

Modal Auxiliaries and Driving Carefully

Choose from this list to complete each sentence.

could	ought to	will	could have
might	have to	would	might have
may	must	would have	may have
should	had better	should have	must have

1. Talk about what the sentences mean.
2. Is there more than one way to complete each sentence?
3. Talk about how the meaning of a sentence changes when you choose to complete it another way.
 - Do you most people are safe drivers? Talk about safe driving practices.
 - What causes accidents? Talk about how to avoid an accident.
 - How can we promote safe driving?

1. It is very difficult to see clearly when it is so foggy. The driver _____ be careful. He _____ drive carefully. He _____ drive too fast. If it is not necessary to drive in these conditions, maybe you _____.
2. The driver _____ to be careful because it is dangerous to drive when it is so foggy. Anyone driving in heavy fog _____ be careful if he doesn't want to have an accident. If you don't want to have an accident, you _____ be careful when you drive in heavy fog.

1. It is very foggy. The driver _____ get into an accident if he is not careful.
2. If the driver is not careful he _____ get into an accident.
3. It is dangerous to drive a car when it is so foggy. The driver _____ get into an accident if he is not careful. If he is not careful the driver _____ get into an accident.
4. You _____ get into an accident if you are not careful.
5. If he drives too fast, there is a very good chance that he _____ get into an accident because it is very difficult to see well in such foggy conditions. If he drives carefully, he probably _____ get into an accident.

1. You _____ easily get into an accident if you are driving in heavy fog. If you drive in heavy fog, you _____ be very careful.
2. You _____ easily get into an accident if you are driving in heavy fog. If you drive in heavy fog, you _____ be very careful.
3. If you are driving in heavy fog you _____ be careful or you _____ get into an accident.
4. He _____ drive carefully. If he doesn't, he might get into an accident.
1. He was driving very fast. He _____ had an accident driving in such heavy fog.
2. If the he gets into an accident, it _____ be because he was not careful enough.
3. He got into an accident. He _____ been more careful.
4. He got into an accident. He _____ been driving too fast. He knew he _____ been more careful.
5. He got into an accident. If he _____ more careful, he _____ gotten into an accident.
6. He got into an accident. If he _____ more carefully in the fog, he _____ had an accident.

1. If he it to do over again, he be more careful.
 2. If he another chance, he be so careless.
 3. If he been more careful while he was driving, he be in the hospital now.
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1. She said to him, "If you careful, you get into an accident."
 2. I told you that you get into an accident if you careful.
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1. If he more careful, he avoided having an accident.
 2. If he been more careful, he avoided having an accident.
 3. If he more careful, he avoided having an accident.
 4. If he been more careful, he avoided having an accident.
 5. If he more careful, he had an accident.
 6. If been more careful, he had an accident.
 7. If he more careful, he had an accident.
 8. If he been more careful, he had an accident.
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 2. If he been more careful, he avoided getting into an accident.
 3. If he been more careful, he had an accident.
 4. he been more careful, he avoided having and accident.
 5. he been more careful, he avoided getting into an accident.
 6. he been more careful, he avoided getting into an accident.
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1. I been more careful last night.
 2. I wish I driven more carefully in the fog.
 3. He been more careful.
 4. He wishes that he been more careful while driving in the fog.
 5. She knows he been more careful.
 6. She wishes that he listened to her when she told him that he be careful driving in the fog.
 7. They know he been more careful while he was driving in the fog that night.
 8. They wish that he been more careful when he was driving in the fog that night.
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