5A GUESS THE CONDITIONALS Student B

a Read through sentences 7–12 and think how you could fill in the blanks. They are either second or third conditionals. ⊞ = a positive verb phrase, ⊟ = a negative verb phrase.

1 The cat wouldn't have gotten out if you'd closed the window.
2 If I spent a month in the US, my English would improve a lot.
3 We wouldn't have lost the game if our best player hadn't been injured.
4 If you'd told me earlier about the concert, I would have gone.
5 If I'd known the traffic was going to be so bad, I wouldn't have taken the car.
6 My husband and I would go out more if we didn't have children.
7 We would have played tennis if it _____. ⊟
8 If you hadn't reminded me, I _____. ⊞
9 I would have bought the car if it _____. ⊞
10 I wouldn't use public transportation if _____. ⊞
11 If you had watered the plants, _____. ⊟
12 If I knew the answer, I _____. ⊞

b Listen to **A** saying sentences 1–6. If **A** says exactly what you have, say *That's right*. If **A** says something different, say *Try again*.

c Say your complete sentences 7–12 to **A**. If **A** says *That's right*, write in the words. If **A** says *Try again*, think of another possible completion and say the sentence again. You can have three tries.

6B THREE THINGS YOU (PROBABLY) DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT SLEEP Student B

How our ancestors used to sleep

An American historian, Roger Ekirch, has done a lot of research (based mainly on literature and diaries) that shows that until the end of the 18th century humans used to sleep in two distinct periods, called "first sleep" and "second sleep."

First sleep began about two hours after nightfall and lasted for about four hours. It was followed by a period of between one or two hours when people were awake. During the waking period people were active. Most people stayed in bed reading, writing, or praying, etc., but others got up and even used the time to visit neighbors. They then went back to sleep for another four hours.

This research is backed up by an experiment done by a psychiatrist, Thomas Wehr, in the early 1990s, in which a group of people were left in total darkness for 14 hours every day for a month. By the fourth week, the people had begun to sleep in a very clear pattern. They slept first for four hours, and then woke for one or two hours before falling into a second four-hour sleep, in exactly the same way as people had slept in the 18th century. The research suggests that today's habit of sleeping seven to eight consecutive hours may not be the most natural way to sleep.

a Read the text and answer the questions.

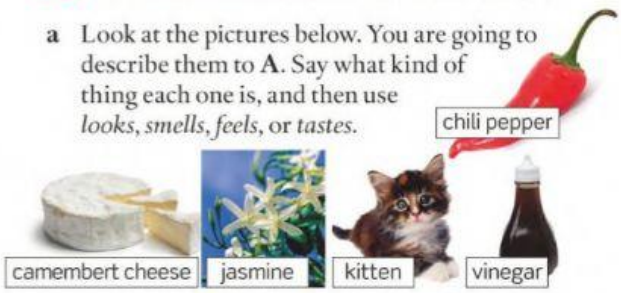
1 What did the historian's research show?
2 What was the typical sleep routine in those days?
3 What did people do during the period between sleeps?
4 What was Thomas Wehr's experiment, and what did it show?

b Listen to **A** tell you about the Sleeping Beauty Syndrome.

c Use the questions in **a** to tell **A** about how our ancestors used to sleep.

7B GUESS WHAT IT IS Student B

a Look at the pictures below. You are going to describe them to **A**. Say what kind of thing each one is, and then use *looks*, *smells*, *feels*, or *tastes*.



b Now listen to **A** describe his / her first thing. Don't interrupt until he / she has finished describing. You can ask **A** questions.

c Now describe your first thing in as much detail as possible. **A** can then ask you questions to identify what the thing is.

It's a kind of vegetable. It's very popular in Mexico. It's very hot...

d Continue taking turns to describe all your things. Who guessed the most right?

10B GEOGRAPHY TRUE OR FALSE Student B

a Fill in the blanks in your sentences with *the* where necessary.

1 ___ capital of ___ Netherlands is ___ Amsterdam. (**F** – It's The Hague)
2 ___ Amazon is ___ longest river in ___ world. (**F** – It's the Nile)
3 ___ Panama Canal connects ___ Atlantic Ocean to ___ Pacific Ocean. (**T**)
4 ___ Atacama desert is in__ northern part of__ Chile. (**T**)
5 ___ Black Sea is in ___ southwest Europe. (**F** – It's in southeast Europe)
6 ___ biggest lake in ___ world is ___ Lake Victoria in ___ Africa. (**F** – It's Lake Superior in Canada / the US)
7 ___ Mount McKinley is ___ highest mountain in ___ Alaska Range. (**T**)
8 ___ Greenwich Village is in ___ downtown New York City. (**T**)

b Now listen to **A**'s sentence 1 and say if you think it's true or false. If you think it's false, say what you think the right answer is.

c Now read your sentence 1 to **A**. Correct his / her answer if necessary.

d Continue to take turns saying your sentences. Who got the most right answers?

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