

Modal verbs Activity

Modals: verbs that add function or grammatical meaning to a clause to express necessity or possibility

- **Have to, don't have to** (what is required vs what isn't required) (necessity)
- **can't, can** (possibility)
- **Materials:** notecard/or sheet of paper with words on either side

Have a discussion on what your country does for each scenario using the modals

cultural norms in the United States vs native country

Activity Scenarios:

- Can you ride your bike on the sidewalk?
- Do you tip waiters at restaurants?
- Do you pay to use public restrooms?
- Can you eat your lunch at your desk at work?
- Do you have to listen and stay quiet while a teacher or professor is talking?
- Can you arrive late or early for a meeting?
- Do you have to maintain eye contact while talking with someone in public?
- Can you hug old friends you haven't seen for a while in public?
- Can you arrive at any time for a party or dinner with a friend?

Extension

- Have a discussion on what your country does for each scenario