

The Second Conditional

Example: If I was rich, I would buy a Ferrari

would/wouldn't past tense verb

If + , +

You need to know the past tense of these verbs:

see: saw be: was or were go: went have: had study: studied

Now try these exercises:

1) If she (see) a spider, she (run) away.

2) If I (be) a pilot, I (fly) to New York.

3) If we (be) explorers, we (discover) a cave.

4) I (go) on holiday if I (have) enough money.

5) Nick (travel) to the future if he (have) a time machine.

6) If Emma (be) a teacher she (not/give) any homework.

7) Dan (get) better marks if he (study) more.

8) If there (be) no mosquitos, there (be) no malaria.

9) You (not/be) so tired if you (go) to bed earlier.

10) Tom (learn) karate if he (have) more time.