**FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH CAN OR COULD.**

**1. ........................... I ask you something?**

Can

Could

**2. She said I ............................ come as often as I liked.**

can

could

**3. Jack ................................. not go to work yesterday because he was ill.**

can

could

**4. He ............................. borrow my car, if she asked.**

can

could

**5. I .................................... her, if I had wanted to.**

could marry

can marry

**6. .......................... you lend me some pounds until tomorrow?**

Can

Could

**7. When I was a child, I ............................ play whenever I wanted to.**

can

could

**8. 'Where is John?' He .......................... be in the garden.**

can

could

**9. It was a place where anything .......................... happen.**

can

could

**10. I ............................ not understand anything she said.**

can

could

**11. You ............................ get a better job if you speak English.**

can

could

**12. War ............................ break out any day.**

can

could

**USE THE VERBS IN THE BOX WITH A SUITABLE FORM OF BE ABLE TO OR CAN. USE CORRECT VERB TENSES.**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| meet | manage | take | win | speak |
| hear | see | detect | concentrate | play |

Principio del formulario

1. Our team ---- the cup six times in twenty years now.  


2. Walter ---- the dog on the dark road at the last moment and avoided hitting it.  


3. My boy friend and I ---- again next Monday.  


4. Frank ---- any Spanish when he got a job offer from a company in Spain.  


5. As his leg was in plaster, John ---- for the next couple weeks.  


6. Although this is her first day in the office, Tina ---- very well so far.  


7. Since the teenagers were partying very loudly, they ---- the door bell.  


8. Astronomers ---- more detailed pictures once this new space telescope has been put into orbit.  


9. I ---- with so many problems that are bothering me. I will try again later.  


10. Scientists ---- any signals from any form of intelligent life in space so far.  


**FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH COULD, CAN, COULDN'T, CAN'T.**

Principio del formulario

1. In my first year as a teacher I almost lost my self-confidence because I ................. teach anything.
2. 2. Mary tried hard to persuade her friend but she......................... change her mind.  
   3-4. Bijan says he ...............................speak four languages but he ....................talk to customers yesterday as he was a bit nervous.  
   5. Adan and her mother ............................open the door because it was locked.  
   6. I................................. finally talk to John after I tried to reach him on the phone for hours.  
   7-8. I...................................... never memorize all of the rules in the past, and I ...................................do it now either.  
   9-10. Mike was the only one who................................. understand me, but now he.................................................. either.  
   11. Before the nuclear disaster in the 1980's, people ...........................grow everything in their gardens.  
   12-13. No matter how hard I try, I........................................ see the difference in the two pictures Susan says she .....................................easily see.Final del formulario

**COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES CORRECTLY.**

* **1. \_\_\_ you hear the fireworks from your house last night?**  
  Can  
  Could  
  Can't
* **2. Do you think you \_\_\_ write that report by Tuesday? I know you’re very busy.**  
  will be able to  
  couldn't  
  have been able to
* **3. I \_\_\_ touch my toes. See!**  
  can  
  will be able to  
  could
* **4. I \_\_\_ spend another moment in that restaurant. It was too noisy.**

have been able to  
can't  
couldn't

* **5. I \_\_\_ never seem to get the temperature right.**

can't  
to be able to  
can

* **6. \_\_\_ play professional tennis, you must be extremely fit.**  
  Couldn’t  
  Will you be able to  
  To be able to
* **7. \_\_\_ you play an instrument?**  
  Able to  
  Can  
  Couldn't
* **8. I'm afraid I \_\_\_ attend the meeting, I’m on business in Japan.**  
  can   
  won’t be able to  
  will be able to
* **9. \_\_\_ you have brought it to me at work?**  
  Cannot  
  Will be able to  
  Couldn't
* **10. They \_\_\_ save the men from the sinking ship.**  
  was able to  
  were able to  
  could to

**CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER**

1. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ go to the party. We're going to a wedding.

   will can't

    won't be able to

    want be able to

    couldn't

1. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ pass the exam if he studied harder.

   will be able to

    can

    would be able to

1. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ remember his name.

   'm not able to

    can't

    fish

1. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ go. The weather was too bad.

   couldn't

    can't

    weren't able to

1. Sorry, Teacher. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ do it yet.

   wasn't able to

    couldn't

    haven't been able to

1. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ come on holiday next month if her parents give her permission.

   could

    can't

    'll be able to

1. The fishing boat sank but luckily all the crew \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ save themselves.

   were able to

    could

    was able to

1. A. Can you lend me some money?  
   B: Sorry. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . I haven't got any either.

   can't

    couldn't

    'm not able to

1. Diana \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the piano.

   can play

    can to play

    eats

1. You'll be able to solve this, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?

   won't you

    can you

   will you