

Welcome



The 13th of November



Answer the question:

If a classmate asked you for the answer to a question during an exam while the teacher was not looking, what would you do?

Conditional Sentences

- **express possible or desired action.**



Look at the following examples and fill in the chart:

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 - *Ok, if I find it, I shall tell you.*
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- *If I were you, I wouldn't do it.*
- *If I had known you were in hospital, I would have gone to visit you. (The real situation was that he **didn't know** that he was in hospital).*

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First Conditional (I conditional)			
Second Conditional (II conditional)			
Third Conditional (III conditional)			

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E.g.: - I think I left my watch at your house.

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Second Conditional.

Type of the conditional sentence	What kind of possibility expresses?	Formula
Second Conditional	expresses unreal or imagined action related to present or future .	If ...(Past Simple), I ... (Future-in-the-past).

Second Conditional

E.g.: If I knew his number, I would call him.

(but the real situation is that she doesn't know his number now).

E.g.: If I were you, I wouldn't do it.

(were is used for all person).

Third Conditional.

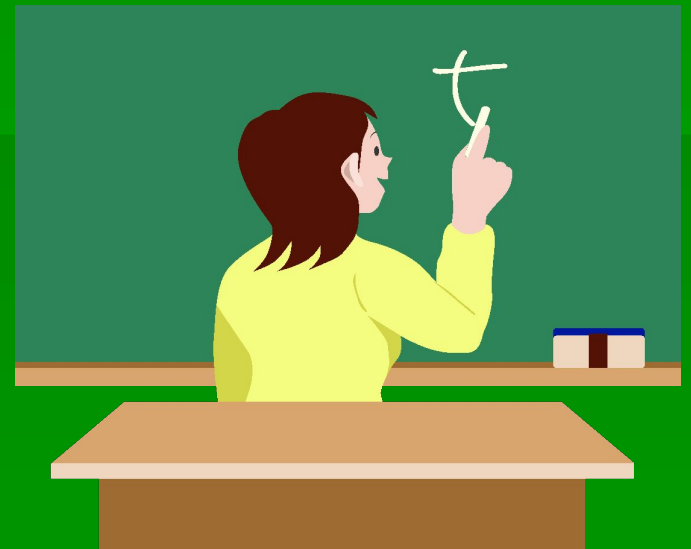
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Third Conditional	expresses unreal possibility related to the past .	If ...(Past Perfect), I ... (Future Perfect-in-the-past).

Third conditional

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I would have gone to visit you.*

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Make up the sentences using the First Conditional:

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first conditional

1. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- a. We **will pass** (pass) the examination if we study hard.
- b. If you _____ (go) to see this film, you will have a good time.
- c. If he _____ (play) sport, he will live longer.
- d. She _____ (not be) an architect if she doesn't go to university.
- e. They _____ (ring) us if we give them our phone number.
- f. If we _____ (not solve) the problem, we won't get the prize.

Make up the sentences using the First Conditional:

3. Write sentences using the first conditional.

a. the weather / be good we / go /to the beach tomorrow.

If the weather is good, we will go to the beach tomorrow.

b. you / go / to school on foot you / be / late.

c. I / have / money I / buy / you a present.

d. I / do / my homework I / find / my notebook.

e. My mum / give / me five pounds I / do / the washing-up.

f. We / spend / our holidays in Spain we / visit / Valencia.

Complete the sentences using the Second Conditional:

- She doesn't speak English, so she doesn't understand you.
If she _____ English, she
_____ you.
- He can't drive, so he won't buy a car.
If he _____, he
_____ a car.
- He isn't rich, so he won't buy a beach house.
If he _____ rich, he
_____ a beach house.
- He eats too much, so he's fat.
If he _____ too much, he
_____ fat.

Complete the sentences using the Third Conditional:

- She didn't give me her phone number, so I wasn't able to call her.

If she _____ her phone number, I
_____ able to call her.

- He didn't have his wallet with him last night, so he didn't buy the book.

If he _____ his wallet with him, he
_____ the book.

- They didn't get to the airport in time, so they missed their flight.

If they _____ to the airport in time, they
_____ their flight.

- He wasn't able to open the wine bottle, so they didn't drink wine.

If he _____ able to open the wine bottle,
they _____ wine.

Homework

Study the rules,
Complete Ex. 475,
Get ready for a test.

Let's check your knowledge:



1. How many conditional sentences are there in English?
2. What possibility does the first conditional express? (give an example)
3. What possibility does the second conditional express? (give an example)
4. What possibility does the third conditional express? (give an example)