**Modal verbs**

**A: Complete the table.**

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**B: Form some questions with the verb «can ». Ask Steve and use the 2.p.sg.**

**(Extract from: Raymond Murphy, Essential Grammar in Use)**



1. Can you swim ?

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3. …………………………………………………………………………………

4. …………………………………………………………………………………

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6. …………………………………………………………………………………

**C: What do you say in these situations. Use the verb „can“ or the verb „could“.**

**(Extract from: Raymond Murphy, Essential Grammar in Use)**



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**D: How to say it. Write the sentences below in a more polite way.**

* 1. Help me with the washing up.

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* 1. Open the door.

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* 1. An orange juice!

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* 1. Where is the railway station?

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* 1. Go to bed!

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* 1. Tell me everything.

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Solution:

*a) Could you help me with the washing up?*

b) *Can you open the door, please.*

c) *Could I have an orange juice, please!*

d) Excuse me, can you tell me (us) where the railway station is?

e)*I Think you should go to bed. / I want you to go to bed.*

f) *You should tell me everything. / I think you should tell me everything.*

**E: Write the sentences in a more polite way. Use modal verbs!**

 I want a coke.
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 Help me with my homework.
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 Show me where the station is.
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**F: Giving advice**

**a) Imagine your neighbour is going to England. Which advices would you give him? Use ‘should’ and ‘shouldn’t’ to give four advices!**

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Solution:

*You should stand in a queue.*

*You shouldn’t jump a queue.*

*You should try to be polite.*

*You shouldn’t push people in the street.*

**b) Your friend from Japan is visiting Switzerland. Give him four advices as well what he should or shouldn’t do in Switzerland.**

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Solution:

*You should taking off shoes when going into a house.*

*You should try to be on time.*

*Maybe you should appoint (fix) a time.*

*You shouldn’t swear loudly in the street.*

**G: Which school rules are important in our school? Give 4 advices that exchange students should know, if they come to us!**

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**H: You’re in a café. Fill in the gaps with polite expressions!**

Waiter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ some more tea?

You: Oh, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I’d \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ some.

Waiter: Would you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it with milk or sugar?

You: Milk, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Not too much.

Waiter: Sugar?

You: No \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. No sugar. I’m trying to lose weight.

**I: Expressing thank you.** Look at the sentences below and say “Thank you” in different ways.

1. A pupil lends his USB stick to you. You say:

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1. A teenager picks flowers for her mother. She says:

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1. A friend invites you to a party. You say:

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**J: Expressing thanks.** Read the situations below and the answers in the table. Write the number of the situation next to the correct expression of thanks.

1. *Somebody helps a person in a kind way.*
2. *A student helps another student with a maths problem.*
3. *A pupil lends his USB stick to another pupil.*
4. *Somebody is invited to a party by a friend.*
5. *Somebody has bought food for a person who is ill.*
6. *A teenager picks flowers for his mother.*
7. *A family invites another family to dinner.*

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| **Situation number** | **Expressing thanks** |
| 5 | I don’t know how to thank you for doing the shopping for me. |
| 2 | Thanks a lot for explaining it to me. |
| 4 | Thanks for inviting me. I’d love to come. |
| 6 | My darling, many thanks for your nice present for my birthday. |
| 1 | Thank you so much for your help. |
| 3 | Thanks for lending me your stick. |
| 7 | Thank you very much for the invitation. Lucy is an excellent cook! |

**K : Complete the gaps using would or should**

1. Driving a Rolls Royce \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be nice.

2. I wish you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ come to my birthday party.

3. If I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ arrive early, I will give you a ring.

4. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ like to be a doctor.

5. How \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I know?

6.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you like a cup of tea?

7. If Mary was here she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ help me.

**Solution:**

1. Driving a Rolls Royce would be nice.

2. I wish you would come to my birthday party.

3. If I should arrive early, I will give you a ring.

4. I would like to be a doctor.

5. How should I know?

6.  Would you like a cup of tea?

7. If Mary was here she would help me.

**L: Read the situations and write polite requests. Choose expressions from the list below.**

*Example: It's cold in the room. COULD YOU close the window, PLEASE?*

give me a lift repeat it ~~close the window~~ open the window turn the radio down

speak more slowly

1. It's hot in the room.

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2. You are speaking too fast. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. You want to go into town to do the shopping, but you have missed the bus. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. You didn't hear the teacher's question.

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5. You can't relax, because the music, coming from your brother's room, is too loud. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_