Modal Verbs

What do these sentences express?

1. I can swim really fast

a) permission b) ability c) likelihood

2. We have to practice more

a) suggestion/advice b) request c) obligation/necessity

3. You should stop skipping classes

a) command b) likelihood c) suggestion/advice

Choose the correct modal verb for each sentence

1. You ____ take care of the planet.

a) can b) may c) should

2. You don't _____ to finish today, don't worry.

a) need b) could c) must

3. I think the politicians ____ build more schools.

a) have b) should c) may

4. We _____ to wait for the results before we leave.

a) have b) might c) have to

5. My mom _____ be stuck in traffic, she's usually early.

a) must b) can c) would

6. I love pizza, I _____ eat it everyday.

a) will b) should c) could

7. ____ you throw away the trash today?

a) would b) may c) have

8. ____ I go to the bathroom please?

a) may b) can c) should



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