

Task 1. Complete the sentences using the correct form of the word in brackets.

1. She (CAN) _____ swim very well when she was six years old.
2. You (SHOULD) _____ have studied harder for the exam.
3. We (BE ABLE) _____ to solve the problem with some extra help.
4. I (HAVE TO) _____ wake up early every day when I was in school.
5. They (MUST) _____ be very tired after such a long journey.
6. He (COULD) _____ have helped you, but he chose not to.
7. I (NOT CAN) _____ understand this question. Can you explain it?
8. We (MAY) _____ need some extra time to finish the project.

Task 2. Fill in the blanks with the correct modal verb in the past or present form.

1. When I was a child, I _____ (CAN) ride a bike, but now I have forgotten how.
2. You _____ (MUST) be quiet in the library. It's a rule.
3. She _____ (BE ABLE TO) finish the test on time, even though it was difficult.
4. They _____ (SHOULD) have checked the weather before going on the trip.
5. If you don't study, you _____ (MAY) fail the exam.
6. We _____ (NOT CAN) believe how fast the time passed.
7. He _____ (HAVE TO) work late yesterday to finish the project.
8. You _____ (MUST) be joking! That can't be true.

Task 3. Rewrite the sentences using the correct form of the modal verb.

1. It was possible for us to finish the project, but we didn't.
→ We _____ have finished the project.
2. It was necessary for me to wake up early.
→ I _____ wake up early.
3. It is possible that they are lost.
→ They _____ be lost.
4. He knew how to play the piano when he was five.
→ He _____ play the piano when he was five.
5. I advise you to take an umbrella.
→ You _____ take an umbrella.
6. We were not allowed to leave the classroom.
→ We _____ leave the classroom.

Task 4. Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.

1. I _____ see the mountains from my hotel room.
A) can
B) could
C) was able to
D) must
2. She _____ finish the marathon, even though she felt very tired.
A) had to

B) was able to
C) could have
D) can

3. You _____ have told me about the meeting! I missed it.
A) should
B) must
C) can
D) should have

4. When I was younger, I _____ run much faster than now.
A) must
B) had to
C) could
D) may

5. The test was difficult, but she _____ pass it in the end.
A) could
B) was able to
C) must have
D) can