

# Woulda, Coulda, Shoulda

## French

“Woulda” (I would have done something). Use past conditional of main verb.

J'aurais fait mes devoirs.  
(I—would have—done—my—homework)

“Coulda” (I could have done something). Use past conditional of *pouvoir* + infinitive of main verb.

J'aurais pu faire mes devoirs.  
(I—would have—been able to—do—my—homework)

“Shoulda” (I should have done something). Use past conditional of *devoir* + infinitive of main verb.

J'aurais dû faire mes devoirs.  
(I—would have—been supposed to—do—my—homework)

## German

“Woulda” (I would have done something). Use past conditional of main verb.

Ich hätte meine Aufgabe gemacht.  
(I—would have—my—homework—done)

“Coulda” (I could have done something). Use past conditional of *können* + infinitive of main verb (making a double infinitive).

Ich hätte meine Aufgabe machen können.  
(I—would have—my homework—do—can)

“Shoulda” (I would have done something). Use past conditional of *sollen* + infinitive of main verb (making a double infinitive).

Ich hätte meine Aufgabe machen sollen.  
(I—would have—my homework—do—be supposed to)