

welcome!

Conditionals

IF ...

Zero 1st

3rd 2nd



ZERO CONDITIONAL

Structure

IF + Present Simple, Present Simple.

Usage

**To talk about things that are always true,
like a scientific fact**

Examples

- If you **freeze** water, it **turns** into ice.
- And, if you **heat** water at 100 degrees, it **boils**.
- If students **miss** an exam, the professor **fails** them.
- If my wife **has** a cold, I usually **catch** it.
- I **get** tired if I **work** too much.
- If I'm late for dinner, they **start** eating without me.



First Conditional

Structure

IF + Simple Present, Simple Future

(S + will/won't + V(bare form))

Usage

To talk about possibilities in the present or in the future

Examples

- If it **rains**, I **will stay** at home.
- If I **wake** up late, I **will miss** the bus.
- And, if it's **sunny**, we'**ll go** to the park.
- If Juan **leaves**, Paula **will be** sad.
- If I **find** your email, I **will send** you the picture.
- If you **study** hard, you **will pass** your exams.



SECOND CONDITIONAL

Structure

IF+ Past Simple, Present Conditional

(To be: use WERE) (would/wouldn't + Verb (bare form)).

Usage

Imaginary situations in the present or future

Examples



- If I **won** a million dollars, I **would buy** a new car.
- If I **were** you, I **would quit** smoking.
- If I **were** the president, I **would lower** taxes.
- They **would stay** longer if they **had** more time.
- If I **won** a million dollars, I **could stop** working.
- If I **had** more free time, I **could travel** around the world.

If I were you...

MEANING:

You imagine yourself in the position or situation of the other person.
It is used **TO GIVE ADVICE**.

If I were you,

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I would + verb

If I were you,

I would study more.

If I were you,

I wouldn't do that.

I would + verb

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if I were you

I would go to the doctor

if I were you.

I wouldn't go there

if I were you.

Why *If I were* and not *If I was*?

This is the SUBJUNCTIVE mood which is used for HYPOTHETICAL situations. It is a condition which is contrary to fact (the fact is, I am NOT you).

With TO BE, use WERE for all subjects in the SUBJUNCTIVE.



If I were you, I wouldn't eat that.



I would be careful if I were you.

THIRD CONDITIONAL

Structure

IF + Past Perfect, Perfect Conditional

(Would/wouldn't + have + Past Participle)

Usage

Imaginary situations in the past

Examples

- If I **had got** a gold medal, I **would have been** happy.
- If I **had met** Susan last week, I **would have given** her the book.
- If the weather **had been** good, we **would have gone** water-skiing.
- If you **had got** (**gotten-US**) up earlier, you **would have caught** the earlier train.



Make sentences

If I
overslept...



