

GRAMMAR

5.2

First Conditional

SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW

1 Change the underlined verbs to make negative sentences. Use short forms.

They're classmates. They are in the same class.
They aren't classmates, but they meet after school.

- 1 My sister has Maths classes on Mondays.
My sister _____ have Maths classes on Tuesdays.
- 2 We'll live together next year. We are going to university in the same town.
We _____ live together next year. We are going to university in different towns.
- 3 She's a very good student. She likes studying.
She _____ a very good student. She hates studying.

2 ★ Put the words in order to complete the First Conditional sentences.

you / pass / you'll / study / hard, / your / final
If you study hard, you'll pass your final exams.

- 1 write / forget / number / if / my / he / it / doesn't
He'll _____ down.
- 2 hurry up, / she'll / her / miss / doesn't / Samantha
If _____ train.
- 3 how / you / he'll / sure / understand / him / tell / if / you
I'm _____ feel.
- 4 listen / don't / know / you / carefully, / what / to / you / won't
If _____ do.
- 5 with / dance / ask / you / you / won't / don't / if
Anzu _____ her.
- 6 go / he / will / feels / if / tomorrow / back / school / to Sam _____ better.

3 ★★ Complete the First Conditional sentences and questions with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

If Stacey does (do) well at school this year, she'll get (get) into university next year.

- 1 What ^a _____ (Ella/do) if she ^b _____ (fail) her exams?
- 2 We ^a _____ (be) in trouble if we ^b _____ (skip) another lesson.
- 3 If Julia and Toby ^a _____ (not/have) extra lessons at a private academy, they ^b _____ (not/pass) their exams.
- 4 If you ^a _____ (not/look) at the timetable, you ^b _____ (not/know) what classes you have.

4 ★★ Complete the Internet forum with the correct form of the verbs from the box. There are two extra words.

be learn not enjoy not like not pass
pay pass stop take want

ASK ANYTHING

jayne17 asks ...

What will I have to do if I want to learn to drive? I'm 17 years old. Can anyone help?

MOST HELPFUL ANSWERS

carfanbrendan answers ...

Hi Jayne. Before you learn to drive, you'll need to choose a driving instructor (or teacher). It's important to choose carefully because if you ¹ _____ your instructor, you ² _____ the lessons. My instructor was great and I really enjoyed learning to drive. Good luck 😊

philthechill answers ...

You will probably feel nervous the first time you drive, but if your instructor ³ _____ you to a quiet place to practise, it ⁴ _____ much less stressful.

agablueeyes answers ...

My brother is learning to drive and he's worried about the theory test (the one you do on a computer). I think that he ⁵ _____ the test without any problems if he ⁶ _____ the rules of the road.

jayne17 asks ...

Thanks for the advice. One more question. If I ⁷ _____ the test, will I have to pay again?

There are no answers to your question yet.

SHOW WHAT YOU'VE LEARNT

5 Match 1–6 with information a–g and write First Conditional sentences. Change the verb form if necessary.

visit Brazil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	a need to have strong legs
1 see kangaroos and koalas	<input type="checkbox"/>	b pass the driving test
2 drive to school every day	<input type="checkbox"/>	c have to pay tuition fees
3 study at a private academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	d not eat in the school canteen
4 buy a laptop	<input type="checkbox"/>	e do a gap year in Australia
5 have to make sandwiches every morning	<input type="checkbox"/>	f not have to borrow mine
6 want to learn to snowboard	<input type="checkbox"/>	g learn some basic Portuguese

If Mark visits Brazil, he 'll learn some basic Portuguese.

- 1 She _____ if she _____.
- 2 I _____ if I _____.
- 3 If Sarah and Ken _____, they _____.
- 4 If Katie _____, she _____.
- 5 You _____ if you _____.
- 6 If your friend _____, he _____.

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