

MODAL



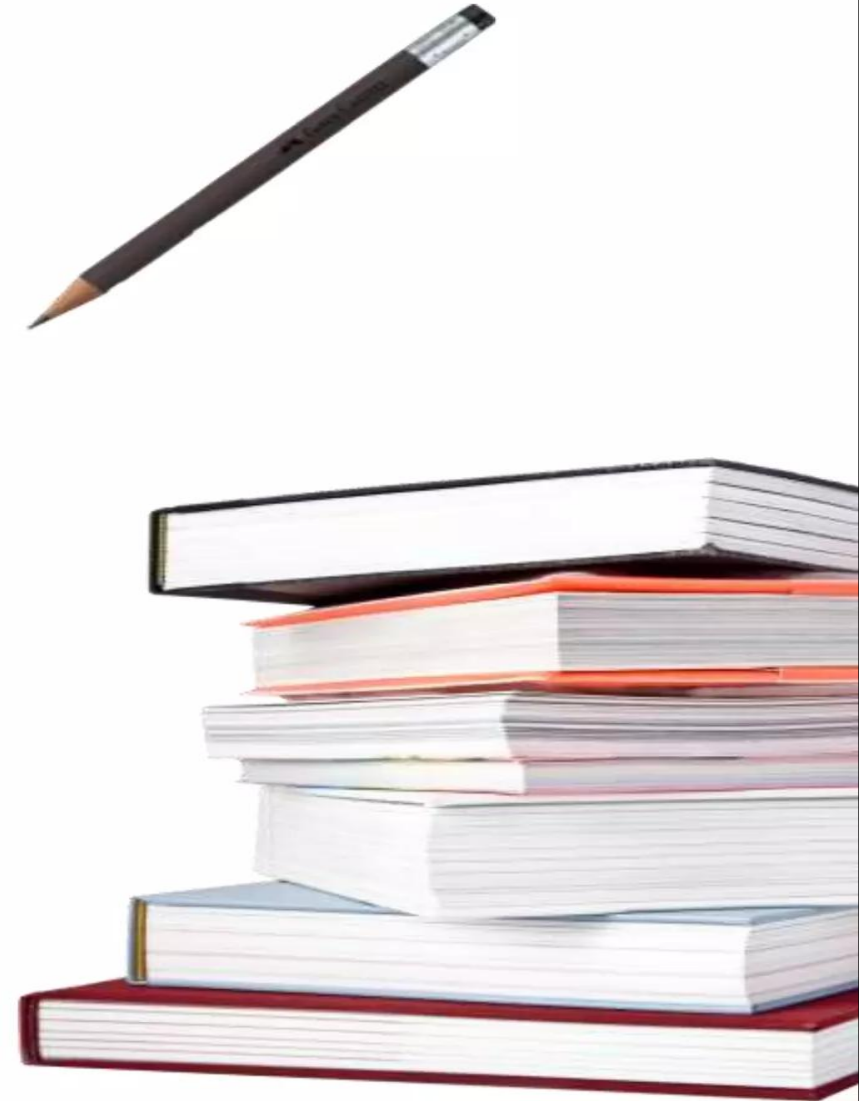


Look at the sentences Marge says

**Now Lets See How Modals Is
Used In Above Slide! ?And
Why It Is Used!?**

MODAL VERBS

- I. DEFINITION
- II. STRUCTURE
- III. HOW TO USE !



MODAL VERBS

I. DEFINITION

A modal verb is a type of auxiliary verb that is used to indicate modality—that is likelihood, ability, permission, possibility,...

Two of my
friends can
play guitar
(ability)



MODAL VERBS

LIST OF MODAL VERBS

Can

Would

Could

Shall

May

Should

Might

Ought to

Will

Must

*This all can be called
MODALS*



II. STRUCTURE

Subject	Modal verb	Main verb	Complement
I We They You He She It	must	go	to sleep.
	can	drink	some water.
	should	eat	some food.
	may	will	do
			some exercise.



Use the **basic form** or **INFINITIVE** of the main verbs after the modal verbs.

