

Grammar Test the 10 Form

Modal verbs.

Variant I

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CLERK: I am afraid you (*can't/shouldn't*). You (*should /can*) keep your luggage with you.

PASSENGER: I (*don't have to / can't*) carry it round all the time. It is too heavy for me!

CLERK: You (*are to / can*) get a trolley.

PASSENGER: I (*needn't / can't*) see any. Where (*should/can*) I find one of these trolleys? CLERK: I am sure you will find some outside the main entrance.

PASSENGER: You (*should/are to*) be more polite and helpful to your clients.

CLERK: Well. If you wait for a moment, I will see if I (*can/ may*) call you a porter for you.

PASSENGER: Thank you, I really (*can't / mustn't*) have taken so heavy trunk.

2. Complete the text with the right modal verb and the infinitive.

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but it (7) (возможно был) Sky Steve. You know, he is the only one who doesn't have an alibi. (8) (Можно) I bring him to the police station?"

3. Paraphrase the sentences using the modal verb.

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The book must have been under the table.

1. **I don't think it is midnight, (*can't*)**
2. It is absolutely necessary for you to escape, (*have*)
3. It was wrong of her to tell lies, (*shouldn't*)
4. You should drive more carefully, (*ought*)
5. There was no reason for her to come so early, (*needn't*)

4. Express the same in English.

1. Не может быть, чтобы он сейчас был здесь.
2. Я смогла спасти его.
3. Должно быть, книга принадлежит ему.
4. Не может быть, чтобы он видел её.
5. Не нужно было вчера покупать мороженое.

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1. It was right to tell them the truth. (*ought*)
2. It is a good idea to cut the grass soon. (*better*)
3. It is not possible that he is an Italian. (*can't*)
4. I advise him to give up smoking. (*should*)
5. You nearly caused the accident. (*could*)

4. Express the same in English.

1. Тебе не следовало играть в компьютер так долго.
2. Здесь нельзя курить.
3. Мне не нужно вставать по утрам.
4. Возможно, она не любит рыбу.
5. Тебе следует обратиться в больницу.