

# Conditionals. Type 2.



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(unreal present)

USE: improbable situation in  
the present or future; also  
used to give advice.

( If Past Simple ), [ would/could/might + inf ].

(If I **were** you), [I **would see** a doctor]. (advice)

(If I **had** money), [I **could buy** a new car].

(But I don't have enough  
money to buy one,  
improbable situation)



What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



You find a fly  
in your soup.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If I found a fly in my soup ), [ I would complain to the manager ].

What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



You see a burglar  
breaking into  
your house.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If I saw a burglar breaking into my house ),  
[ I would ring the police ].

What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



You see a mouse  
in your kitchen.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If I saw a mouse in my kitchen ),  
[ I would try to catch it ].

What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



Your car runs out of petrol.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If my car ran out of petrol ),  
[ I would walk to the nearest garage to get some ].

What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



You see an accident.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If I saw an accident ),  
[ I would call an ambulance ].

What would you do in each situation? Write unreal present conditionals.



You see a ghost  
in your room.

call an ambulance

complain to the manager

run away

try to catch it

walk to the nearest garage  
to get some

ring the police

( If I saw a ghost in my room ),  
[ I would run away ].



## Put the verbs in brackets into the correct tense.

Sarah is a bored teenager. If she **joined** (join) a club, she **would make** (make) more friends. She **would enjoy** (enjoy) herself if she **went** (go) out more. Her schoolwork is suffering too. If she **studied** (study) more, she **would have** (have) better marks and she **would enter** (enter) university. Unfortunately, she is becoming overweight. She **would feel** (feel) fitter if she **started** (start) swimming, and she **would get** (get) thinner if she **stopped** (stop) eating so much chocolate.



Jenny is an overworked writer. Advise Jenny what to do in each situation.



I can't see a thing.

If I were you, I  
would clean my  
glasses!



I'm tired.

If I were you, I  
would go to  
bed/have a  
rest/break.



I'm hungry.

If I were you , I  
would buy a  
hamburger.

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I am really cold.

If I were you, I would put on a jumper.



My hair's a mess.

If I were you, I would have a haircut.



I've got a toothache.

If I were you, I would go to the dentist.



If I had a face mask,  
I would ....

