

## Past Modals

Complete the dialogues. Rewrite the phrases in brackets using *might (not) have, must have, or can't have + past participle*.

1. A. Oh no, the cake's burning!  
B. You must have put the oven on too high. (You definitely put the oven on)
2. A. Why is there so much traffic today?  
B. I don't know. There was an accident. (Maybe there was)
3. A. Can you move your leg?  
B. No, it hurts too much. I think I have broken it. (Perhaps I have broken it)
4. A. Look! The gate's open and the dog has gone.  
B. Oh no! We left it open when we went out. (I'm sure we left it open)
5. A. I can't find the milk. We drank it all. (I'm sure we didn't drink it)  
B. Yes, you're right. It must be in there somewhere.
6. A. Where's Jeremy? He should be here.  
B. He didn't see the email about the meeting. (Perhaps he didn't see)

## Verbs often Confused

Choose the right word.

1. Have you been sleeping well recently? You look really pale.
2. The pharmacist can tell you which is the best medicine to take.
3. When I ask my son what the problem is, he just wants to talk about it.
4. Don't you think we need to discuss this before we take a decision?
5. Emily's boss told her that if she was late for work again, she'd lose her job.
6. When the police accused Jim of the crime, he denied being there that night.
7. I love spending on the beach with a good book in summer.
8. What's stopping you from applying for the job? You've got all the right qualifications.
9. I was thinking when I took the train home last night.
10. If we leave at about 6.30, we'll have to avoid the rush hour.

