Complete the sentences with a modal verb from the box below. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.


1. You ___________ touch that dog. It looks dangerous!
2. You ___________ to feed the cat at least twice a day.
3. The bus ___________ be here by now. That’s what the schedule says.
4. When I was six, I ___________ play violin but I haven’t practiced since then so I ___________ play anymore.
5. Judith ___________ go to school on Saturdays. She has a five-day week.
6. I ___________ rather stay at home than go out and have dinner in a restaurant.
7. My fingernails ___________ cutting. They’re so long.
8. She ___________ study harder if she wants to pass the exam.
9. I’m tired. I ___________ go to bed early tonight.
10. You’ve just had a huge breakfast. You ___________ be hungry anymore.
11. Do you ___________ to pay taxes as a resident of a foreign country?
12. You ___________ wear a uniform to the ceremony. It’s not necessary.
13. Passengers ___________ speak to the driver when he’s on duty.
14. Ask Henry. He ___________ know the answer but I’m not sure.
15. When I was younger I ___________ climb to the top of the mountain without being out of breath.
16. I ___________ have gone to the doctor, but it got better after a few days.
17. If you speak to her, she ___________ probably tell you the truth.
18. The company boss ___________ be extremely rich if he owns several sports cars.
19. I ___________ have got up so early, but it was a sunny day and I was planning a lot.
20. Jack didn’t ___________ to explain the situation. Everyone know what was happening.
1. You mustn’t touch that dog. It looks dangerous!
2. You need to feed the cat at least twice a day.
3. The bus should/must be here by now. That’s what the schedule says.
4. When I was six, I could play violin but I haven’t practiced since then so I can’t play anymore.
5. Judith needn’t go to school on Saturdays. She has a five-day week.
6. I would rather stay at home than go out and have dinner in a restaurant.
7. My fingernails need cutting. They’re so long.
8. She must study harder if she wants to pass the exam.
9. I’m tired. I must/should go to bed early tonight.
10. You’ve just had a huge breakfast. You can’t be hungry anymore.
11. Do you need to pay taxes as a resident of a foreign country?
12. You needn’t wear a uniform to the ceremony. It’s not necessary.
13. Passengers mustn’t speak to the driver when he’s on duty.
14. Ask Henry. He might/could know the answer but I’m not sure.
15. When I was younger I could/would climb to the top of the mountain without being out of breath.
16. I should/would have gone to the doctor, but it got better after a few days.
17. If you speak to her, she will probably tell you the truth.
18. The company boss must be extremely rich if he owns several sports cars.
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