

I. if & whether

--> 명사절 접속사로 [~인지 아닌지]의 의미를 지님.

° don't know, be not sure, wonder, doubt, check 등과 함께 주로 사용됨

ex) I am not sure if(= whether) I will be attending the party.

---> 나는 그 파티에 참석할지 안 할지 잘 모르겠다.

[Whether와 if의 차이]

** if는 목적어 자리에서만 사용 가능. whether는 주어, 목적어, 보어 모두 가능

--말줄 친 접속사의 역할을 고르면?

ex) Whether she will do it doesn't matter to me. [주어, 목적어, 보어]

She knows if(whether) he got married. [주어, 목적어, 보어]

The question is whether he is guilty. [주어, 목적어, 보어]

** or not 바로 앞에는 if는 불가능, whether는 가능.

--어법상 맞으면 ○, 틀리면 ×

ex) I don't know whether or not he will come. (○, ×)

I don't know whether he will come or not. (○, ×)

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** 노란색 네모안에 있는 것은
문법노트에 정리해 둘 것!!
**문법노트 마련하세요 ~~~

** 전치사 다음에는 if는 불가능, whether는 가능. --어법상 맞으면 ○, 틀리면 ×

ex) The point depends on if he got involved or not. (○, ×)

I would like to talk about whether you are going to California. (○, ×)

** to 부정사 앞에서는 if는 불가능, whether는 가능. --어법상 맞으면 ○, 틀리면 ×

ex) I have been thinking whether to grow my own tomatoes this year. (○, ×)

I can't decide if to go to the party with her. (○, ×)

** whether는 [~하든 안하든, ~이든 아니든]의 의미로 부사절을 이끌기도 함.

ex) Whether we succeed or not, we will try our best.

Whether you like the city, we will go there.

[Choose one]

1. (Which / Whether) they are native or not is very important.
2. Sally asked me (if / that) I would come to her birthday party.
3. I still wonder (if, whether) or not I made the right decision.
4. He wanted to know (if, when) he passed the exam or not.
5. I'm not sure (whether, if) or not it will rain tomorrow.

[Make sentences]

1. The waiter asked me (more, wanted, tea, if, I)
--> The waiter asked me _____.
2. I wonder (is, interested, if, in, she, knitting)
--> I wonder _____.
3. I don't mind (me, whether, you, go, with)
--> I don't mind _____ or not.
4. I doubt (Steven, mayor, whether, elected, be, will, a)
--> I doubt _____.
5. I thought (fix, be, would, able, the computer, she, to, if)
--> I thought _____.

[if와 whether 둘 다 가능한 곳에는 if를, whether만 가능한 곳에는 whether를 넣길~]

1. I can't decide _____ to buy a bicycle.
2. Tom asked Julie _____ she'd like to go to the cinema.
3. You have to go to school _____ you like it or not!
4. Caroline might come. It depends on _____ she has a car or not.
5. We're not sure _____ we're going to change offices.
6. _____ she will quit the job is very important to me.
7. I wonder _____ I should mention it to my boss.
8. He doesn't care _____ the plan suits everyone.
9. I'm not sure _____ I'll have time to go to the hairdressers.
10. The price doesn't change _____ you travel by car or by train.
11. I don't know _____ to agree to his opinion.
12. We need a decision on _____ the second answer is also correct.
13. We need to talk about _____ the kids are old enough to travel by themselves.
14. I have been wondering _____ to build my own house.
15. I am not certain about _____ he will go or not.
16. Let Anna know _____ the boss is able to go to London.