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Over my dead body!

- Modal verbs – present and past
- Past probability – active and passive
- Expressions with *heart, head and hand*
- Body idioms
- Verbs + prepositions
- Rhymes and limericks

Language focus

Modal verbs – present and past

1 Rewrite the sentences to make them refer to the past.

1 I must read *Richard III* before my course begins.

I had to read *Richard III* before my course began.

2 I have to take the pills three times a day.

_____ when I was ill.

3 They must be away on holiday.

_____ when you called.

4 We can't have a lunch break – there's too much to do!

_____ yesterday.

5 He can't be a millionaire.

_____ because he died poor.

6 We mustn't shout in the classroom.

_____ when I was at school.

7 He won't go to bed.

_____ last night.

8 That will be the postman at the door.

Who was ringing the doorbell?

9 You should be more careful.

_____. You broke the vase.

10 He could help with the washing-up for a change.

_____, but he didn't.

Modal verbs of probability

2 Make sentences from the table. Complete each sentence in two different ways.

can	+	see the fjords have seen the fjords
will		
may		
might		
would		
could		

If you go to Norway, you ...

1 _____

2 _____

If you went to Norway, you ...

1 _____

2 _____

If you'd gone to Norway, you ...

1 _____

2 _____

