

D' Grammar - Modals

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

A. Choose the correct answer:

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1. 'Must Sara finish her project this weekend?'
'No, she **mustn't / needn't**.
2. When I was young, I **can / could** run really fast.
3. You **needn't / needn't to** bring any food for the journey as we will stop at a café.
4. 'I'm really thirsty.'
'**Shall / Would** I get you a glass of water?'
5. I can't find my wallet. I **must leave / must have left** it at home.
6. My brother **was able to / would** walk before he was one year old.
7. I'm not very good at maths, so I'm afraid I **shouldn't / can't** help you with your homework.
8. He must **be working out / have been working out** at the gym now.
9. Carol **would / should** stop eating junk food if she wants to lose weight.
10. George wasn't at home when I phoned, but I **was able to / can** call him on his mobile.
11. The TV was still on when I woke up this morning. I **can have / must have** forgotten to turn it off last night.
12. You **oughtn't / shouldn't** to walk home alone late at night.

B. Choose the correct answer:

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1. Jake looks really pleased with himself. He _____ have got a good grade in his exam.
a. can b. must c. should
2. It _____ rain later, so take an umbrella with you.
a. may b. can c. should
3. 'Alice isn't home from school yet.' 'She may _____ the bus again.'
a. miss b. have been missing c. have missed
4. Don't call Meg now; she _____ be sleeping.
a. can b. may c. ought

5. Although the door was locked, the thief _____ climb in through a small window.
a. was able to b. could c. can

6. She hasn't had a day off in months. She _____ exhausted.
a. should be b. can be c. must be

7. If you read a lot of books, you _____ join the library.
a. have to b. might c. should

8. My brother _____ be very annoying when he's tired.
a. can b. must c. would

9. You _____ to get a haircut, your hair is a mess.
a. must b. need c. should

10. Simon _____ have been ill; I saw him at the party.
a. shouldn't b. can't c. wouldn't

11. You _____ not to speak to your teacher like that; it's very rude.
a. ought b. should c. must

12. Your suitcase looks heavy. _____. I carry it for you?
a. Shall b. Must c. Would

13. If she studies hard, she _____ to pass the exams.
a. will be able b. will have c. could

14. We're ordering a pizza, so you _____ cook tonight.
a. needn't to b. don't need c. needn't

15. Lucy _____ not go to the party as she is very tired.
a. could b. might c. ought

16. You _____ smoke in here. It's not allowed.
a. oughtn't b. mustn't c. haven't to

17. The lights are all off; they _____ have gone to bed.
a. must b. should c. would

18. It's snowing, so we _____ as well stay in and watch a DVD.
a. should b. can c. might

19. I'm not sure if I can pick you up from the station today; I _____ have to work late.
a. may b. must c. should

20. 'It took me half an hour to walk to school today.'
'You _____ your dad to take you.'
a. could ask b. could have asked c. would have asked

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