I. Complete the following sentences with the *Second Conditional* forms of the verbs in the brackets.

1) If I _____ (be) you, I _____(get) a new job.

2) If he _____be younger, he _____travel more.

3) If we _____ (not/be) friends, I _____(be) angry with you.

4) If I _____(have) enough money, I _____(buy) a big house.

5) If she _____(not/be) always so late, she _____(be) promoted.

6) If we _____ (win) the lottery, we _____(travel) the world.

7) If you _____ (have) a better job, we _____(be) able to buy a new car.

8) If I _____ (speak) perfect English, I _____(have) a good job.

9) If we _____ (live) in Mexico, I _____(speak) Spanish.

10) If she _____ (pass) the exam, she _____(be) able to enter university.

II. Put the following words in the correct order.

1 could / if / a / had / you / to / visa / China / you / go

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2 your / you / what / gave / would / if / parents / 100 /you / do / euros / ?

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3 the / if / go / I / ill / would / to / felt / doctor / I

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4 you / Steven / help / he / time / would / had / if

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5 life / if / we / nothing / do / be / had / to /monotonous / would

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6 he / Jason / happier / enjoyed / his / if / would / job / be

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7 a / if / spoke / you / could / English / you / good /well / job / find

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8 more / I / lived / visit / my / often / if / they /grandparents / would / closer

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9 live / would / could / you / in / if / country / you /another / chose / ?

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10 not / Patrick / your / phone / he / you / not / if /did / need / would / help

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III. Match the second conditional sentences halves together.

1. If I went to South America,	a. if he knew how to swim.
2. Mary would look better	b. if they didn't work in the city.
3. We would save time	c. I would visit Peru
4. If Jim could buy a new car,	d. if I liked Mexican food.
5. We wouldn't be so bored	e. if we took a taxi.
6. They would move to the countryside	f. if we had a television.
7. I would go to the restaurant with you	g. he would get a Porsche.
8. Tim would go surfing	h. if she wore less make-up.
9. If she got new glasses,	i. if you washed it.
10. The car would look better	j. she would see more clearly.

IV. Read the following text and choose the correct answers for the questions.

Jordan

Living in an extended family with both my parents and grandparents was a bittersweet symphony of love and tradition. The comfort of having a large, close-knit family was unparalleled. I felt loved by not two but four people who truly cared about me, which made me grow into a very self-confident man. I also learned to accept and appreciate the ideas and points of view of two different generations before me. Of course, there were times when I would have wanted a little more privacy and alone time. I also missed a little more flexibility since my grandparents' stricter views were an influence on my parents. But despite these occasional frustrations, the warmth and support of a multi-generational home, filled with laughter, debates, and shared meals, enriched my life in ways I wouldn't trade for anything.

Ashley

I have two mums and wouldn't change that for the world. I have a great – and different – relationship with both of them. But dealing with other people's attitudes has been hard sometimes. I remember when I was young, I wanted to invite a friend to sleep over, and she wasn't allowed to do so for a while. Finally, her parents said that she could, but only if my mums promised not to kiss in front of her. I was also teased a lot at school, and Father's Day was always an awkward time. Over the years, it got easier because my mums both became really active in the school community, and once parents got to know them, they grew more accepting. Our family was also really active in the Pride community, so we knew a lot of gay couples. It was easier hanging out with their kids as having gay parents was normal for them. In fact, I remember one little girl crying when she first saw a straight couple kissing because she found it confusing. I think society is starting to change now, though. Gay families are more accepted, and so their kids have an easier time of it.

Leah

My parents divorced when I was a baby, and my mum left, so I grew up with just a dad. It didn't feel unusual until I started school and realised that most of the other kids had mums. Then I started wondering why I didn't have one. I felt unwanted and jealous of the other kids who had one. I was angry with my mum for leaving

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and my dad for not keeping her. The other problem was that he had to work long hours to provide for me, so he couldn't come along to school events like sports day and nativity plays. He was often too tired to spend time with me at home. I can't remember us ever playing, doing homework, or preparing a meal together. From a young age, I had to do things that my friends never had to do, like preparing meals and grocery shopping, so I certainly learned how to be independent. But at the same time, I was lonely and angry. However, as I got older, I realised how hard he worked to keep me in a comfortable life, and he inspired me always to try my hardest, too.

1. Why does Jordan think he became a self-confident person?
A. He was the only child in the house.
B. He received a lot of love.
C. He learned from many different ideas and points of view.
D. Living with his family was so comfortable.

2. According to Jordan,…
A. he had enough privacy and alone time as a child.
B. he hated his grandparents' strict views.
C. his parents were more strict because of his grandparents.
D. he would have preferred to grow up in a normal family.

3. What made life easier for Ahley at school?
A. His parents promised not to kiss in public.
B. his parents allowed him to have a friend to stay.
C. His parents participated in events at school.
D. His parents complained when he was teased.

4. Ashley mentions a little girl who got upset because…
A. she wasn't used to seeing men and women being affectionate.
B. her parents wouldn't let her spend time with straight families.
C. she'd never seen people kiss in front of her before.
D. she thought gay couples were confusing.

5. What was Leah's main experience of growing up in a single-parent family?
A. Her father gave her plenty of attention.
B. Her father spent little time with her.
C. She was teased for not having a mum.
D. She didn't have time for playing.

6. How was Leah changed over time?
A. She has become more appreciate of her father.
B. She has become more comfortable being by herself.
C. She has become less angry towards her mother.
D. She has become more responsible.

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