

## THIRD CONDITIONAL – LET'S PRACTISE

### SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW

1 Complete the beginnings of the sentences with the Past Perfect form of the verbs in brackets. Then match them with the endings.

0 Jack and I hadn't met (not meet),  
1 Beata                    (break) her arm once,  
2 Ken                    (lose) touch with Amy,  
3 Emma                    (not study) meteorology,

a so she didn't know a lot about the weather.  
b so she knew how much it hurt.  
c so I didn't recognise him.  
d so he was surprised when she called.

### 2 ★ Read the sentences and choose the correct options.

1 If Jack and I had met, I would've recognised him.

**real past event:** We met / didn't meet.

**real past result:** I recognised / didn't recognise him.

2 Beata wouldn't have known how much it hurts when you break your arm if she hadn't done it once.

**real past event:** Beata broke / didn't break her arm once.

**real past result:** She knew / didn't know how much it hurt.

3 Ken wouldn't have been surprised when Amy called if he hadn't lost touch with her.

**real past event:** Ken lost touch / didn't lose touch with Amy.

**real past result:** He was / wasn't surprised when she called.

4 Emma would have known a lot about the weather if she had studied meteorology.

**real past event:** Emma studied / didn't study meteorology.

**real past result:** She knew / didn't know a lot about the weather.



**3 ★★ Complete the conversation with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use short forms.**

Anne and Dan are at the summer house.

**A:** What a long journey. Open the door, Dan. I need a cup of tea.

**D:** You've got the keys.

**A:** What? I texted you this morning to say bring the spare ones.

**D:** What? If I <sup>0</sup>'d received (receive) a text message, my phone <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (go) beep.

**A:** Well, I definitely texted you. You <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the message if you <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (look) at your phone. I've lost my keys.

**D:** But why didn't you say something before we left?  
Anne, we are 200km from home!

**A:** We'll have to break a window.

*Later in the hospital:*

**D:** Ouch! This really hurt, Nurse!

**N:** Sorry, Mr Finch, but I have to clean the cut.

**A:** I'm sorry, Dan.

**D:** It's not your fault, Anne.

**A:** But if I <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not lose) the keys, you <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not cut) your hand and we wouldn't be here in the hospital now.



4 ★★★ Write Third Conditional sentences to complete the conversations.

0 **Erin:** I was in a bad mood last night. I shouted at Sally and we had an argument.  
**Alfie:** stay calm / not fall out  
Oh dear! If you'd stayed calm, you wouldn't have fallen out.

1 **Karen:** I was late home last night. Mum was so mad.  
**Nina:** phone your mum / she probably not be so angry  
Oh Karen! If \_\_\_\_\_

2 **Dominic:** I really thought I'd left my passport at home.  
**Reece:** miss the flight / you forget it  
We \_\_\_\_\_

3 **Louis:** Chris fell off his bike yesterday. The bruise on his forehead was huge.  
**Imogen:** not hurt himself / wear his helmet  
It's his own fault, Louis. He \_\_\_\_\_

4 **Jodie:** That food was so spicy.  
**Issac:** not be so bad / not used so much chilli sauce  
It \_\_\_\_\_

## SHOW WHAT YOU'VE LEARNT

**5** Complete the Third Conditional sentences. Use *if* and the prompts in brackets.

0 We wouldn't have won (you / not score / a goal).  
We wouldn't have won if you hadn't scored a goal.

1 (you / not be / cold) if you had worn long trousers that night.  
\_\_\_\_\_ you had worn long trouser

2 If the clothes hadn't been so cheap, (I / not buy / three jackets).  
If the clothes hadn't been so cheap, \_\_\_\_\_

3 My boyfriend would have left me if (I / forget / about his birthday again).  
My boyfriend would have left me \_\_\_\_\_

4 (our electricity bill / be / smaller) last year if we'd bought low-energy light bulbs.  
\_\_\_\_\_ last year if we'd bought low-energ light bulbs.

5 Daisy wouldn't have burnt herself if (she / be / more careful in the kitchen).  
Daisy wouldn't have burnt herself \_\_\_\_\_