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Grammar videos: Modals of deduction – exercises



Watch the video on our website and read the conversation between Sophie and Nur. Then do these exercises to check your understanding of modals of deduction.



1.	Check	vour	grammar:	matching
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Draw a line to match the sentences that have the same meaning.

- 1. I'm sure that's Katie. o a. That must have been Katie.
- 2. I'm sure that isn't Katie. o b. That girl must be Katie.
- 3. It's possible that it's Katie. o c. It might not be Katie.
- 4. Maybe that isn't Katie. o d. That girl can't be Katie.
- 5. I'm certain that wasn't Katie. o o e. It may be Katie.
- 6. Perhaps that was Katie. o f. It can't have been Katie.
- 7. It was definitely Katie. o g. It could have been Katie.

2. Check your grammar: gap fill

Write a modal verb to fill the gaps.

1.	She's won prizes for her research. She be really intelligent.		
2.	I'd take an umbrella if I were you. It looks like it	rain.	
3.	It be him. He's on holiday until next we	eek.	
4.	Hey guess what?! I be getting a car fo yet though.	r my birthday! It's not completely definite	
5.	I can't believe you've been waiting all this time! You	be really bored.	
6.	His car's not here. He have gone out.		
7.	Look how much sugar and salt it's got in it! It	be good for you.	
8.	Have you looked next to your computer? I think you	have left your keys there.	

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	neck your grammar: error correction ct and write these sentences on the line below.
1.	It mays be him. He's about that height.
2.	You could to be right. Let's check on the internet.
3.	It's six o'clock. She must have leave work by now.
4.	That can't being them. Their car's yellow.
5.	Joe might be to play football at the moment.
6.	That virus may of come from an app.
7.	This writing is terrible. That can be an 'e', but I'm not sure.
8.	I don't believe it! You can't had failed your exam!

Discussion

What might you have for supper tonight?

Do you think you may visit the UK one day?

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