

### CAN AND COULD

#### A Write R (Request) or S (Service).

- 1 Can you pass me the salt, please?  R
- 2 Can I sit next to you?  R
- 3 Could I offer you something to drink?  S
- 4 Can I make a phone call, Dad?  R
- 5 Could you bring us the check, please?  R
- 6 Could I take your order?  S
- 7 Can I take your jackets, kids?  S

#### B Check (✓) the sentences that you use at a restaurant.

- 1 Can I use your bathroom?
- 2 Can I borrow your pencil?
- 3 Could you bring me the menu, please?
- 4 Can we sit at a bigger table, Mom?
- 5 Could I offer you something else to drink?
- 6 Can you help me with this?
- 7 Could you bring me more sauce, please?

#### C Put the conversation in order.

- 2  **Woman:** Thank you. Could we have a table for two, please?
- 8  **Man:** Thank you.
- 3  **Host:** Sure! Follow me, please. Your waiter will be here in a moment.
- 9  **Woman:** Can you pass me the menu, please?
- 11  **Woman:** I don't know, let me see...
- 6  **Man:** Me too, please.
- 1  **Host:** Welcome to *El Tabasqueño*!

- 4  **Waiter:** Good afternoon. I will be your waiter. Could I offer you something to drink?
- 7  **Waiter:** Of course! I'll bring your drinks right away. In the meantime, here is the menu.
- 5  **Woman:** Yes, please. I want soda with ice.
- 10  **Man:** Sure, here it is. What do you want to order?

#### D Circle the correct option.

- 1 **Juan:** Brother, can / could I borrow your T-shirt?  
**Pedro:** Sure.
- 2 **Raúl:** Mario, could / can you give me the ball?  
**Mario:** Here it is!
- 3 **Boy:** Could / Can you tell me where the bathrooms are, sir?  
**Waiter:** Sure. Go down the hall.
- 4 **Host:** Can / Could you come this way, miss?  
**Lady:** Of course, thank you.
- 5 **Lore:** Excuse me, could / can you tell me where the museum is?  
**Policeman:** Sure. Walk down the street...
- 6 **Mariana:** Anto, can / could you pass me the book?  
**Anto:** Sure!
- 7 **Oliver:** Good morning teacher. Can / Could you help me with this new lesson, please?  
**Teacher:** Of course!

**E Complete the conversation with *can* or *could*.**

**Waiter:** Welcome to Queen Salads!

**Woman:** Thank you very much.

**Waiter:** Can I get you anything?

**Man:** Yes, please. We would like two lemonades to start.

**Waiter:** Sure, I'll be right back.

**Woman:** Can we share an appetizer, please? I really want some mashed potatoes.

**Man:** Sure, we can even share two appetizers.

**Woman:** Thanks! Then we could order the mashed potatoes and the guacamole.

**Waiter:** Can I take your order?

**Woman:** Yes, please. We would like the mashed potatoes and the guacamole for appetizers.

Could you please bring us some chips?

**Waiter:** Of course!

**F Write the request for the response.**

1 **A:** Can I go to the movies?

**B:** Yes, you can go to the movies.

2 **A:** Can I use your Internet connection?

**B:** Sure. You can use my Internet connection.

3 **A:** Can I watch TV?

**B:** You can watch TV.

4 **A:** Can I eat hamburgers today?

**B:** Yes. You can eat hamburgers today.

5 **A:** Can I take your order?

**B:** Yes. I want to order fish and chips.

6 **A:** Could you bring us more bread, please?

**B:** Sure, more bread coming.

7 **A:** Could you bring me a glass of water, please?

**B:** Of course. Do you want ice in your water?

**G Write seven sentences using *can* or *could*, depending on the context.**

1 To ask your teacher a question

Answers may vary.

2 To ask for something at the table

Answers may vary.

3 To ask something to the doctor

Answers may vary.

4 To ask a favor from a friend

Answers may vary.

5 To ask for something at a restaurant

Answers may vary.

6 To ask for directions to a stranger

Answers may vary.

7 To offer some service to a client

Answers may vary.

