

MODAL VERBS OF SPECULATION AND PROBABILITY

Transform the sentences using the words in bold.

1. I'm sure he didn't know about our meeting. **HAVE**
He about our meeting.
2. Perhaps they are working online now. **MAY**
Theyonline now.
3. It was a bad idea to postpone the test. **HAVE**
You the test.
4. It wasn't necessary for you to buy all these books, one would be enough. **NEED**
You all these books, one would be enough.
5. I'm positive he can speak three foreign languages. **TO**
He three foreign languages.
6. Why didn't you book the hotel? **COULD**
You the hotel.
7. It's impossible that she lied to us. **LIED**
She to us.
8. Maybe they have already done it? **MAY**
They It.
9. It wasn't necessary for me to wake up early as the school was closed. **HAVE**
I early as the school was closed.
10. I'm sure she is planning to quit her job. **BE**
She to quit her job.
11. Perhaps they haven't told him the truth yet. **MIGHT**
They him the truth yet.
12. I would have been better if we had listened to the warning. **TO**
We to the warning.
13. I'm certain he didn't have to report it. **HAVE**
He report it.