***MODAL VERBS***

**1.Choose the correct answer.**

1. The doctor says I **might** / **must** get more exercise.  
2. You look great in brown. You **should** / **can** wear it more often.  
3. His arm is broken, so he **isn’t able to** / **may not** write.  
4. Tomorrow is a holiday, so we **mustn’t** / **don’t have to** get up early

5. When you are on a diet, you **ought to** / **could** drink a lot of water.

6. He stopped the car so he **should** / **could** rest for a while.

**2 Choose the correct continuation.**

1. You may borrow the book.

a. I’ve finished reading it. b. It’s a good idea.

2. Greg shouldn’t marry Katie.

a. She’s already married. b. He doesn’t love her

3. She mustn’t drive home.

a. She drank beer at the party. b. Her brother took the car.

4. I don’t have to cook dinner.

a. I’ve never learned to cook. b. We’re going out for a meal.

**3  Complete the sentences with the modals below.**

**may • must • can’t • could • should**

1. You .................. come to us for dinner. I won’t accept no for an answer.

2. .................. I have a piece of cake, please?  
3. He .................. reach it. He’s not tall enough.  
4. You .................. always brush your teeth before you go to sleep.

5.I .................. make people laugh when I was young.

**4  Replace the words in bold with the words below.**

**needn’t • mustn’t • ought to • have to • might • couldn’t**

1. Tess **should** help her mother more. ..................  
2. I’m not sure, but she **may** be French. ..................  
3. In some countries, girls **are forbidden to** uncover their faces in public. ..................  
4. You **don’t have to** explain. ..................  
5. You **must** be careful not to offend them. ..................  
6. I’m sorry we **weren’t able to** come. ..................

**5  Choose the correct answer.**

1. The restaurant isn’t as busy as I expected. We **mustn’t have** / **might not have** / **needn’t have** reserved a table.  
2. Jay looks happy. He **could have** / **must have** / **ought to have** passed his driving test.

3. I’m so tired this morning. I couldn’t have / needn’t have / shouldn’t have gone to bed so late.

4. You could have / must have / may have called to tell us you were coming.