

# Temporals - Conditionals

## A. Circle the correct answer.

- 1) I can't finish my art project **till / when** I buy some paints and coloured paper.
- 2) **Before / As soon as** we get to the beach, the children will run down to the sea.
- 3) Make sure the oil is hot enough **before / after** you fry the chips.
- 4) **Until / By the time** the ferry arrives in Rhodes, it will be dark.
- 5) **The moment / Once** that you get a message from Tanya, please forward it to me.
- 6) Tyler will start his summer job **by the time / after** he finishes his exams.

## B. Choose the correct answer.

- 1) We would buy a dog if we ..... a big garden.  
a. had                                      b. had had                                      c. would have
- 2) I'll go to see a film with you as long as it ..... a horror film.  
a. isn't                                      b. won't be                                      c. wasn't
- 3) If Samuel hadn't scored that goal, his team .....  
a. didn't win                                      b. wouldn't have won                                      c. won't win
- 4) What ..... you do if you found a kitten?  
a. will                                      b. would                                      c. had
- 5) If I were you, I ..... those shoes to go walking.  
a. hadn't worn                                      b. will wear                                      c. wouldn't wear
- 6) If we ..... the weather forecast, we wouldn't have gone sailing.  
a. saw                                      b. would see                                      c. had seen
- 7) We'll take a taxi to the airport unless Josh ..... to drive us there.  
a. offered                                      b. offers                                      c. will offer
- 8) I could have helped you if you ..... me.  
a. asked                                      b. would ask                                      c. had asked
- 9) Your friends can come round only after you ..... your room.  
a. tidy                                      b. will tidy                                      c. would tidy
- 10) The lesson will begin once the teacher .....  
a. arrives                                      b. arrived                                      c. will arrive

## C. Choose the correct phrase that best completes each sentence.

- 1) If you leave ice in the sun, .....  
a. it is melting                      b. it has melted                      c. it would melt                      d. it melts
- 2) We'll go to the concert unless the tickets ..... too expensive.  
a. are                      b. will be                      c. aren't                      d. won't be
- 3) If we ..... such a good teacher last year, we wouldn't have learned so much English.  
a. didn't have                      b. wouldn't have had                      c. hadn't had                      d. don't have
- 4) "Where ..... if you could travel anywhere in the world." "To Africa."  
a. would you go                      b. will you go                      c. are you going                      d. would you have gone
- 5) "Do you want me to wait for you?" "Yes, but only if ..... in a hurry."  
a. you didn't                      b. you don't                      c. you aren't                      d. you hadn't been
- 6) Please let me know when ..... to go.  
a. you will be ready                      b. you are ready                      c. will you be ready                      d. are you ready

- 7) If Kate ..... me to her party, I would have spent the evening at home.  
 a. didn't invite      b. wouldn't invite      c. hadn't invited      d. wouldn't have invited
- 8) Hurry up! ..... we get to the library, it'll be closed.  
 a. After      b. As soon as      c. By the time      d. Until
- 9) I would take up tennis if I ..... more time.  
 a. would have      b. will have      c. had      d. had had
- 10) ..... I use a ladder, I won't be able to reach the top shelf.  
 a. Unless      b. Once      c. If      d. Before
- 11) If we had known about the festival, we .....  
 a. could have gone      b. can go      c. would go      d. were going
- 12) You ..... new friends if you joined a sports club.  
 a. will make      b. might make      c. had made      d. made

**D. Read the text. Circle the correct answer.**

Are you a dog owner? Get Dog TV!

When you **go / will go** to school or work tomorrow, your dog **will spend / spends** many long hours alone at home. And the moment that you **will walk / walk** out the door, your pet starts / may start / barking. If this **happens / will happen**, your neighbours **probably find / will probably find** it very annoying.

So why not try Dog TV? This cable channel shows programmes that keep dogs happy and relaxed for hours. If you **won't want / don't want** your dog to be bored at home, just **can turn on / turn on** Dog TV!

**E. Choose.**

What **would you do / will you do** if you **saw / had seen** a lion close to your home? Most people would probably run and hide, but not Charles Tshuma, a lion guard at the Hwange National Park in Zimbabwe. Tshuma's job is to keep the lions away from the villages on the edge of the park. If Charles and other guards **wouldn't do / didn't do** this, the lions and the people in the village would not be able to live side by side.

Recently, Charles was told a lion was approaching a village. When Charles arrived at the village, he started blowing a large plastic horn. When the lion heard the loud noise, it returned to the park. If Charles **didn't frighten / hadn't frightened** the lion in this way, it **might have eaten / might eat** one of the goats in the village. And if this **had happened / happened**, the owner of the animal **could kill / could have killed** the lion.

So far, the lion guard programme has been successful. It has kept the people in villages and the lions safe. Experts believe it **will continue / would continue** to be a success unless the lions **get / got** used to the horn. If this **will happen / happens**, they may not return to the park when they hear this sound. This could mean that a villager could get hurt or that an angry farmer might shoot and kill a lion.