

## Conditionals

- 1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the **bold verbs**. Use the first conditional.

He'll fail the exam unless he **works** (work) harder.

- If he doesn't get out of bed, he \_\_\_\_\_ (be) late for school.
- If we go to Spain, we \_\_\_\_\_ (see) many beautiful places.
- Fran won't get fitter unless she \_\_\_\_\_ (join) a gym.
- If the children \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) their homework, they \_\_\_\_\_ (not get) a snack.
- We \_\_\_\_\_ (not go) out tomorrow unless the weather \_\_\_\_\_ (improve).

- 2 Put the words in the correct order to make second conditional sentences. Add commas where necessary.

the police station / you / a wallet / found / in the street / it / you / If / take / to / would / ?

*If you found a wallet in the street, would you take it to the police station?*

- my mum's vase / broke / I / tell / I / her / would / If / it / about  
\_\_\_\_\_
- her / would / if / defend / someone / made / of / She / her friend / fun  
\_\_\_\_\_
- wouldn't / naughty / at / Bill / shout / if / she / his sister / was  
\_\_\_\_\_
- they / If / a car / they / work / drive / had / to / would  
\_\_\_\_\_
- would / computers / expensive / If / we / one / buy / weren't  
\_\_\_\_\_

- 3 Choose the correct alternatives to make third conditional sentences.

If he hadn't broken the law, he **wouldn't have gone** / **didn't go** to prison.

- We would have trusted her more if she **didn't lie** / **hadn't lied** to us.
- If Stella had wanted me to come to the party, she **invited** / **would have invited** me.
- They **would have travelled** / **travelled** to Spain if they'd had more time.
- Would you have called if you **needed** / **'d needed** my help?
- If I'd been in the area, I **would have come** / **come** to visit.

- 4 Read about Sebastian, his friends and a party. Write sentences using *I wish* / *if only* as indicated.

### At the party ...

I / dance better (*I wish*)

*I wish I danced better.*

- Steven / not show off so much (*if only*)  
\_\_\_\_\_

- Kate and Angie / talk to me (*I wish*)  
\_\_\_\_\_

### After the party ...

- Marge / not laugh at me so much (*if only*)  
\_\_\_\_\_

- I / not go to the party (*I wish*)  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Mixed conditionals

- 5 Choose A or B to complete the mixed conditional sentences.

If Pat had told her parents about her exam marks, B

A she wouldn't have felt so bad right now.

**B she wouldn't feel so bad right now.**

- If Jake hadn't been rude to her, \_\_\_\_\_  
A she would still like him.  
B she would have still liked him.
- If the boys had joined the ski club, \_\_\_\_\_  
A they would be coming with us tomorrow.  
B they would have been coming with us tomorrow.
- Kevin would have bought me the ring \_\_\_\_\_  
A if he were wealthy.  
B if he had been wealthy.
- If we weren't interested in archaeology, \_\_\_\_\_  
A we wouldn't have gone to Egypt next month.  
B we wouldn't be going to Egypt next month.

- 6 Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the **bold verbs**. Use mixed conditionals.

**Jack** I don't think Joanne likes me any more.

**Bill** What? If she **didn't like** (not like) you, she

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (not go) to the party with you next week.

**Jack** That's true but, if she was still interested in me, she

(2) \_\_\_\_\_ (text) me today.

**Bill** Why? It's only 8 o'clock in the morning. If she

woke up early, she (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (probably have) breakfast now.

**Jack** Yes, but if she'd texted me last night, I

(4) \_\_\_\_\_ (not worry) about it now.

**Bill** You worry too much. By the way, if I were you, I

(5) \_\_\_\_\_ (invite) Peggy to the party. She's much nicer than Joanne!

## Conditionals; mixed conditionals

- 1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list. Use the first conditional.

be ■ drink ■ not gain ■ not get ■ not go ■ study ■ take off ■ tell

If I feel hot, I'll **take off** my jacket.

- 1 If I'm thirsty, I \_\_\_\_\_ some water.
- 2 If you stop eating sweets, you \_\_\_\_\_ weight.
- 3 He won't eat a pizza unless he \_\_\_\_\_ very hungry.
- 4 If we don't insult the teacher, we \_\_\_\_\_ into trouble.
- 5 If I break something valuable, I \_\_\_\_\_ the owner.
- 6 She \_\_\_\_\_ to bed early unless she's very tired.
- 7 They won't do well in the science exam unless they \_\_\_\_\_ for many hours.

- 2 Rewrite the sentences. Use the second conditional.

He doesn't go out very often, so he doesn't have a social life.

*If he went out more often, he would have a social life.*

- 1 I haven't got a car, so my parents have to drive me everywhere.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 She isn't good at maths, so she doesn't do well in her exams.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 They're dishonest, so I don't trust them.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 You've got a ticket, so you'll go to the concert.  
\_\_\_\_\_

- 3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the bold verbs. Use the third conditional.

