

Language Focus Unit 4



Possibility and certainty

1 Tick (✓) the correct sentences.

Colin might be embarrassed because he forgot the words of his presentation. ✓

- 1 Dogs and cats might feel love towards their owners. I'm 100% certain about this. ____
- 2 Jon could not know about the party this weekend, so we'll tell him. ____
- 3 I know for sure that the information you gave me can't be true. ____
- 4 Maria must wear her red dress to the concert. I think it's her favourite. ____
- 5 We could decide to ask the teacher for help, but we're not certain yet. ____

2 Choose the correct words.

She's smiling, so she must / might have passed her exam.

- 1 You **might** / **couldn't** be more worried about your exams than you think.
- 2 I **may** / **must** paint my room orange. I haven't decided for definite yet.
- 3 I **can't** / **could** be afraid of snakes, but I'm not certain because I've never seen one!
- 4 Mum and Dad **could** / **might not** realize that their dancing embarrasses me, so I'll tell them.
- 5 I'm sure what she said **can't** / **may not** be true.

3 Complete the dialogues with the correct modal verb in brackets.

A Mum may (can't / may) be surprised that I got an A+ for my exam.

B Well, you won't know until you tell her!

- 1 A He ____ (must / can't) be her brother. They don't look like each other.
B You're right. That's her boyfriend, not her brother!
- 2 A We ____ (could / must) be frightened on the roller coaster, but let's try it!
B OK! Let's go!
- 3 A Harry ____ (might / must) not know Amy, so I'll introduce them.
B That's nice of you.
- 4 A Goldfish ____ (may / must) get bored. I'm certain about it.
B I don't agree. They seem happy to me.
- 5 A She ____ (may / can't) be annoyed with you because you laughed at her.
B Oh, no! I hope not!

Ability, advice and obligation

4 Order the words to make sentences or questions.

a musical instrument / we / play / can't

We can't play a musical instrument.

- 1 can / really / you / sing / well

- 2 I / I / three / when / was / could / read / ?

- 3 be able to / to the concert / I / come / won't

- 4 me / the teacher / help / be able to / will / ?

- 5 might / fix / be able to / my bike / Rachel

5 Look at the underlined words in the list of rules. Tick (✓) the correct ones.

Clyde's Fitness Centre Rules

At Clyde's Fitness Centre, we want everyone to have fun, but there are some rules that you have to ☒ follow.

- Members mustn't to (1) ☐ bring food into the gym.
- Members should (2) ☐ ask for help before using gym equipment for the first time.
- Members shouldn't to (3) ☐ run when they are near the pool.
- Members have (4) ☐ bring their own towels.
- Members don't have (5) ☐ pay to use the basketball court.
- The centre closes at 9, so members must (6) ☐ be out of the pool by 8.45.

Members have to obey these rules at all times while they're in the fitness centre!

Vocabulary Unit 4 ★

Feelings and emotions

1 Complete the nouns and adjectives with the endings in the box. Watch your spelling.

-ance -ation -dom -etic -ful -ment -ing -y

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| anger (noun) | <u>angry</u> (adjective) |
| 1 annoy (verb) | _____ (noun) |
| 2 bore (verb) | _____ (noun) |
| 3 embarrass (verb) | _____ (noun) |
| 4 excite (verb) | _____ (adjective) |
| 5 relax (verb) | _____ (noun) |
| 6 stress (noun) | _____ (adjective) |
| 7 sympathy (noun) | _____ (adjective) |

2 Complete the words in the sentences.

People sometimes show anger when someone makes them feel embarrassed.

- Two emotions that people often feel on a roller coaster are e_c_te_e_t and f_a_.
- When a friend is w_r_i_d about something, we shouldn't show a_no_an_e, even if we think they are being silly.
- When you experience su_p_i_e, it's impossible to feel b_r_do_, too.
- When someone you love is feeling s_r_s_ed about exams, you should show them s_m_a_hy.

3 Choose the correct words.

Shannon 16: My bad grades are **worried** / **worrying**

and I'm stressed. Any ideas what might help me?

Brady 12: Some types of music are (1) **relaxed** / **relaxing**. Why don't you play classical music when you're studying?

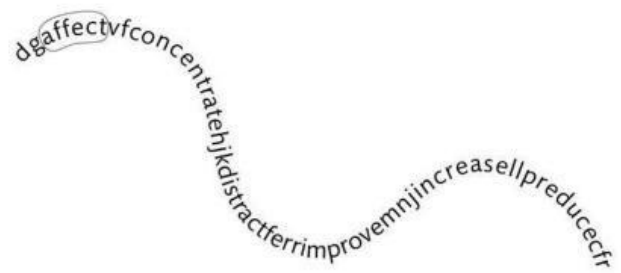
Vince 15: I don't agree. When I'm studying, I find noise really (2) **annoyed** / **annoying**.

Brady 12: Well, I'm a bit (3) **embarrassed** / **embarrassing** to say it, but I listen to music from the 50s when I study. Lots of people get (4) **bored** / **boring** with that kind of music, but I like it.

Shannon 16: Brady 12, that's really (5) **surprising** / **surprised**! I love that music, too! All of my friends are (6) **annoyed** / **annoying** when I play it for them, but I don't care! I'm going to start listening to that when I study! I know it will help me to relax!

Music, mood and health

4 Find six verbs in the wordsnake. Write them down.



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| <u>affect</u> | 3 _____ |
| 1 _____ | 4 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 5 _____ |

5 Choose the correct words.

I believe that listening to loud music speeds up / **down** my running.

- I asked you to turn **down** / **out** the TV because I'm studying. I didn't want you to turn it **out** / **up**!
- Why are you so stressed? You really need to calm **out** / **down**!
- Stacie is feeling a bit sad. Let's take her out for the day to cheer her **up** / **down**.
- You're driving too fast. Please slow **up** / **down**!
- Tom works **out** / **up** twice a week. He's very fit.

6 Complete the advice with the words in the box.

affect calm down cheer-up improve
sing along slowing down turn up

Are you feeling sad? ☹ Do you want to cheer up? (1) _____ your bad mood by doing something fun. How about playing music? (2) _____ the volume and dance around the room! It'll (3) _____ how you feel in just a few minutes.

Are you feeling stressed? ☹ Time to (4) _____! Try these simple tips and RELAX!

• Reduce that stressful feeling by (5) _____ your breathing.

• Play some relaxing music and (6) _____.

Are you feeling better now? ☺

