

Gap-Fill Activity: can, could, be able to, manage to

Complete the sentences with the most suitable option from can, could, be able to, or manage to. Remember to conjugate as necessary.

1. I've lived in Rome for a year and I _____ speak Italian quite well now.

2. Despite the delay, we _____ catch the last train home.

3. She wasn't sure she'd finish the project, but she _____ submit it just before the deadline.

4. When I was a child, I _____ climb trees easily.

5. Will you _____ attend the meeting next Friday?

6. They didn't think they'd win, but they _____ score in the final minute.

7. I've never _____ solve this puzzle · it's too tricky!

8. He _____ fix the printer after trying for hours.

9. We _____ hear the speaker clearly from the back of the room.

10. I hope I'll _____ travel abroad next year.

11. She _____ convince her boss to approve the budget increase.

12. I _____ play the piano when I was younger, but I've forgotten most of it.

13. Were you _____ find the restaurant without using GPS?

14. He wasn't feeling well, but he still _____ finish the marathon.

15. I _____ understand most of the film, even though it was in Spanish.

16. They _____ complete the task before the deadline, thanks to teamwork.

17. I don't think I'll _____ join you tonight · I have too much work.

18. She _____ escape the locked room using only a paperclip!

19. We _____ get tickets for the concert, even though it was nearly sold out.

20. He _____ speak in public confidently after taking a few workshops.