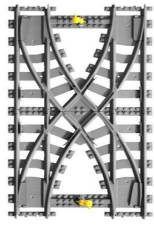


Capacité



Possibilité



Permission



I can swim.

You can go
or you can stay.

You cannot play!



To be able to

To be possible
for XXX to do
something

To be allowed to

être capable de
savoir comment

avoir la possibilité de

être autorisé à

I was able to
swim.It was possible
for me to go or
stay.You were not
allowed to play.

I can sing.

I cannot sing - I can't sing.

Can I sing?

Can't I sing?

What **can** I do?

Que puis-je faire?

How **can** I help you Sir?

Comment puis-je vous aider Monsieur?

You **can** go to the beach or you **can** take a nap.

Tu peux aller à la plage ou tu peux faire une sieste.

Yes, you **can** drive my car tonight.

Oui, tu peux conduire ma voiture ce soir.

No, you **cannot** drive, you are drunk!

Non, tu ne peux pas conduire, tu es saoul!

Yesterday, he **wasn't able to** fall asleep.

Hier, il n'a pas pu s'endormir.

It hasn't **been possible** for us **to** see him.

Il ne nous a pas été possible de le voir.

Tomorrow, I will **be allowed to** go to the party.

Demain, je serai autorisé à aller à la fête.

I can't go to school, there is a T-Rex outside!

Impossibilité.

I can't go to Larry's party
because I am grounded.

Absence de permission.

to be grounded : être privé.e de sortie



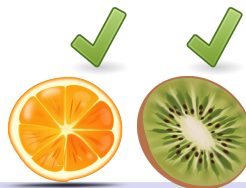
Well... I can!

Permission.



I can't walk.

Incapacité.

You can eat an orange
or you can eat a kiwi fruit.

Possibilité.



I can climb mountains!

Capacité.

