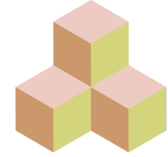


Can



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Subject + can + present form verb + noun / noun phrase

Time Chunk

Location Chunk

We use this to talk about ability.

Positive

I can speak Japanese.

I can go to the bank tomorrow.

Negative

I can not read Chinese.

We can't take this bus.

Questions

Can you cook?

Can he hear that sound?

'Can' for future events

I can watch a film with you tonight.

= I have the ability to watch a film with you tonight.

Can you take Thomas to school at 9 o'clock?

= Do you have the ability to take Thomas to school at 9 o'clock?