

ENGLISH TEST – IRM-
FIRST CONDITIONAL – 5th year -

READING

Viridiana is a young girl who spent three years working in Montreal, Canada. She is actually Mexican and she talks about the main differences between Mexico and Canada.

Viridiana says one of the main differences between Mexico and Canada is the weather. In Canada if people want to go out, they will wear proper clothes for the cold. If you go to the bus stop, you'll find airproof, glass-like shelters that protect people from snow. Buses are always on time. If you take a taxi, you will pay more money and you need to call it before. If you want to use your car, you will need to plug it to the electricity because the oil and the water of the car are frozen.

If you want to buy something in a store, you will pay the tax. It is 15% of the price.

You will pay twenty-five dollars for each person if you want to have dinner in a restaurant. Along with the bill, you have to tip with 15% of the bill.

In Mexico, if people have holidays, they will go to the beach. Likewise, you will have fun if you go to Canada, because you can go skiing in the mountains or ice-skating in some places in the city.

Both countries are very different and you can enjoy them anyway!

1- Tick the First Conditional sentences in the text.

2- Read and say if the sentences are TRUE (T) or FALSE (F).

- a. Viridiana has spent five years in Mexico. _____
- b. She says in Canada people find shelters in the bus stops. _____
- c. If you take a taxi, you will pay less money. _____
- d. You will pay thirty-five dollars for each person in a restaurant. _____
- e. In Mexico people will visit beaches if they have holidays. _____

3- Complete the sentences.

- a- I _____ (stay) home if it _____ (rain) this afternoon.
- b- If my brother _____ (go) abroad, I _____ (be) very worried.
- c- You _____ (not earn) enough money if you _____ (not work) more hours.

d- If I _____(go) to the supermarket, I _____(buy) some tomatoes.

e- Peter _____(get) wet if he _____(not take) an umbrella.

f- If I _____(find) the book you lent me, I _____(give) it back to you.