Reported Speech with Modal Verbs

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1. Choose the best answer.

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1. Choose.
   Choices: She said she could help. / She said she can help. / She said she cans help.

   Answer: _____

2. Choose.
   Choices: He said I had to go. / He said I must to go. / He said I have to went.

   Answer: _____

3. Which modal does not change?
   Choices: should / will / can

   Answer: _____

4. Choose.
   Choices: She said it might rain. / She said it may rained. / She said it mights rain.

   Answer: _____

2. Complete the sentence.

Write one or two words.

1. “I’ll call you.” -> He said he ___ call me.

2. “I can swim.” -> She said she ___ swim.

3. “You must wear a helmet.” -> He said I ___ to wear a helmet.

4. “You should rest.” -> The doctor said I ___ rest.

3. Your turn.

Write your own answers.

1. Report: “We can’t come tomorrow.”

3. Your turn. (continued)

2. Report: “I may be late.”

3. Report: “You ought to apologise.”