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Grade 6 English HL · Language Practice · Paper 9

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Source: Language Practice -- Grade 6 English Home Language (Term 2) · Topic: why we need to sleep

Questions [22 marks]

1. Fill in the modal verb: Mpho _____ stay up late because she has school tomorrow. (must/may/could) **(1)**

2. Identify the modal verb in this sentence: "Aryan might sleep for eight hours tonight." What does this modal express -- ability, permission, or possibility? **(1)**

3. Add a relative clause to complete the sentence: The girl _____ needs extra rest after the long journey. (who/which/that) **(2)**

4. Rewrite in reported speech with tense backshift: Liezel said, "I must get more sleep to concentrate better." **(2)**

5. Choose the correct modal: Teachers _____ encourage learners to sleep well because it helps their brains develop. (should/could/might) **(1)**

6. Combine using a relative clause: Nomsa is tired. She played netball all afternoon. Write as one sentence. **(2)**

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7. Fill in the modal: Tinyiko _____ not study after midnight if she wants to feel rested tomorrow. (would/could/should) **(1)**

8. Identify and explain: In the sentence "You can improve your memory with proper sleep," what does the modal verb "can" show -- obligation, ability, or prohibition? **(2)**

9. Add a relative clause with "who" or "which": The sleep expert _____ explained why teenagers need nine hours of sleep. **(2)**

10. Rewrite using reported speech: Kyle told his friend, "I might sleep better if I put my phone away." **(2)**

11. Write one sentence using both a modal verb and a relative clause: Priya, _____ loves science, says we _____ understand that REM sleep _____ essential for dreaming. **(3)**

12. Explain the difference in meaning between these two sentences. Use full sentences in your answer. "Students should sleep early" and "Students might sleep early." **(3)**

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