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Weekly School

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GRADE : 12

WEEK : 3RD WEEK, DECEMBER

SUBJECT : GENERAL ENGLISH

UNIT : UNIT - 02 LIVING IN HARMONY

GRAMMAR - MODAL VERBS

STUDENT'S ACTIVITIES:

- Complete the following sentences using the correct Modal Verb given in the brackets. Sentence should be meaningful.
1. Pedestrians (may , must , might) obey road rules to avoid accidents.
 2. We (would , could , should) never hurt other people's feelings.
 3. (Should , May , Could) you show me the way to the museum .
 4. She (would , can , ought to) cook well .
 5. The sky is cloudy , but it (must , ought to , might) not rain .
 6. They (ought to , may , would) find a cure for Covid -19 .
 7. (Must , Should , Will) you convey this message to him , please ?
 8. I (must , would , will) like a cup of tea .
 9. All school candidates (shall , may , might) wear their uniforms .

10. The committee recommended that the teachers' salaries (might , may , should) be increased.

ACTIVITY II

- Read the given below each sentence in bold print and underline the one that expresses its meaning best .

I. You must early in order to get there before dark .

(I) You have to start early whether you like it or not.

(II) You have to start early to get there before Dark.

(III) I'm ordering you to start early and get there before dark.

2 . She may be a foreigner .

(I) She is a foreigner .

(II) She is not a foreigner .

(III) It is possible she is a tourist .

3 . I could speak English when I was ten .

(I) I was able to speak English when I was ten .

(II) I was unable to speak English at ten .

(III) I was able to speak English for ten hours

4 . You don't have to pay me immediately .

(I) You don't have to pay me at all .

(II) You can pay me later .

(III) You mustn't pay me at once .

5 . You may go home once you finish the group work.

(I) You have to go home after completing the group work .

(II) You are allowed to go home after completing the group work .

(III) You are allowed to go home now and complete the group work later .

EXTERNAL RESOURCES

- E – nenapiyasa

https://www.enenapiyasa.lk/lms/pluginfile.php/15190/mod_resource/content/2/Modal%20verbs%20%283%29.pdf

<https://www.enenapiyasa.lk/lms/mod/page/view.php?id=20695>

- You Tube
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BT3JbwlpQxU>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pVOAq9RKErY>

- Books / Magazines

Chinnaiyah , Betram (2016) – STEPS TO MASTERY OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR

Nagasundaram , Parvathi (2018) - GRAMMAR FOR COMMUNICATION , Olanco Press.

LEARNING OUTCOME

- ❖ Use the modal verbs meaningfully .