**H Look at the food items and write a conversation between a customer and a waiter.**

<b>Soups:</b> tomato or tortilla	<b>Dessert:</b> cake or pudding
<b>Main course:</b> grilled fish or stir-fried vegetables	
<b>Drink:</b> water or soda	

Answers may vary.

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### SHOULD, SHOULDN'T, MUST, AND CAN'T / MUST NOT

**A Check (✓) the sentences that give an advice or express a suggestion.**

- 1 You shouldn't take medicine with beer.
- 2 Don't push the red button.
- 3 You should listen to your friends' advice.
- 4 Visitors can't feed animals at the zoo.
- 5 Bring me that bag, please.
- 6 I must study for my exam.
- 7 Doctors must take care of their patients.

**B Check (✓) the sentences that express an action that is not permitted.**

- 1 Lina shouldn't take that tea every day.
- 2 I must study for tomorrow's exam.
- 3 Students must not be late for school.
- 4 People can't smoke in non-smoking areas.
- 5 She must practice piano every day.
- 6 Men don't have to wear a tie in our office.
- 7 Mariana must bring candies for tomorrow.

**C Circle the correct option.**

- 1 We should / shouldn't eat healthy food to reduce the risk of getting a disease.
- 2 You should to / should stay calm in stressful situations so you can take good decisions.
- 3 I should / must call my grandparents more frequently.
- 4 Cars must / can't park in front of the main entrance.

- 5 You should / shouldn't ride your bike without wearing a helmet.
- 6 All passengers must / should wear seat belt.
- 7 Should I walk / to walk the dogs before studying for tomorrow's exam?

**D Complete the paragraph with must or mustn't.**

**Brigadier:** Hello! Let's talk about what to do in an earthquake. First, you (1) must keep calm. When the alarm sounds, fall back to the walls marked as safe zones. Once the alarm is off, you (2) must evacuate using the stairs. You (3) can't / must not run or push. Next, listen to the brigadiers. You (4) must follow all their instructions. Finally, wait in the assigned area until brigadiers allow you to come back.

**E Complete the conversation with should or shouldn't.**

**Luna:** (1) I won't accept the invitation.

I shouldn't go to the party.

**Diego:** Why do you think you (2) shouldn't go?

**Luna:** Hmm...It might be a bad idea because

I (3) should study for tomorrow's test.

**Diego:** You have studied hard the whole week.

Maybe you (4) should have some fun.

**Luna:** You're right. I (5) shouldn't be so hard on myself.

**Diego:** That's right, you (6) should go.

**Luna:** Thank you! You (7) should come too. Let's go. I want to dance!

**F Circle the mistakes.**

- 1 You must bring flammable things near fire.
- 2 She should asks for help if she's having trouble with English.
- 3 She must not to lift heavy things after the surgery.
- 4 You should't take more pills than the doctor indicated.
- 5 I must to ask for help. I don't understand math.
- 6 She should is in the soccer team. She's a really good player.
- 7 He musts walk the dog every day.

**G Rewrite sentences in Activity F correctly.**

- 1 You can't / must not bring flammable things near fire.
- 2 She should ask for help if she's having trouble with English.
- 3 She can't / must not lift heavy things after the surgery.
- 4 You shouldn't take more pills than the doctor indicated.
- 5 I must ask for help. I don't understand math.
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**H Imagine that you're going to travel to Japan. Write sentences with *must* and *can't* / *must not* or *should* / *shouldn't* using the following ideas.**

- Use a map
- Look after my money
- Enjoy the trip
- Go out alone when it's late
- Buy expensive souvenirs
- Lose my passport
- Ask a policeman if you are lost

- 1 Answers may vary.
- 2 Answers may vary.
- 3 Answers may vary.
- 4 Answers may vary.
- 5 Answers may vary.
- 6 Answers may vary.
- 7 Answers may vary.

