

Chuyên đề 6. MODAL VERBS

Exercise 1: Chọn phương án đúng

1. You don't look well. You _____ see a doctor.
A. could B. need to C. are to D. should
2. She _____ home yesterday because her little son was sick.
A. could have stayed B. must have stayed
C. had to stay D. should have stayed
3. You _____ disturb him during his work!
A. should not B. needn't C. mustn't D. don't have to
4. Whose car is this? – It _____ be Anton's. I think I saw him driving a red car like this one.
A. could B. might C. must D. would
5. Though he was ill and weak, he _____ get out of the burning building.
A. was able to B. might C. could D. should
6. _____ lending me your CD player for a couple of days?
A. Can you B. Would you mind C. Would you D. Could you
7. The windows look clean. You _____ wash them.
A. are not to B. needn't C. don't have to D. mustn't
8. I don't believe it. It _____ be true.
A. can't B. mustn't C. shouldn't D. wouldn't
9. Young people _____ obey their parents.
A. must B. may C. will D. ought to
10. Jenny's engagement ring is enormous! It _____ have cost a fortune.
A. must B. might C. will D. should
11. You _____ to write them today.
A. should B. must C. had D. ought
12. " _____ you hand me that pair of scissors, please?"
A. May B. Will C. Shall D. Should
13. Jeanette did very badly on the exam. She _____ harder.
A. must have studied B. could have studied
C. should have studied D. must studied
14. Marcela didn't come to class yesterday. She _____ an accident.
A. should have had B. must have
C. might have D. may have had
15. John still hasn't come out. He _____ everything for the trip now.
A. must have been preparing B. must be preparing
C. will be preparing D. will have prepared
16. Thomas received a warning for speeding. He _____ so fast.

today.

A. can B. may C. should D. would

7. Leave early so that you _____ miss the bus.

A. didn't B. won't C. shouldn't D. mustn't

8. He was very lucky when he fell off the ladder. He _____ himself.

A. could have hurt B. should have hurt
C. must have hurt D. will have hurt

9. Robert arrived without his book. He _____ it.

A. might have lost B. should have lost C. would have lost D. will have lost

10. Twenty years ago, David _____ speak Arabic fluently. Now he's forgotten a lot.

A. could B. might C. needed D. must

11. Jessica hasn't made up her mind about where to go to school. She _____ attend Duke University. She just doesn't know yet.

A. mustn't B. may not C. needn't D. can't

12. This box isn't as heavy as it looks. You _____ help me with it. Thanks anyway for offering to help.

A. must B. mustn't C. might D. needn't

13. Yesterday everyone in the office _____ leave the building for a fire drill. I am glad it wasn't a real fire.

A. may B. might C. must D. mustn't

14. You _____ play loud music at night. The neighbors will call the police.

A. mustn't B. needn't C. might not D. couldn't

15. You _____ stand up. There are a lot of seats available on the bus.

A. couldn't B. mustn't C. needn't D. might not

16. People who use public parks _____ clean up after themselves.

A. must B. may C. ought D. might

17. This library book is overdue. I _____ better return it today.

A. need B. must C. might D. had

18. Our company provides free advice on the use of our products. You _____ pay us.

A. must B. have to C. needn't D. mustn't

19. Whatever _____ come, I will always be by your side.

A. must B. may C. could D. need

20. " _____ you hand that book, please?" "Sure. Here it is."

A. Could B. Should C. Must D. May

Exercise 4: Điền vào mỗi chỗ trống sau bằng một động từ khuyết thiếu đã học.

1. I left my bike here and now it's gone. Someone _____ have borrowed it.

2. "The door was open." "It _____ have been open. I had looked it myself and the key was in my

pocket."

3. I want this letter typed, but you _____ do it today. Tomorrow you will do.
4. We _____ forget to shut the gates.
5. If you go to a dentist with a private practice, you _____ pay him quite a lot of money.
6. You _____ talk to other candidates during the exam.
7. "Have you seen John?" "No. But he _____ be studying in the library".
8. As I won't be at home tonight, I _____ do my homework during my lunch break.
9. Passengers _____ smoke until the signs have been switched off.
10. There are a lot of tickets left, so you _____ pay for the tickets in advance.
11. I _____ have worn my best suit to the party yesterday; everyone else was very casually dressed.
12. "What are you doing this weekend?" "I haven't decided yet. I _____ go on a picnic with my family."
13. Can you repair my bicycle? -Oh, yes, I _____ do it now.
14. It's a secret. You _____ let anyone know about it.
15. I'm not sure. I _____ come a few minutes late.
16. Secondary school students nowadays _____ wear uniform.
17. I had read the book last night before I went to bed. I never took it out of this room. It _____ be lying around here somewhere. Where _____ it be?
18. When you have a small child in the house, you _____ leave small objects lying around. Such objects _____ be swallowed, causing serious injury or even death.
19. You _____ take your umbrella along with you today. It _____ rain later on this afternoon. I _____ be at the meeting by 10 pm I will probably _____ take a taxi if I want to be on time.