

## Model verbs 1

### I. Complete the following sentences with “*may or might*”:

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ borrow your pencil?
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ have a storm tonight.
3. He wanted to go to school, and his mother said he ..  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. You \_\_\_\_\_ be successful, but I doubt it.
5. You.. \_\_\_\_\_ go out for a short time, but come back soon.
6. He. \_\_\_\_\_ get the prize if he is very lucky.
7. They \_\_\_\_\_ ..... have helped you if only you had told them all the facts.
8. I hope they \_\_\_\_\_ find the sort of house they are looking for. I’m doing this tonight
9. I’m doing this tonight so that I \_\_\_\_\_ have more time to entertain in the morning.
10. He went out into the garden in order that he  
\_\_\_\_\_ look at the flowers.

### II. Complete the following sentences with “*can or could*”:

1. YOU \_\_\_\_\_ go home early today
2. I told him that \_\_\_\_\_ swim.
3. If you had an axe instead of a knife, you  
\_\_\_\_\_ cut the wood much more easily.
4. John \_\_\_\_\_ speak French well.
5. We \_\_\_\_\_ hold another meeting tomorrow.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ drive a car when I was sixteen.
8. After I had studied the lesson, I \_\_\_\_\_ do the exercise correctly.

9.He. \_\_\_\_\_ ski very well now.

11. \_\_\_\_\_ you cash this cheque for me, please?

12. I \_\_\_\_\_ see very well when I was young but my sight has grown weaker.

### III. Complete the sentence with “must or have/ has to”.

**Sometimes both are possible:**

1.Vietnamese children \_\_\_\_\_ wear uniform when they go to school.

2.Last night my sister was ill. We \_\_\_\_\_ call the doctor

3. I have bad toothache. I \_\_\_\_\_ make appointment with the dentist.

4.I don't want to \_\_\_\_\_ wait in a queue for ages

5.She \_\_\_\_\_ work on Saturday morning.

6.When you come to California, you \_\_\_\_\_ come and see us soon

7.This is a terrible. We. \_\_\_\_\_ go home.

8.If there are no taxis, we'll \_\_\_\_\_ walk.

9. Daniel \_\_\_\_\_ go to the bank. He hasn't any money.

10. You really \_\_\_\_\_ hurry up. Vicky. We don't want to be late.

### IV. Put a form of “*have to* or *should*” into each gap: (using “*not*” if necessary )

1. Your hair is too long. I think you.....get it cut.

2. You sneeze and you've got a cough. You.....smoke

3. I'm going to bed. I.....be up early, tomorrow.
4. I'd like to meet your best friend.You.....invite him round
5. I\_\_\_\_\_tell my parents where I am, then they don't worry.
6. You\_\_\_\_\_with me if you don't want to I'll go on my own
7. If you need some help with your homework, you ..... go to the library.
8. You.....tell lies. It's naughty,
9. Thanks for a lovely evening! We\_\_\_\_\_go now or we will miss our bus.,
10. If you've got a ticket you\_\_\_\_\_queue. You can go straight in

**V. Combine the sentences in column A with the sentence in column**

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1, I have a bad cold	a.You should go to bed
2. Marv has a stomachache.	b. You should have a shower.
3. I am sleepy now.	c. You should take a rest.
4. My uncle has a cough.	d. He should drink some water
5. Lily has a toothache	e. You should take some aspirins.
6. I feel very hot.	f.We should work hard.
7. I am very tired now	g.He should stop smoking
8. The child is thirsty.	h.You should keep warm
9. I have a headache	i.She shouldn't eat much.
10. The teacher isn't happy about	J She shouldn't eat sweets.

#### VI. Fill in the blank with "*can/ must/ should/ ought*":

- 1.My father\_\_\_\_\_speak English and French.
- 2.You\_\_\_\_\_wash your hands before meals
- 3.John is very good at Math. He\_\_\_\_\_do all Math problems.
- 4.It's too late. I \_\_\_\_\_go now.
- 5.She gets bad mark at Chemistry. She\_\_\_\_\_to study harder.
6. The traffic lights are red. You \_\_\_\_\_stop.
7. \_\_\_\_\_I go to the movie now?
- 8.Children\_\_\_\_\_drink lots of milk.
- 9.He\_\_\_\_\_to drive more carefully.
10. You\_\_\_\_\_keep silent while your father is talking.