

SECOND CONDITIONAL

1. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT FORM OF THE VERBS.

- A. If I _____ (be) you, I _____ (be) very careful with that new machine. The manual says, "If you want to avoid problems, read this booklet carefully before plugging in the machine."
- B. If my school _____ (offer) me a wider choice of subjects, I _____ (learn) more foreign languages.
- C. A policeman came to our school yesterday to speak about road safety. He said, "If drivers _____ (obey) the laws, there _____ (be) fewer accidents." He added with a smile, "If people _____ (behave) at home like they do on the roads, no one _____ (want) to go home!"

2. MATCH EACH SENTENCE WITH THEIR OTHER HALF.

- | A | | B |
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| 1. If I weren't so busy, | a | I'd think you were joking. |
| 2. If I were you, | b | if I spent some time in Bordeaux. |
| 3. If I didn't know you better, | c | I wouldn't talk to her that way. |
| 4. If he didn't have so much money, | d | would you still marry him? |
| 5. I would speak better French | e | if they went to the mountains. |
| 6. They would have a wonderful holiday | f | I'd go out more often. |

1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.

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4. DECIDE BETWEEN FIRST OR SECOND CONDITIONAL. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT FORM:

1. John (pass) his exams easily if he (work) harder.
2. If you (listen) to the BBC, your English (improve).
3. If Mike (get up) earlier, he (make) his bed, instead of leaving it for his mother.
4. If I (know) Victor's address in Paris, I (visit) him next week.
5. If I (be) wealthy (=rich), I (buy) the biggest house at the beach for my parents.
6. Adam (go) to the concert if someone (ask) her.
7. If Tom (stop) worrying, he (not be) so nervous.
8. Grandma (be) very happy if you (go) to visit her.
9. If I (be) you, I (not wear) that dress.
10. If you (buy) a 3D printer, I (show) you how it works, but I don't think you'll buy one.
11. If you (not return) my book, I never (lend) you anything else.
12. If we (go) to New York next week, we (go) to see that new musical we read about.

5. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER:

1. If I tell you what I heard, _____ anyone else.
 - a. you'll tell
 - b. no telling
 - c. don't tell
2. If I _____ you my camera, will you be very careful with it?
 - a. lent
 - b. will lend
 - c. lend

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3. Greg _____ be a very good violinist if he practised more.
- a. should
 - b. 'd
 - c. had to
4. What will Anna do if Robert _____ her out?
- a. ask
 - b. asked
 - c. asks
5. I wouldn't lend Lynn my camera if I _____ you.
- a. were
 - b. will be
 - c. be
6. Tony would prepare meals much faster if he _____ an oven.
- a. has
 - b. had
 - c. has had
7. How much would it cost if I _____ one of those new Japanese computers?
- a. bought
 - b. brought
 - c. buy
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 - b. would lend
 - c. lend

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3. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH YOUR OWN IDEAS.

- a. Colin would buy a new car if he could afford it, but...
- b. Wendy would see more films if she didn't have to work so hard, but...
- c. There'd be fewer accidents if drivers were more considerate, but...
- d. If I were stronger, I'd carry your suitcase, but...
- e. I would fix my own bike if I knew how to, but...
- f. The shop would offer customers more variety of goods if it could, but...