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### WOULD + INFINITIVE

I **would live** on the coast.  
He **would have** a new computer.  
We **would phone** her.

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Contraction:

would = 'd

I 'd choose a red blouse.

She'd go to work by bus.

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Negative sentences:

wouldn't = would not

I **wouldn't** like to smoke.  
They **wouldn't** get up early.

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Questions:

would + subject + infinitive ...?

**Would** you **like** to have a drink?  
Where **would** the dog **go**?

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Short answers:

Would you do it for me? **Yes, I would.**

Would they speak in public?  
**No, they wouldn't.**

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### OTHER USES OF "WOULD"

USES:

a) Making offers and invitations.

**Would** you **like** some more coffee?

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### OTHER USES OF "WOULD"

USES:

b) Expressing desires and requests formally.

**I'd like** some cake.  
**Would** you **open** the window, please?

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### OTHER USES OF "WOULD"

USES:

c) Expressing the future of a past action.

She said (that) she **would make** a decision.

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USES:

d) Expressing typical behavior in the past.

Her grandmother **would listen** to that song for hours.

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Vocabulary: NATURAL DISASTERS

avalanche	hurricane
lightning	tornado
landslide	flood
drought	thunder
storm	heat wave
tsunami	blizzard
earthquake	

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Vocabulary: NATURAL DISASTERS

Examples:

What would you do in case of flood?

The experts said that there would be a tsunami after the earthquake.

**Tweet Break!**

During the Great Depression, a series of hydroelectric dams were constructed along the Columbia river as part of a project to increase the production of electricity. This culminated in 1941 with the completion of the Grand Coulee Dam, the largest dam in the United States.

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## Tweet Break!

- The original Barbie is from Willows, Wisconsin. Barbie's full name is Barbie Millicent Roberts.
- Texas professional sports teams include the Dallas Cowboys, Dallas Mavericks, Dallas Stars, Houston Astros, Houston Comets, Houston Rockets, San Antonio Spurs, and Texas Rangers.
- The faces of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt, and Abraham Lincoln are sculpted into Mount Rushmore, South Dakota, the world's greatest mountain carving.
- Originally Indian territory, the state of Oklahoma was opened to settlers in a "Land Rush" in 1889. On a given date, prospective settlers would be allowed into the territory to claim plots of land by grabbing the stakes marking each plot. A few of these settlers entered to claim land before the official start of the land run; these cheaters were called "Sooners".
- In 1982 Rutland, North Dakota, hosted what was considered the grand daddy of all celebrations when the town went into the "Guinness Book of World Records" with the cooking and eating of the world's largest hamburger. That year, between 8 and 10 thousand people came to sample the tasty 3591 pound burger.

Completar los diálogos con el verbo modal más adecuado.

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**EJERCICIOS**

**1** Which jacket ..... I take?  
I ..... take the brown one.

- a. would, should
- b. can, could
- c. should, would

**3** .....you do that for me?

- a. Will
- b. Should
- c. Might

**2** I'm sure he ..... dance  
with you but he .....

- a. must, will
- b. may, would
- c. would, can't

**4** We ..... stay  
in this city for some more  
days if we didn't have to work.

- a. would
- b. will
- c. can

**Señalar la opción correcta.**

- 5**
- a. My daughter may be twenty-seven in November.
  - b. My daughter will be twenty-seven in November.
  - c. My daughter can be twenty-seven in November.

- 6**
- a. Do we go to the pub?  
That's a good idea!
  - b. Would we go to the pub?  
That's a good idea!
  - c. Shall we go to the pub?  
That's a good idea!





### Señalar la opción correcta.

- 7 a. He was working all night long. He'd be tired the next day.  
b. He was working all night long. He may be tired the next day.  
c. He was working all night long. He can't be tired the next day.
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- 8 a. Our teacher can repeat the same things for hours. Those classes were boring.  
b. Our teacher should repeat the same things for hours. Those classes were boring.  
c. Our teacher would repeat the same things for hours. Those classes were boring.
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- 9 a. I won't be back early if I didn't take a cab.  
b. I wouldn't be back early if I didn't take a cab.  
c. I shouldn't be back early if I took a cab.
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- 10 a. He has a fortune. What would he do with all that money?  
b. He has a fortune. What could he do with all that money?  
c. He has a fortune. What did he do with all that money?



**Soluciones:** 1.- c) should, would 2.- c) would, can't 3.- a) Will 4.- a) would 5.- b) My daughter will be twenty-seven in November. 6.- c) Shall we go to the pub? That's a good idea! 7.- a) He was working all night long. He'd be tired the next day. 8.- c) Our teacher would repeat the same things for hours. Those classes were boring. 9.- b) I wouldn't be back early if I didn't take a cab. 10.- b) He has a fortune. What could he do with all that money?