### WANT AND WOULD LIKE

#### A Write F (Formal) or I (Informal).

- 1 Would you like a cup of tea? F
- 2 Do you want to come to the party? I
- 3 I want some tacos. I
- 4 She would like a glass of water, please. F
- 5 He wants to buy a new T-shirt. I
- 6 Would you like to try another pair of shoes?  
F
- 7 Which dress do you want to try on? I

#### B Match the questions to their answer.

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| 1 Would you like something to drink?       | a I need a new pair of jeans.       |
| 2 Do you want to go to the football match? | b Of course. I love chess.          |
| 3 Would you like to join the chess club?   | c Yes, please. In size four.        |
| 4 Would she like some dessert?             | d Yes, I want to go.                |
| 5 Does he want a new computer?             | e Some water would be fine, please. |
| 6 Would you like to see those shoes?       | f Yes, she would.                   |
| 7 What do you want to buy?                 | g Yes, he needs one.                |

#### C Circle the correct option.

- 1 I want / would like some more cake, please.
- 2 I would like / want to see these shoes in a bigger size, please.
- 3 Does / Do she want to come with us?
- 4 Would / Does you like more water, sir?

- 5 Does he wants / want to see the ballet?
- 6 She wants / would to go to the mall, Dad.
- 7 What do you would like / want to see first, Juan?

#### D Complete the sentences with want or would like.

- 1 I would like to buy this video game, please.
- 2 He would like to see this shirt in a different color, please.
- 3 Sara said she wanted to go for pizza.
- 4 Do you want to play football?
- 5 Do you want to go swimming, Ernesto?
- 6 Would you like something to drink, young lady?
- 7 She wants a new dress, Mom.

#### E Find the mistakes in the sentences and rewrite them correctly.

- 1 She would likes some more wine.  
She would like some more wine.
- 2 I want talk to him.  
I want to talk to him.
- 3 Do Mario want to go to the movies?  
Does Mario want to go to the movies?
- 4 I would to try on the blue jeans, please.  
I would like to try on the blue jeans, please.
- 5 Would you want some more dessert?  
Do you want some more dessert?
- 6 I would want a new pair of boots, Julia.  
I want a new pair of boots, Julia.
- 7 Laura like some more water, please.  
Laura would like some more water, please.

### F Put the words in order to make sentences.

- 1 I / like / to / would / for / pay / these jeans / .  
I would like to pay for these jeans.
- 2 you / Do / want / to / with us / study / ?  
Do you want to study with us?
- 3 wants / He / a / new calculator / .  
He wants a new calculator.
- 4 some / She / like / would / bread, / more / please / .  
She would like some more bread, please.
- 5 Would / like / to / you / to / with / the zoo / come / us / ?  
Would you like to come with us to the zoo?
- 6 like / I / to / see / sneakers / these / would / blue, / in / please / .  
I would like to see these sneakers in blue, please.
- 7 our / spring collection / like / to / see / Would / you / ?  
Would you like to see our spring collection?

### G Rewrite the sentences into formal or informal.

- 1 I want to pay for this.  
I would like to pay for this.
- 2 Would you like to pay in cash?  
Do you want to pay in cash?
- 3 She wants to go to Mr. Burgers.  
She would like to go to Mr. Burgers.
- 4 I would like some soda, please.  
I want some soda.
- 5 Do you want anything else for dinner?  
Would you like anything else for dinner?

- 6 I would like to see those jeans, please.  
I want to see those jeans.
- 7 Manuel wants to buy a new computer.  
Manuel would like to buy a new computer.
- 8 The waiter would like to take our order.  
The waiter wants to take our order.
- 9 I want a burger with fries, please.  
I would like a burger with fries, please.
- 10 We want to see those shoes in red.  
We would like to see those shoes in red, please

### H Write eight sentences using the cues.

- 1 Inviting a friend to the movies  
Answers may vary.
- 2 A waitress offering more salad  
Answers may vary.
- 3 Choosing dishes at a restaurant  
Answers may vary.
- 4 Buying things in a store  
Answers may vary.
- 5 Offering help to your brother  
Answers may vary.
- 6 Asking for a piece of clothing in a store  
Answers may vary.
- 7 Talking to a friend about something you will buy  
Answers may vary.
- 8 Asking a store assistant to see some T-shirts  
Answers may vary.