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## MODALS OF SPECULATION

A. Complete the sentences with the modal verbs from the box.

Can't be      might      must be      could

1. You \_\_\_\_\_ exhausted after your long trip. Come in and have a drink.
2. When I was younger, I \_\_\_\_\_ run very fast.
3. Brenda \_\_\_\_\_ over thirty. She graduated a year after me and I'm only 26.
4. Don't leave your window open at night. Someone \_\_\_\_\_ climb in.

B. Choose the correct conclusion for each sentence.

1. Tom's gone home early.
  - A. He might be ill
  - B. He can't be ill
2. I'm not sure where my phone is.
  - A. It might be in my bag
  - B. It must be in my bag.
3. Carrie's shoes are black, but these ones are brown.
  - A. These could be Carrie's shoes
  - B. These can't be Carrie's shoes.
4. I don't know where the museum is.
  - A. It might be near the station.
  - B. It can't be near the station.
5. Everyone's wearing T shirt.
  - A. It must be hot
  - B. It can't be hot.