#### Modal verbs for speculation -

## модальные глаголы для выражения предположений и догадок

## Как выразить предположение о достоверности фактов в настоящем

must		
Might		
may	+	infinitive
could		
can't		

He **must come** from Norway. (I'm certain) He **might / may / could be** an illegal immigrant. (it's possible)

# Как выразить предположение о достоверности фактов в прошлом

- must might may + have + Past Participle could can't couldn't
- He must have been in the sea. (I'm certain)
- He **might/ may/could have lost** his passport. (it was possible)
- He can't/ couldn't have lost his memory. (I'm certain it was impossible)



Отрицательная форма для must будет can't.

#### Примеры:

- He can't (<del>mustn't</del>) be French.
- He started work five minutes ago. He **can't** (mustn't) have finished already!

#### Стр.33 упр.5

Complete the sentences. Use *might/could/may* and the correct form of the verbs.

- 1. Where is Jacob? He's not in his room.
- A. He might/may/could be upstairs.
- B. He might/may/could have gone to the gym.

- 2. I wonder why Monica speaks such good French?
- A. She **might/may/could** have grown up in France.
- B. She might/may/could still be having lessons.

- 3. Why is Paul in such a bad mood?
- A. He **might/may/could** have received some bad news.
- B. He **might/may/could** be tired.

#### Стр.33 упр.6\*

Complete the sentences with *must, can't couldn't* and the correct form of the verb in brackets.

### I phoned them last night but no one answered. They **must** be out.

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2. You can't/couldn't have seen her at the station – she was at home with me!

# 4. What happened to sentence 3?They must have forgottenabout it!

5. He lost his job and then his father died – it can't/couldn't have been an easy time for him.

6. You're going out with
Victoria? You can't be serious!
In fact, you must be mad!

# 7. He **can't be** hungry – he's just had lunch!