

GRAMMAR QUIZ

I. Choose the correct option a–c to complete the sentences.

- 0 This ____ be your book. It's got your name on it.
a must b can't c might
- 1 Do you think that boy ____ be a pickpocket?
a could b can c can't
- 2 Those men ____ be criminals. The police are taking them now to prison.
a must b could c can't
- 3 There are a lot of police on our street today. I think they ____ someone.
a might look for b must look for c might be looking
- 4 It ____ be illegal to park our car here. There is no sign and other cars are parked here.
a may b can't c mustn't
- 5 Vera went to the police station an hour ago and she is still there. She ____ a statement. It takes some time.
a must give b must be giving c can give
- 6 Bill ____ the detective film now. I've just seen him in the garden.
a can't be watching b mustn't be watching c can't watch
- 7 Derek ____ be in trouble at school. It's a possible reason why his parents have gone there.
a must b can't c may

II. Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

- 0 Jerry is back at home now. Police *might* / *can't* / ***must*** have released him. It's the only explanation.
- 1 Police *can't* / *might* / ***must*** have caught the killer. Her picture is in the newspaper. She's got a life sentence.
- 2 That gang ***could not*** / *might not* / ***mustn't*** have robbed the bank. We don't know – there are other suspects too.
- 3 The pickpocket *might* / *could* / ***must*** have escaped. I'm sure because there isn't a trace of him anywhere.
- 4 Charles *may* / *can't* / ***mustn't*** have left his briefcase at the airport. It's not the only explanation but it's possible.
- 5 You ***mustn't*** / ***could not*** / *might not* have lost your phone. Maybe it was stolen.
- 6 Where *could* / ***must*** / *can* I have seen that man before? I'm sure I know him from somewhere.
- 7 You ***mustn't*** / ***couldn't*** / *might* have locked the door. Someone just went in.