

can, can't, could, or couldn't - ANSWERS

PART 1

1. Penguins ___can___ swim very well.
2. I ___can___ run very fast when I was younger.
3. It's snowing, so we ___can't___ go out now.
4. Yesterday we ___couldn't___ play tennis, it was raining too much.
5. ___Could___ you play the piano when you were seven?
6. You have a nice bicycle. ___can___ you ride it?
7. He has a broken leg, so he ___can't___ walk for a few days.
8. I ___couldn't___ sleep last night.
9. We came as fast as we ___could___ .
10. Why are you crying? Is there something I ___can___ do for you?

PART 2

1. You ___can't___ park here. It's prohibited.
2. Sam ___couldn't___ go to the party because he was too busy.
3. He hasn't got a racket, so he ___couldn't___ play tennis.
4. ___Could___ you ride a bike when you were young?
5. Pamela is a ballerina, so she ___can___ dance very well.
6. They ___couldn't___ see the lunar eclipse yesterday, it was cloudy.
7. ___Can___ you drive a car?
8. I looked everywhere but I ___couldn't___ find my keys.
9. ___Could___ dinosaurs fly?
10. Are you hungry? You ___can___ eat a banana if you want.

PART 3

1. James ___couldn't___ use a computer before he went on a IT course.
2. Emily is from the USA. She ___can___ speak English.
3. ___Could___ they play basketball when they were at school?
4. Timothy ___can't___ go to the park with you. He's preparing for his exam.
5. My brother is a mechanic. He ___can___ fix your car.
6. I forgot your phone number so I ___couldn't___ call you yesterday.
7. ___Could___ you drive a car when you were sixteen?
8. ___Can___ I talk to you?
9. I ___can't___ find the keys. Where have you put them?
10. What is on that sign? I ___can't___ see it very well.
11. I'm sorry that we ___couldn't___ come to your party yesterday.
12. She ___can't___ help you with your project. You have to do it yourself.
13. You ___can't___ go to the cinema because you haven't cleaned your room yet.
14. Lilly ___could___ read when she was four years old.
15. ___Could___ you swim when you were seven?