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### ***to be* Verbs and Modal Auxiliary Verbs**

*Fill in the blank with the correct to be verb for agreement in the present tense.*

**Example:** I am tired.

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ excited.
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ nice.
3. You \_\_\_\_\_ ready.
4. They \_\_\_\_\_ smart.
5. You all \_\_\_\_\_ so sweet.
6. The museum \_\_\_\_\_ crowded.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ shy.
8. Type a sentence using a *to be* verb.

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Select the modal auxiliary verb that correctly completes each sentence below. In some cases, there may be more than one possibility, but choose the one you think is best.

**Example:** He \_\_\_\_\_ go to the park tomorrow, but he hasn't made up his mind yet.

  X   might

       could not

       will

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ definitely come by your house next week.

       will

       could

       won't

2. We \_\_\_\_\_ go out for pizza or get sandwiches. We haven't decided yet.

       could

       will

       might

3. Even though they wanted to, it turns out they \_\_\_\_\_ arrive tomorrow.

       could

       will

       won't

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4. You \_\_\_\_\_ do anything you set your mind to doing.

\_\_\_\_\_ can

\_\_\_\_\_ won't

\_\_\_\_\_ could

5. A few years ago, I \_\_\_\_\_ cook anything. Now, I cook all the time.

\_\_\_\_\_ can't

\_\_\_\_\_ couldn't

\_\_\_\_\_ could

6. The store \_\_\_\_\_ be closed tomorrow, so we should check before we try to go there.

\_\_\_\_\_ couldn't

\_\_\_\_\_ won't

\_\_\_\_\_ may

7. I \_\_\_\_\_ roller skate even though I have tried to learn many times.

\_\_\_\_\_ can't

\_\_\_\_\_ may

\_\_\_\_\_ could

8. Type a sentence using a modal auxiliary verb.

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