

MODAL VERB RACE:

INSTRUCTIONS:

This game consists in advancing positions in the race, the red arrow is pointing towards the starting point, each player must place a small object which will represent them throughout the game. Every four squares there is an obstacle in the race, it is marked by a circle, this obstacle is represented by a modal verb question. The players that land in these squares must answer a modal verb question correctly, if the question is answered correctly, the player stays in the position he/she is, if the question is answered incorrectly, the player must move 2 squares back. The winner is the person that reaches the finish line the first.

This game can be played by 4 to 8 people.

TYPES OF QUESTIONS:

Correct the sentence:

*Student: Tomorrow it **has to** rain. (he/she is saying this to a friend)*

Options:

- a) Should
- b) Could
- c) May

Questions: (correct answers in green)

1. *Student: Sorry I'm late. I **may** finish my math test.*
 - a) Should
 - b) Could
 - c) **Had to**

2. *Person: If I were you, I **could** say sorry.*
 - a) Should
 - b) Will
 - c) **Would**

3. ***Will** you like a cup of tea?*
 - a) May
 - b) **Would**
 - c) Should

4. *Employee: **Can** I open the window? (he/she is asking it to her/his employer)*
 - a) **May**
 - b) Should
 - c) Could

5. *I **will** love to be able to play the piano.*
 - a) Could
 - b) **Would**
 - c) May

6. *I didn't feel very well yesterday. I **had to** eat anything.*
 - a) Cannot
 - b) **Couldn't**
 - c) Must

7. You **may** look at me when I am talking to you.

- a) Could
- b) **Should**
- c) Would

8. I was using my pencil a minute ago. It **can** be here somewhere!

- a) Could
- b) **Must**
- c) Would

9. If you don't start working harder, you **might** repeat the course next year.

- a) Have to
- b) Must
- c) **Will have to**

10. I **must** be able to help you, but I'm not sure yet.

- a) **Might**
- b) Would
- c) Could

11. Already as a child Mozart **had to** play the piano beautifully.

- a) **Could**
- b) Should
- c) Would

12. Which sign are you more likely to see at an airport: Bags **might** not be left unattended.

- a) Can
- b) **Must**
- c) May

13. I really **might** try to get fit.

- a) May
- b) **Must**
- c) Would

14. Whose is this bag? – I don't know, but it **might** belong to Yuta.

- a) May
- b) Could
- c) Should

15. **Can** I go to the bathroom, please? (student to a teacher)

- a) May
- b) Must
- c) Would

16. His excuse **should** be true, but I don't believe it.

- a) Can
- b) May
- c) Must

17. I **might** talk already before I was two years old.

- a) Can
- b) Could
- c) Would

18. I **should** help you, but I don't want to.

- a) Can
- b) Could
- c) Would

19. **Might** you open the window, please? (to a friend)

- a) Can
- b) May
- c) Should

20. If you continue to practise so hard, you **may** beat me before too long! (to a friend)

- a) Can
- b) Could
- c) Will be able to

21. *What do you want to do? – Well, we **can** have a picnic, but it looks like rain.*

- a) Could
- b) Should
- c) Would

22. *I'm so hungry I **can** eat a horse!*

- a) Could
- b) Must
- c) Should

23. *She **should** be very pleased with herself. She got the best grades.*

- a) Has to
- b) Must
- c) Cannot

24. ***Might** I take a photograph of you?*

- a) May
- b) Am I allowed to
- c) Should

25. *Students **should** borrow up to 6 books at any time.*

- a) Are allowed to
- b) Could
- c) Might

MODAL WORD SEARCH:

Find the correct modal verb and put it in the correct sentence:

1. _____ borrow your pencil? (from friend to friend)
2. _____ I come in? (from student to teacher)
3. You _____ finish your salad.
4. It _____ rain tomorrow.
5. Time's up! You _____ hand in your exams!
6. _____ I open the window?
7. In any vehicle you _____ wear your seatbelt on.
8. I _____ love to be able to sing properly.
9. _____ we go?

C	R	S	M	W	G	U
S	A	Y	H	O	C	S
H	W	N	A	U	O	H
O	Y	E	V	L	U	A
U	A	I	E	D	L	L
L	M	R	T	U	D	L
D	U	E	O	A	A	O
R	F	C	E	D	T	D

Answers:

1. CAN
2. MAY
3. SHOULD
4. MIGHT
5. HAVE TO
6. COULD
7. MUST
8. WOULD
9. SHALL