

**Rewrite these sentences using the words in brackets**

1. It's been a long time since I last saw your little sister (**for**)
  
2. I didn't hear from her for fifteen years. I received her letter (**when**)
  
3. She started studying German six years ago (**been**)
  
4. She studied Russian for twelve years. Then she moved to Russia (**after**)
  
5. The doorbell rang in the middle of our phone conversation (**while**)
  
6. Your cousin's postcard arrived only a few minutes ago (**just**)
  
7. The train left at half past one. They arrived at the train station at twenty-five to two (**before**)
  
8. My intention after finishing the exams is to be in bed for a whole day (**going to**)

### **REWRITE THESE SENTENCES USING MODAL VERBS**

1. I think you worry too much. I wouldn't worry so much, if I were you

2. I'm sure your brother hasn't written that note

3. Peter Parker didn't hear the speaker. The crowd was shouting so loudly

4. I'm sure that she was exhausted after such a long flight

5. I can't find the novel. Perhaps somebody else has borrowed it

6. The book is optional. We can read it if we want to

7. I don't believe he said that nonsense. I 'm certain you are joking

8. I'll let you leave the table once you have finished your meal

9. It's necessary to clean your computer regularly if you want to keep it in good condition

10. He's at home but he doesn't answer the phone. Perhaps he is sleeping

11. They've passed all the exams. I'm sure they've made a great effort

12. It is not compulsory to wear a suit and tie at the graduation party
13. Perhaps Tom took those photos. He had a very good camera
14. It wasn't necessary for us to take a taxi to the hotel. Sarah gave us a lift
15. Perhaps we will go to the cinema tomorrow evening
16. Can you smell that? I'm certain somebody is baking a cake
17. It's a pity you didn't see the film last night
18. I can hear Sally singing. Perhaps she is working in the garden
19. There's a possibility that the restaurant won't accept credit cards
20. Smoking near hospitals is prohibited in Spain

## **Relative clauses**

The Town Hall will cut down the old trees in the park. Some of the old trees were damaged by the storm

The students left the museum before the end of the tour. Many of the students had been rude to the guide