# Year 5 Using Modal Verbs – Guidance for Parents/Carers

## **Activity:**

The aim of this activity is for children to practise using modal verbs. There are three questions to complete. The first two questions allow children to practise the skill, while the third question extends them as they have to apply their learning to get the answer.

# Vocabulary:

A **modal verb** is a type of verb. A modal verb changes and affects the verbs in a sentence by expressing the level of degree, possibility, obligation and permission. For example, it might rain, it will rain, it must rain.

#### Other resources:

If your child enjoyed this activity and wants to try more activities linked to this learning, you can sign up for £4.83 per month on **classroomsecrets.co.uk/membership**.

Check out our daily timetable for Year 5 home learning activities on kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk >> Home Learning Timetable.

### **Using Modal Verbs**

- 1. A = must, B = may, C = ought to, D = should
- 2a. The hotel may have been nicer if it had been redecorated.
- 2b. The policeman will tell us the right direction to go.
- 3a. Katie isn't feeling well so she will stay in bed.
- 3b. After all the planning, it should be the best party ever.