



## ‘Can / Could / Will be able to’ For Ability

Choose ‘can / can’t / could / couldn’t / will be able to / won’t be able to’.

1. In a few years, you \_\_\_\_\_ (play) the violin.
2. Julia \_\_\_\_\_ (play) chess when she was five.
3. He \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) Japanese. (now)
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) English really well. (now)
5. Before the end of the year, you \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a conversation in Spanish.
6. He \_\_\_\_\_ cook really well. (now)
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not / play) the piano. (now)
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not / drive) a car. (now)
9. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not / ski) until she was an adult.
10. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not / pass) the exam next week.
11. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (not / sing) when he was a child.
12. She \_\_\_\_\_ (ride) a bike when she was tiny.
13. At the end of next week, I \_\_\_\_\_ (write) a simple app.
14. He \_\_\_\_\_ (not / write) code. (now)
15. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not / swim). (now)
16. \_\_\_\_\_ (you / play) tennis when you were a child?
17. He \_\_\_\_\_ (not / count) when he was a baby!
18. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not / speak) German until last year.
19. She \_\_\_\_\_ (read) when she was four.
20. The children \_\_\_\_\_ (make) breakfast. (now)



## ‘Can’ and ‘Could’ For Requests

Change the sentences so that they include ‘can’ or ‘could’.

1. Polite request: I want to have some coffee.

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2. Polite request: I want to sit here.

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3. Polite request: I want to stay with you.

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4. Informal request: I want you to pick up the children.

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5. Polite request: I want you to pick up the children.

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6. Polite request: I want you to come over later.

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7. Informal request: I want you to give me a hand.

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8. Informal request: I want you to pass me the salt.

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9. Informal request: I want you to come over later.

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10. Informal request: I want to use your pen.

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11. Informal request: I want to borrow some money.

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12. Polite request: I want you to give me a hand.

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13. Polite request: I want you to buy some milk.

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14. Informal request: I want you to buy some milk.

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15. Informal request: I want to have some coffee.

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16. Polite request: I want you to pass me the salt.

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17. Polite request: I want to use your pen.

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18. Informal request: I want to sit here.

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19. Informal request: I want to stay with you.

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20. Polite request: I want to borrow some money.

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## Requests With 'Can' and 'Could' With Short Answers

Write the short answer.

1. A: Can you give me a hand? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A: Can you come over later? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
3. A: Could you give me a hand? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
4. A: Could you come over later? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
5. A: Can I sit here? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
6. A: Could you pick up the children? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
7. A: Could I borrow some money? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
8. A: Could I sit here? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
9. A: Can I stay with you? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
10. A: Could I have some coffee? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
11. A: Can I borrow some money? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
12. A: Can you pass me the salt? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
13. A: Could you buy some milk? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
14. A: Can you buy some milk? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
15. A: Can you pick up the children? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
16. A: Could you pass me the salt? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
17. A: Can I have some coffee? B: Yes, \_\_\_\_\_.
18. A: Can I use your pen? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
19. A: Could I stay with you? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.
20. A: Could I use your pen? B: No, \_\_\_\_\_.



### **‘Can / Could / Will be able to’ For Ability Answers:**

1. In a few years, you will be able to play the violin.
2. Julia could play chess when she was five.
3. He can speak Japanese.
4. He can speak English really well.
5. Before the end of the year, you will be able to have a conversation in Spanish.
6. He can cook really well.
7. I can't play the piano.
8. I can't drive a car.
9. She couldn't ski until she was an adult.
10. They won't be able to pass the exam next week.
11. My father couldn't sing when he was a child.
12. She could ride a bike when she was tiny.
13. At the end of next week, I will be able to write a simple app.
14. He can't write code.
15. They can't swim.
16. Could you play tennis when you were a child?
17. He couldn't count when he was a baby!
18. I couldn't speak German until last year.
19. She could read when she was four.
20. The children can make breakfast.



### **‘Can’ and ‘Could’ For Requests Answers:**

1. Could I have some coffee?
2. Could I sit here?
3. Could I stay with you?
4. Can you pick up the children?
5. Could you pick up the children?
6. Could you come over later?
7. Can you give me a hand?
8. Can you pass me the salt?
9. Can you come over later?
10. Can I use your pen?
11. Can I borrow some money?
12. Could you give me a hand?
13. Could you buy some milk?
14. Can you buy some milk?
15. Can I have some coffee?
16. Could you pass me the salt?
17. Could I use your pen?
18. Can I sit here?
19. Can I stay with you?
20. Could I borrow some money?



## **Requests With ‘Can’ and ‘Could’ With Short Answers, Answers:**

1. A: Can you give me a hand? B: No, I can't.
2. A: Can you come over later? B: Yes, I can.
3. A: Could you give me a hand? B: Yes, I can.
4. A: Could you come over later? B: No, I can't.
5. A: Can I sit here? B: Yes, you can.
6. A: Could you pick up the children? B: Yes, I can.
7. A: Could I borrow some money? B: No, you can't.
8. A: Could I sit here? B: Yes, you can.
9. A: Can I stay with you? B: No, you can't.
10. A: Could I have some coffee? B: Yes, you can.
11. A: Can I borrow some money? B: Yes, you can.
12. A: Can you pass me the salt? B: No, I can't.
13. A: Could you buy some milk? B: No, I can't.
14. A: Can you buy some milk? B: Yes, I can.
15. A: Can you pick up the children? B: No, I can't.
16. A: Could you pass me the salt? B: Yes, I can.
17. A: Can I have some coffee? B: Yes, you can.
18. A: Can I use your pen? B: No, you can't.
19. A: Could I stay with you? B: No, you can't.
20. A: Could I use your pen? B: No, you can't.