Here you have the key to the verb tenses and modal verbs exercises. If you have any other options that you think are right, ask us before discarding them. They may be right.

VERB TENSES

- 1)singing
 2) ...was writing....phoned...
 3) ...tidying.....controls....
 4) ...does not often.....is smiling...
 5) ...have you ever ridden.....
 6) ...burnt....was cooking...
- 7) ...have been repairing.....have just finished...
- 8)is looking... is staying
- 9) ...do you clean...
- 10) ...haven't had lunch yet.
- 11) ...dropped... ...was doing..... didn't break.....
- 12) ...has been...
- 13) ...will have left... ...will be living...
- 14) ...have changed... ...saw...
- 15) ...were found and rescued...had sailed / had been sailing ... had sent....
- 16) ...swimming...
- 17) ...had known... moved get.
- 18) ...will be watching...
- 19) ...will you have finished...?
- 20)woke up had already prepared

MODAL VERBS REWRITE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING MODAL VERBS.

- 1. You can't / mustn't stick posters.
- 2. She must be in London.
- 3. You don't have to / needn't bring cakes.
- 4. You didn't have to / needn't have brought
- 5. You don't have /needn't go.
- 6. She didn't have to do the work.
- 7. You don't have to / needn't enter.
- 8. Joe must be lying.
- 9. You can't smoke/ mustn't in this area.
- 10. You should listen carefully.
- 11. He can't be working.
- 12. She doesn't have to / needn't wear gloves.
- 13. He couldn't speak French at the age of 7
- 14. She must have gone to London.
- 15. He may / might / could have left the shop.
- 16. He can't have bought the car,
- 17. You should have phone.
- 18. Eva may / might / could be ill.
- 19. They may / might / could pass the exam.
- 20. You should have made the cake.
- 21. She must have got the job.
- 22. They may / might / could have suggested that.
- 23. She can't have done that.