

# AS IF \ AS THOUGH

The past perfect subjunctive after *as if / as though* is used to refer to an unreal past situation:  
*It looks **as if** they've had a shock.*  
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*She felt **as if** all her worries had gone.*



*They felt **as though** they had been given the wrong information.*

*He seems as if he **hadn't slept** for days. (but we don't know )*




**Even if** - refers to a hypothetical or unreal situation.

"Even if I invited her, she wouldn't come" – (you didn't really invite her and we are not a 100% sure she won't come).

**Even though** – smth definitely happening:  
Even though the interview went bad. He got the job.

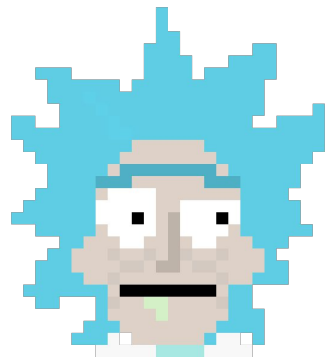
# Even though or even if ?

1.  \_\_\_\_\_ John studied very hard,  
he still failed his English tests.
2. I had a wonderful time, \_\_\_\_\_ I  
didn't know anyone at the party.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ I had money I wouldn't buy it. It is so expensive.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Mark had worked hard, he would have never had money.

3. \_\_\_\_\_ my sister earned a lot of money, she wouldn't buy a big car.



Even though or even if ?

Please circle the correct choice.

1. I wish I (was, were) anywhere else but here with you.
2. If he (was, were) a little taller, they'd be a really cute couple.
3. Her boss demanded that she (spend, spends) two weeks learning to use the new software.
4. If you (are, were) a color, what color would you be?
5. You would have to turn right at this intersection if you (are, were) going to church, but since you (are, were) going to the racetrack instead, turn left.
6. She wished she (was, were) (lying, laying) on a beach rather than (sitting, setting) at her desk.
7. I wouldn't get too close to that bear if I (was, were) you.
8. If the key (was, were) there this morning, then it couldn't have just walked away.



Ex.2 Choose Past Simple or P. Perfect:

1. I wish I (know) how to translate this text.
2. If she (be) busy yesterday, she would have spoken to him.
3. I wish I (offer) her that position.
4. She seems as if she (not sleep) for 2 days.
5. If only I (knew) her better!
6. If I (be) home I would help you.
7. I wish you (be) here.
8. It's high time she (know) how to cook this soup.
9. I wish she (arrive) on time.
10. She would have passed the exam if she (study) harder.
11. If I (know) you were so busy, I would not have called you.