

# Unit 11 Conditionals

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#### **Conditionals**







## **UNREAL CONDITIONAL IN PRESENT**





## Unreal conditional sentences refer to imaginary situations in the present (or future)







# The unreal conditional statements are used to show:

- 1. unreal situation
- 2. untrue situation
- 3. impossible or unlikely situation





- When forming unreal conditional sentences, the tense <u>backshifts</u> in the if clause to show that the situation described is/was imaginary.
- □ If clause = simple past
- Main clause = would + base verb
- □ If I had a day off tomorrow, I would go to the



#### **Untrue situation:**

#### If I <u>had</u> a million dollars, I <u>would build</u> a big house.







### **Untrue situation**

If I were in your place, I would accept the company offer.

If Jim were the mayor of this city, he would change certain things.



## Impossible or unlikely

### If Mr. Smith <u>called</u> me, I <u>would explain</u> everything to him.

#### **u** = It's impossible for Mr. Smith to call.







#### What would you do if.....?





- 1. If you heard a strange noise in your house
  - in the night, would you:
  - A. go and look
  - **B. phone the police**



- C. hide under the bed clothes
- If I heard a strange noise in my house in the night, I would.....



- 2. If I found a lot of money in the street, would
  - you:
  - A. keep it
  - B. try to find the owner
  - C. take it to the police



- □ If I found a lot of money in the street,



- 3. If you saw a child stealing from a shop, would you:
  - A. tell the child to stop
  - B. tell a shop assistant
  - C. do nothing



- □ If I saw a child stealing from a shop,
- □ I would.....



- 4. If a shop assistant gave you too much change, would you:
  - A. tell him / her



- B. take the money and say nothing
- If a shop assistant gave me too much change, I would.....



- 5. If you found a dead mouse in your kitchen, would you :
  - A. throw it out
  - B. ask somebody to throw it out
  - C. run
- □ If I found a dead mouse
- in my kitchen, I would.....



- 6. If you found a suitcase on the pavement
  - outside a bank, would you :
  - A. take it into the bank
  - B. take it home
  - C. take it to the police



- D. leave it
- □ If I found a suitcase on the pavement
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- 7. If you found a friend's diary, would you:
  - A. read it
  - **B. give it to him/her without reading**
- □ If I found a friend's diary, I would......









1. What would you do if a stranger asked you where you live?

2. What would you do if your friend fell and got hurt?



3. What would you do if you saw someone fall from a boat?

4. what would you do if you had to talk in front of a thousand people?



5. What would you do if you got lost in the forest?

#### 6. What would you do if you saw a ghost?



7. What would you do if you saw a thief stealing a wallet?

8. What would you do if there was a fly in your soup?



- 1. Jane would help you if you approach / approached her.
- 2. If Bob has / had a lot of money, he would travel around the world.
- 3. John passed / would pass the test if he had more careful.



- 4. Unless Mary talked to him, Jim does not / would not listen.
- 5. If I am / were the boss, I would sack the rude waiter.
- 6. If I am / were you, I would accept the position.



- 7. I would never take a job if the salary is / was too low.
- 8. If you prepared your presentation, you will have / would have more confident.



Rita Brown's office is very big. If (9) I am / were friendlier with her, I would ask to use it. You know her, don't you? Why don't you ask her? If I (10) were her / were you, I would offer her a free lunch or something for doing it.



## Hoping you enjoy studying 'conditionals'

#### Genki Hip Hop Quiz: "If you had a million dollars"

## If you had a million dollars... 1. Listen to the song. 2. Click the correct words. 3. Count your score.



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