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POLITE

I would appreciate it if **you could** *e-mail me the file.*

Would it be possible (for you) to *e-mail me the file?*

I was wondering if you could e-mail me the file.

Do you think you could *e-mail me the file?*

Would you mind *e-mailing* me the file?

Would / Could you *e-mail me the file?*

Can you *e-mail me the file?*

I'd like you to *e-mail me the file?* (gentle order)

Please *e-mail me the file.* (order)

SAYING YES

SAYING NO

POLITE

- Certainly.

- I'm sorry, I'd rather not.

- Of course **(not)**.

- I'm sorry, I can't.

- **Not at all.**

- I'm afraid I can't.

CASUAL / NEUTRAL

- Sure.

- **Yes, I mind (strong)**

- No problem.

- **No (strong)**

- **No, I don't mind.**