Make sentences

If the student studies



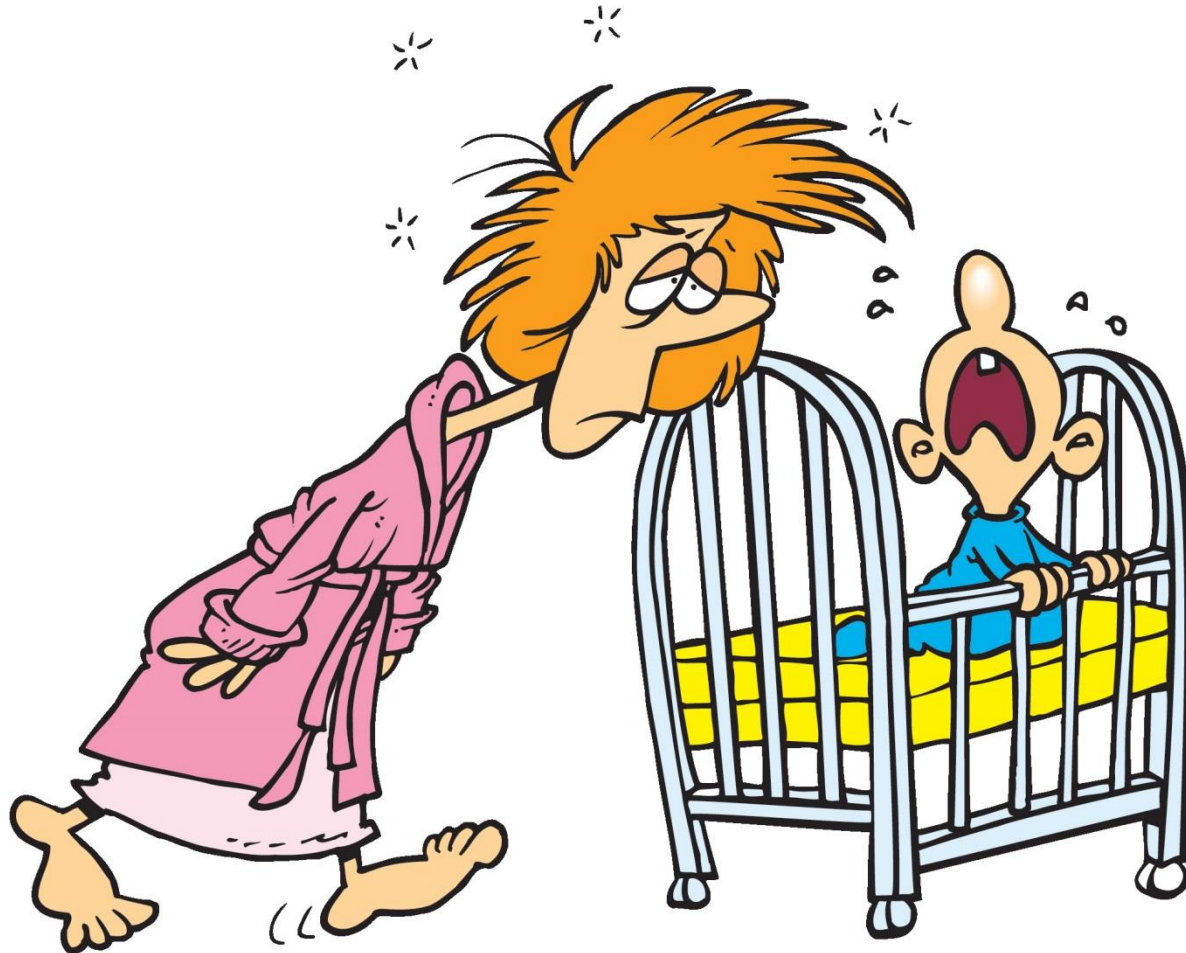
Make sentences

... if she flies to London.



Make sentences

If the baby had slept better
last night ...



Make sentences

If my granny has a laptop



Make sentences

If the teacher gives us



Make sentences

If my brother had a chance ...



Make sentences

I wouldn't have failed my exam...



Translate

1. Будь я на вашем месте, я бы не звонила ему.
2. Если бы у меня тогда было время, я бы обсудил этот вопрос с ней.
3. Если бы не шрам на щеке, он бы никогда не узнал ее.
4. Они сыграли бы вчера, если бы погода была хорошей.
5. В случае, если я опоздаю, я тебе позвоню.
6. Имей она деньги, она бы купила эту машину.
7. Если бы я была тобой, я бы пошла в театр сразу.
8. Мы пойдем на прогулку, если не будет дождя.
9. Он получает пятерки, если учится хорошо.
10. Она помогла бы тебе вчера, если бы не была так занята.
11. Я бы сделала это сегодня, если бы ты позвонила мне вчера.
12. Будь ты дома, ты бы решил эту проблему.
13. Если бы не ты, мы бы не сделали так много ошибок.
14. Я прочитаю это после занятий, если я не пойду к бабушке.
15. Предположим, он придет, что бы ты сказал?