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### Modal Verbs in Context Worksheet

A modal verb is a type of auxiliary verb that is used to indicate modality- that is likelihood, ability, permission, and obligation.

can	may	must	should
couldn't	ought to	might	will

Directions: Complete each sentence below with a modal verb from the word bank above.

1. You \_\_\_\_\_ tell me the truth for your own good.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ find my shoes anywhere.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ arrive on time or else we will be in trouble.
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ shoot the basketball at the rim.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ you let me know the time?
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ not be trustworthy enough.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ you please pass the salt?
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ prepare for the big exam.