



CONDITIONALS	if clause (condition)	main clause (result)
0 conditional used for present, real/factual situations	present simple If I <u>study</u> hard,	present simple I always <u>pass</u> my exams.
1st conditional used for future real/factual situations	present simple If I <u>study</u> hard,	will + base verb I <u>will pass</u> my exams.
2nd conditional used for present or future unreal, imaginary situations	past simple If I <u>studied</u> hard,	would + base verb I <u>would pass</u> my exams.
3rd conditional used for past unreal, imaginary situations	past perfect If I <u>had studied</u> hard,	would have + past participle I <u>would have passed</u> my exams.



ZERO CONDITIONAL

If clause	Main clause
If + Present simple	Present simple

If I **am** late for school,
my teacher **gets** angry.



FIRST CONDITIONAL

If clause	Main clause
If + Present tense	will / can / may / must + verb

If I **go** to London,
I **will see** the Big Ben.

SECOND CONDITIONAL



If clause	Main clause
If + Past Simple	would / could / might + verb

If I were an astronaut,
I would travel in a spaceship.

SECOND CONDITIONALS

• THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- With the verb TO BE you can say:
 - If I were the president, I'd reduce the taxes.

OR

- If I was the president, I'd reduce the taxes.

- This happens with the pronouns I, he, she, it

THIRD CONDITIONAL



If clause	Main clause
If + Past Perfect tense	would/could/might + have + past participle

If I had studied hard,
I would have passed my exams.

Exercise 1

Make the zero conditional type (if Present Simple, Present Simple)

- 1) If I (wake up) late, I (be) late for work.**
- 2) If my father (cook) , he (burn) the food.**
- 3) If Julie (not/wear) a hat, she (get) sunstroke.**
- 4) If children (not/eat) well, they (not/be) healthy.**
- 5) If you (mix) water and electricity, you (get) a shock.**
- 6) If people (eat) too many sweets, they (get) fat.**
- 7) If children (play) outside, they (not/get) overweight.**
- 8) If you (heat) ice, it (melt).**
- 9) If I (speak) to John, he (get) annoyed.**

Exercise 2

Use the first conditional type (if Present Simple, Future Simple)

- 1) Lots of people (come) if Jenny (have) a party.
- 2) She (buy) expensive clothes if she (go) shopping.
- 3) My daughter (pass) her exams if she (work) hard.
- 4) David (be) sick if he (drink) milk.
- 5) The river (freeze) if it (be) very cold.

- 6) I (like) to visit the museums if I (be) in a new city.
- 7) I (cycle) to work if the weather (be) fine.

Exercise 3

Use the second conditional type (if Past Simple, would V1)

1. What would you do if you suddenly (win) half a million pounds?
2. If he (get up) up earlier, he'd get to work on time.
3. If we (have) more time, I could tell you more about it.
4. If you (sell) more products, you (earn) more money.
5. I (can) help you if you (trust) me more.
6. His car (be) a lot safer if he (buy) some new tires.
7. The children could be better swimmers if the (go) swimming more frequently.
8. I (not mind) having children if we (live) in the country.
9. If I (be) you, I wouldn't worry about going to university.
10. If I (have) any money, I'd give you some.
11. Your parents (be) a lot happier if you (phone) them more often.

Exercise 4

Use the third conditional type (if Past Perfect, would have V3)

- 1) If you (study) for the test, you (pass) it.
- 2) If you (ask) me, I (help) you.
- 3) If we (go) to the cinema, we (see) my friend Jacob.
- 4) If you (speak) English, she (understand) .
- 5) If they (listen) to me, we (be) home earlier.
- 6) I (write) you a postcard if I (have) your address.
- 7) If I (not / break) my leg, I (take part) in the contest.
- 8) If it (not/ start) to rain, we (walk) to the museum.
- 9) We (swim) in the sea if there (not / be) so many sharks there.
- 10) If she (not take) the bus, she (not / arrive) on time.

Exercise 5

Choose the correct answer the first or second conditional type

- 1) If you do your homework now, we _____ to the cinema in the evening.
A) will go b) went
- 2) If we _____ the book now, we will have it tomorrow.
A) ordered b) will order c) order
- 3) If I had more money, I _____ a bigger car. A) bought b) would bought
c) would buy
- 4) If I _____ my favorite movie star, I would ask him for an autograph. A) will see b) saw c) would see
- 5) I _____ you if I need your help. A) will call b) called c) call
- 6) I would go swimming if the weather _____ better. a) would be b) will be
c) were
- 7) If he _____ time tomorrow, we will meet the day after. A) has b) will
have
- 8) If I were you, I _____ what to do. A) will know b) knew c) would know
- 9) If we don't order the tickets soon, there _____ any tickets left. A) wouldn't be b) aren't c) will not
- 10) She _____ that if she were your friend. A) would say
 b) will not say

Exercise 6

Transform the sentences using the second or third conditional type

- 1) I don't know his address. I can't contact him.
But if I his address, I him.

2) He was ill. He couldn't go skiing.

But if he ill, he skiing.

3) He didn't buy any tomatoes. I couldn't make a salad.

But if he some tomatoes, I a salad.

4) We haven't enough room in our house. You can't stay with us.

But if we enough room, you with us.

5) You were not lucky. You didn't win.

But if you lucky, you .

6) I am eighteen. I can vote.

But if eighteen, I .