

CBSE Class 10 English Modals MCQs

Fill in the blanks with correct form of modals

1. I wish she _____ reach here soon. (Desire)

- a) Should
- b) Would
- c) Will
- d) Shall

Answers: b) Would

2. I _____ accompany you without fail. (Commitment)

- a) Shall
- b) Will
- c) Would
- d) Can

Answers: b) Will

3. Walk steadily lest you _____ stumble. (Advice)

- a) Would
- b) Should
- c) Could
- d) Ought to

Answers: b) Should

4. The sky is clear, it _____ rain today. (Less Possibility)

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

Answers: b) Might

5. You _____ respect your elders. (Moral Obligation)

- a) Should
- b) Could
- c) Would
- d) Ought to

Answers: d) Ought to

6. You _____ not stay here. (Necessity)

- a) Need
- b) Can
- c) Will
- d) Would

Answers: a) Need

7. My uncle _____ go for a walk every morning. (Habit in Past)

- a) Must
- b) Should
- c) Would
- d) Used to

Answers: d) Used to

8. You have fever so you _____ see a doctor. (Emphatic Advice)

- a) Must
- b) Should
- c) Can
- d) Will

Answers: a) Must

9. She _____ be seventy now. (Certainty of belief)

- a) Would
- b) Need
- c) Must
- d) Could

Answers: c) Must

10. The clouds are dark it _____ rain. (Possibility)

- a) Will
- b) Can
- c) May
- d) Might

Answers: c) May

11. _____ God bless you with a son!. (Wish or Prayer)

- a) Might
- b) May
- c) Can
- d) Could

Answers: b) May

12. _____ I use your telephone? (Polite Request)

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

Answers: b) Could

13. She _____ be very silly at times. (Nature)

- a) Can
- b) Could
- c) Must
- d) Ought to

Answers: a) Can

14. We _____ help the needy. (Duty or Obligation)

- a) Can
- b) Could
- c) Should
- d) Might

Answers: c) Should

15. How _____ you declare so? (Threat)

- a) Need
- b) Can
- c) Could
- d) Dare

Answers: d) Dare

16. It may rain. You _____ take an umbrella. (Logical Necessity)

- a) Can
- b) Would
- c) Shall
- d) Must

Answers: d) Must

17. If you are going to the market, you _____ bring me a shawl. (Request)

- a) May
- b) Might
- c) Will
- d) Shall

Answers: b) Might

18. A man _____ travel in a ladies compartment. (Prohibition)

- a) Cannot
- b) Could not
- c) Shall not
- d) Will not

Answers: a) Cannot

19. If he had money, he _____ buy a car. (Possibility in Past)

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

Answers: b) Could

20. You earn so that you _____ eat well. (Purpose)

a) Might

b) May

c) Need

d) Must

Answers: b) May