Harriet **wouldn't have hurt** (not hurt) herself if she'd **worn** (wear) the protective clothing.

- 1 If he \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) in a hurry, he \_\_\_\_\_ (not leave) his papers at work.
- 2 If we \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a different route, we \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) at the station on time.
- 3 She \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a new dress for the party if she \_\_\_\_\_ (know) about it sooner.

- 4 If I \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) so busy, I \_\_\_\_\_ (come) to the party.
- 5 If you \_\_\_\_\_ (return) before midnight, your mum and dad \_\_\_\_\_ (not shout) at you.
- 6 If our school \_\_\_\_\_ (win) that match, we \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in the final.

- 4 Complete the mini-dialogues with the correct form of the bold verbs.

A You didn't get home until 12 o'clock last night!

B Sorry. I wish I'd **called** (call) to tell you that I'd be late.

1 A Why are you looking so sad, Rosa?

B I wish my older brother \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) to me more often.

2 A It's still raining!

B I know! If only it \_\_\_\_\_ (stop).

3 A Have you ever seen a rock star?

B No. I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the Rolling Stones when they played here last month.

4 A Are you enjoying living in England, Bahir?

B Yes, but I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) English better.

- 5 Complete the mixed conditional sentences with the correct form of the bold verbs.

If Peter had got the job, he **would be** at work now. (be)

1 If she \_\_\_\_\_ French at school, she would be translating that book for us now. (study)

2 I would have danced with you at the party if I \_\_\_\_\_ any sense of rhythm! (have)

3 If their parents \_\_\_\_\_ next weekend, they would have agreed to come on the skiing trip. (not visit)

4 If we hadn't spent all our money last month, we \_\_\_\_\_ to the concert next week. (go)

- 6 Complete the mixed conditional sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list.

do ■ not come ■ not spend ■ pay ■ speak ■ win

If I'd **won** the match, I would be in the final now.

1 If I \_\_\_\_\_ better at school, I would be at university now.

2 Violet's employer \_\_\_\_\_ her more if she were better at her job.

3 If George \_\_\_\_\_ Chinese, he would have translated the poem.

4 If my mother \_\_\_\_\_ to visit last week, I wouldn't be so tired now.

5 They would travel to Chile with us next month if they \_\_\_\_\_ all their money.

## Conditionals; mixed conditionals

- 1** Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first sentence. Use the **bold** words.

Unless Julie texts us, we'll go without her. (**not**)

If *Julie doesn't text us, we'll go without her.*

- 1 Unless you pay me, I won't be able to go out tonight. (**if**)  
I \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 Unless he helps us, we won't have time to make dinner. (**doesn't**)  
We \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 If she doesn't pay her bill, the phone will be cut off. (**pays**)  
Unless \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 If the boys don't behave, they won't go to the party. (**unless**)  
The boys \_\_\_\_\_.

- 2** Rewrite the sentences. Use the first or second conditional.

Karen isn't going to the theatre because her friend is ill.

If *Karen's friend wasn't ill, she would go to the theatre.*

- 1 I get up late every morning, so I'm always late for work.  
If \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 Billy goes out in the rain, so he gets ill all the time.  
If \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 He isn't going away this month because he has to work.  
He \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 They have to sign up to take part in the talent show.  
If \_\_\_\_\_.

- 3** Read the text and complete the sentences. Use the third conditional.

Beatrice wanted to get her friend a nice birthday present, so she went shopping. She saw a diamond ring. She put it in her bag. A security guard caught her stealing it. Beatrice had to go to court. She was sentenced to six months in prison. She lost her job and her friends.

If Beatrice *hadn't wanted to get her friend a nice birthday present, she wouldn't have gone shopping.*

If she *hadn't gone shopping, she wouldn't have seen a diamond ring.*

- 1 If she \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 If she \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 If a security guard \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 If she \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 If she \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- 4** Rewrite the sentences in two ways using *I wish / if only*.

I don't sing well.

*I wish I sang well.*

*If only I sang well.*

- 1 I cheated in the maths exam last week.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 My parents don't give me pocket money.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 I haven't got a best friend.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 I lied to my mum yesterday.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- 5** Write mixed conditional sentences for the following situations.

They didn't buy a ticket yesterday. They aren't at the concert now.

*If they'd bought a ticket yesterday, they would be at the concert now.*

- 1 He isn't rich today. He wasted all his money.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 I robbed a bank. I'm in prison now.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 She missed her flight yesterday. She isn't here today.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 You tell a lot of lies. Your friends ignored you last week.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- 6** Translate the sentences into your language.

- 1 If it were a nicer day, we'd go sailing.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 The athlete wouldn't have got into trouble if he hadn't used an illegal drug.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Would you be tired if you'd gone to bed earlier?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 If only he didn't talk so loudly.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 I wish I hadn't said bad things about the new student.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 You'll hurt yourself unless you're more careful.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.