

1 GRAMMAR past modals: *must have*, etc.

a Match the sentences to the responses.

- 1 Ryan's phone was switched off. c
- 2 Stacey can't find her gloves. _____
- 3 Emma didn't make her bed this morning. _____
- 4 I was surprised that Tony didn't come to the party. _____
- 5 Leo has just bought a brand new Porsche. _____
- 6 Isabel didn't say hello to me this morning. _____
- 7 I'm not sure where Millie is. _____
- 8 My dad was made redundant when we were kids. _____

- a She can't have seen you.
- b She may have left them in her car.
- c I think he might have been at the cinema.
- d He must have paid a fortune for it.
- e She could have gone to a friend's house.
- f She might not have had time.
- g He couldn't have been very happy about that.
- h He must have had something else to do.

b Complete the sentences with *must have*, *might have*, *might not have*, or *can't have* and the verb in brackets.

- 1 You must have been delighted when you passed your driving test – it was your first time, wasn't it? (be)
- 2 I'm not sure where Mark is, but he _____ home. He wasn't feeling well this morning. (go)
- 3 You _____ my parents at the supermarket. They're away on holiday. (see)
- 4 I don't know why my grandmother didn't open the door, but I suppose she _____ the bell. (hear)
- 5 The 'For Sale' sign is still up outside their house. They _____ yet. (move)
- 6 I don't understand how the accident happened, but the driver _____ asleep. (fall)
- 7 Those boys look really guilty. They _____ something wrong. (do)
- 8 Ruth hasn't replied to my email. It's possible that she _____ it yet. (read)

c Write the next sentence using the words given.

- 1 My brother isn't talking to me.
I / should / shout at him
I shouldn't have shouted at him.
- 2 We're running out of petrol.
we / should / fill up at the last garage.

- 3 Someone has taken Ben's smartphone.
he / ought / leave it on his desk

- 4 You won't be able to walk in those shoes.
you / should / buy such high heels

- 5 I had a nightmare last night.
I / ought / stay up to watch that horror film

- 6 Your cousins look really scruffy.
they / ought / dress up for the wedding

- 7 My alarm clock isn't working.
it / should / go off at 7.30

- 8 Jessie missed her train.
she / should / take a taxi to the station



- d Look at the photo. What do you think happened? What do you think the cyclist did wrong? Use *must*, *might / may / could*, or *can't / couldn't* to make deductions, and *should have / ought to have* to express criticism. Use the words in the list or your own ideas.

be / more careful break / bike fall-off / bike
hit / head hurt / leg ride / so fast sprain / ankle
wear / protection



- 1 She must have fallen off her bike.
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____

2 PRONUNCIATION weak form of have

- a 7.1 Listen and write the sentences with either have or of.

- 1 I cried at the end of the film
- 2 _____
- 3 _____?
- 4 _____
- 5 _____?
- 6 _____

- b 7.1 Listen again and repeat the sentences. Copy the rhythm.

- c 7.2 Listen and complete the sentences.

- 1 They're taking Steve to hospital. He might have broken a bone.
- 2 Diana isn't here yet. She can't have _____ my _____.
- 3 It was only a joke. She shouldn't have _____ so _____.
- 4 This restaurant's packed. We should have _____ a _____.
- 5 I didn't hear the phone. I must have _____.
- 6 Becky and Ian haven't come to the party. They may have _____ about it.

- d 7.2 Listen again and repeat the second sentences. Copy the rhythm.

3 GRAMMAR IN CONTEXT would rather

Rewrite the sentences using *would rather*.

- 1 I'd prefer it if you didn't post photos of me on Facebook.
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- 2 I don't really want to cook tonight, if you don't mind.
I _____.
- 3 What do you want to do: stay in or go out?
What _____?
- 4 I'd prefer it if we got a taxi home, if that's OK with you.
I _____.
- 5 I'd prefer to see that film at the cinema than on TV.
I _____.
- 6 I'd prefer to sit by the window than next to the aisle.
I _____.



4 VOCABULARY verbs often confused

a Complete the sentences with the correct **bold** verb.

1 **wish / hope**

I wish we had enough money to buy a bigger flat.

2 **mind / matter**

I don't mind where we go. The important thing is to have a holiday.

3 **avoid / prevent**

My daughter will do anything to avoid doing housework. She's really lazy.

4 **remember / remind**

Remind me to send my dad a card. It's his birthday next week.

5 **argue / discuss**

My boyfriend and I often argue about his friends. I really don't like them.

6 **lend / borrow**

Could I borrow your phone charger? I've left mine at home.

7 **notice / realize**

I didn't notice what the thief was wearing. It was too dark.

8 **beat / win**

Chelsea managed to win the match 1–0.

9 **expect / wait**

I'll wait outside while you see the doctor.

10 **raise / rise**

Please raise your hand if you have any questions.

11 **advise / warn**

My uncle asked me to advise him which laptop he should get.

12 **deny / refuse**

I refuse to lend Harry any more money. He never pays me back!

13 **lay / lie**

All I want to do when I'm on holiday is lie on the beach and sunbathe.

14 **rob / steal**

Don't leave your phone on the table – somebody might steal it.

b Complete the sentences with the past simple form of a verb from the pairs in the list.

advise / warn argue / discuss avoid / prevent
beat / win deny / refuse expect / wait lay / lie
lend / borrow mind / matter notice / realize
raise / rise remember / remind rob / steal wish / hope

1 When I got to my car, I suddenly remembered that the keys were in my other bag.

2 My parents lent me the money to buy a new car, but I have to pay them back.

3 Scotland beat Ireland 3–2.

4 Two men robbed me while I was walking home. They got away with my purse and phone.

5 My colleague noticed taking my scissors, but I saw them later on his desk.

6 Last year we just lay on the beach all day when we were on holiday.

7 House prices rose last month for the first time this year.

8 At the meeting we discussed the possibility of working together.

9 The police officer's action warned anybody from getting hurt.

10 I expected our team to lose, but in the end they won.

11 At first, she didn't think it was that her husband travelled a lot, but eventually she got fed up with it.

12 The moment I heard her voice on the phone, I realized something was wrong.

13 The tour guide advised us that the area was dangerous at night.

14 We hoped the weather would be good for the picnic, but unfortunately it rained.

