential that we talk before the meeting starts

11. It isn't necessary for us to book a table. I know one of the waiters

12. It is forbidden to drive without fastening your seatbelt.

13. If I were you, I'd do more exercise

14. Susan has the ability to cook paella.

15. I'm sure something is happening tonight. Look at those preparations

16. It's compulsory for all students to attend lessons

17. It's possible that they move to Australia