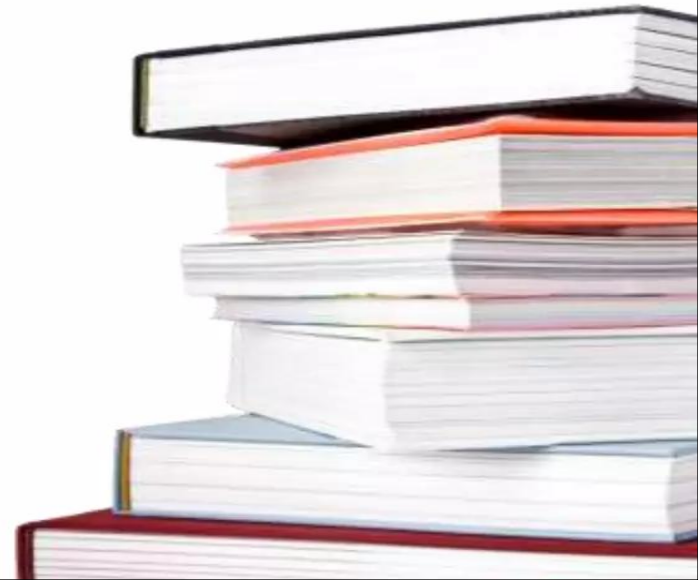
MODAL VERBS

a. Modal verbs do not add *s* or *es* to the third person singular.

He **can** swim.



~~He **can_s** swim.~~



MODAL VERBS

- **Simple**

I could work
He could work
It could work
They could work

- **Continuous**

I could be working
He could be working
It could be working
They could be working

- **Perfect**

I could have worked
He could have worked
It could have worked
They could have worked

- **Perfect continuous**

I could have been working
He could have been working
It could have been working
They could have been working

MODAL VERBS

b. Modal verbs don't need auxiliaries to form negative and question.

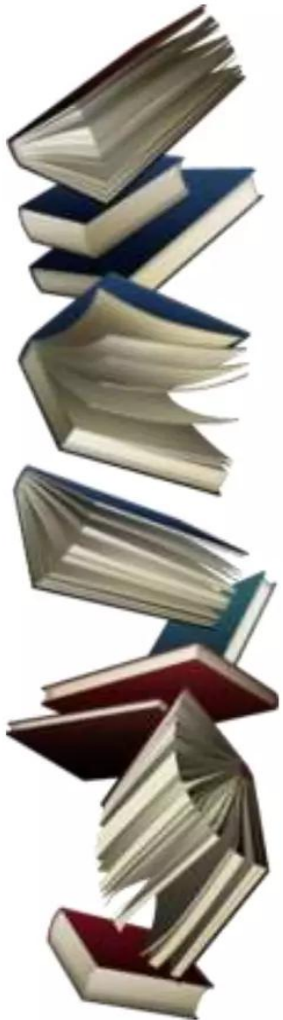
Exp : **She should stay.**

~~She doesn't should stay.~~ → **She shouldn't stay.**

~~Why does she stay?~~ → **Why should she stay?**

c. Modal verbs don't have infinitives or -ing forms

Exp: ~~canning~~ ~~to might~~



MODAL VERBS

HOW TO USE

CAN

Use

Ability / Possibility

Impossibility

Asking for permission

Request

Example

→ They can control their own work.

→ We can't fix it.

→ Can I bring here?

→ Can you help me?



MODAL VERBS

COULD

Use

permission

Request

possibility

Future

Ability

Example

→ **Could I borrow your dictionary?**

→ **Could you say it again more slowly?**

→ **I think we could have another tea.**

→ **I wish Cndrll could meet me next week.**

→ **He gave up his old job so he could**

work for us.



MODAL VERBS

MAY

Use

permission



May I have another cup of coffee?

possibility



I may finish my homework

Example



MODAL VERBS

MIGHT

Use

possibility

Example

→

We'd better phone tomorrow, they might be eating their dinner now.



MODAL VERBS

OUGHT TO

Use

Saying what's right or correct



Example

She ought to finish by next week.



MODAL VERBS

SHALL

Use

Offer



Shall I help you with your luggage?

Suggestion



Shall we say 2.30 then?

Permission



Shall I do that or will you?



MODAL VERBS

III. USAGE

SHOULD

Use

Example

Saying what's right or correct

→ **We should solve this problem.**

Possibility

→ **Fees should decrease next year.**



MODAL VERBS

WILL

Use

decisions

Offer

Promise

→

I can't see any taxis so I'll walk

→

I'll do that for you if you like.

→

I'll come back on Monday.

Example



MODAL VERBS

III. USAGE

WOULD

Use

permission →

Request →

Invitation →

Example

Would you mind if I brought a friend with me?

Would you mind waiting a moment?

Would you like to play basketball this Friday?



M I G H T
S H O U L D
C O U L D
S H A L L
W I L L
M U S T

