**Learning Objective**

We are learning how to write sentences that include modal verbs and adverbs to show degrees of possibility.

**Challenge 1**

**Highlight the modal verb in each of the following sentences. Put them in order from the most likely to happen to the least likely to happen. (*The first has been done for you.)***



Arctic wolves must be able to tolerate extremely cold temperatures.

Arctic wolves might occasionally live alone.

Arctic wolves can live for up to 20 years in captivity.

Arctic wolves should hunt in packs in order to be successful predators.

Arctic wolves will usually live for up to 7 years in the wild.

**Challenge 2**

**Complete the following paragraph by filling in the gaps with appropriate modal verbs and modal adverbs.**

**Modal verbs include can, could, might, must, would, should, ought to, may, shall, will**

***(Remember that many modal verbs can also be used in their negative form.)***

**Modal adverbs include usually, probably, possibly, always, occasionally, surely, always, generally, often, never, certainly, perhaps, definitely.**

Arctic wolves \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be found in extremely cold climates in Canada, Greenland and Alaska. As well as the low temperatures, these fascinating creatures \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tolerate long months of darkness. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live in packs of 5 to 7 members although \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live alone. Being carnivorous, they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hunt together in order to be able to kill large prey as a grown Arctic wolf \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ consume over 10kg of meat per meal. In the wild, Arctic wolves \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live up to 10 years although, in captivity, they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live for up to 20 years.

**Challenge 3**

**Write your own short article for a magazine or webpage, introducing the Arctic wolf to readers who have never heard about it before.**

**Try to include as many modal verbs, modal adverbs and descriptive words from the Word Wall.**



**Word Wall**

shall

must

will

might

could

can

curious

untamed

protective

wild

timid

carnivorous

perhaps

possibly

often

snow wolf

usually

would