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A risky business

Fortune favours the brave.
Latin proverb

G zero and first conditionals, future time clauses **V** expressions with take **P** linked phrases

1 GRAMMAR zero and first conditionals, future time clauses

a Complete the sentences with a verb from the list. Decide if they are zero conditional or first conditional sentences. Write 0 (zero) or 1 (first).

are cooks doesn't answer doesn't come
don't-get eat 'll stay won't move

- 1 Plants die if they don't get enough water. 0
- 2 If you put on too many calories, you put on weight. 0
- 3 I stay at a friend's house tonight if I miss the last train. 0
- 4 My sister answers her phone if she's watching a film on TV. 0
- 5 Some dogs bite if they are scared. 0
- 6 If we don't sell our house, we will move. 1
- 7 If Justin eats dinner tonight, Karen will be delighted. 0
- 8 If the bus comes soon, I'll get a taxi. 0

b Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

- 1 Bring your swimsuit if you want to use the pool. (bring)
- 2 If my husband leaves home before 7.30, he gets caught in the rush hour traffic. (not leave)
- 3 It's raining. You'll get wet if you take an umbrella with you. (not take)
- 4 Don't interrupt Emily if she is studying. (study)
- 5 If you are 18 or over, you can vote in a general election. (be)
- 6 If you can't take me to the airport, I ask a friend. (ask)
- 7 If you haven't read Jessie Burton's new book yet, I'll buy you a copy for your birthday. (not read)
- 8 If I haven't got eight hours' sleep, I always feel awful the next day. (not get)

c Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence. Use a time expression from the list and no more than two other words.

after as soon as before if in case unless until when

- 1 I'll do my Pilates, and then I'll have a shower.
I'll have a shower after I do my Pilates.
- 2 My boyfriend will arrive at his hotel. He'll call me immediately.
My boyfriend will call me as soon as at his hotel.
- 3 We'll arrive in time for lunch if the traffic isn't bad.
We'll arrive in time for lunch before is bad.
- 4 I'm going to call my husband. He might forget his doctor's appointment.
I'm going to call my husband in case his doctor's appointment.
- 5 Sarah is going to pack her suitcase. Then she'll go to bed.
Sarah is going to pack her suitcase until to bed.
- 6 We'll wait for you to get home, then we'll have dinner.
We won't have dinner until home.
- 7 I might be late tonight, so don't wait up for me.
Don't wait up for me as soon as late tonight.
- 8 I'll go to New York and I'll stay with some friends.
I'll stay with some friends until to New York.



d Complete the sentences about you.

- 1 I'll have dinner after _____.
- 2 I'll buy a new car as soon as _____.
- 3 I won't go to bed tonight until _____.
- 4 I'll go shopping before _____.
- 5 I might go out later if _____.
- 6 I won't move to a new house unless _____.
- 7 I'll finish my English homework now, in case _____.
- 8 I'll retire when _____.

2 PRONUNCIATION linked phrases

a ④4.2 Listen and complete the sentences.



- 1 *First of all* _____, let's see how much money we've got.
- 2 I didn't really want to go, but it was _____ the end.
- 3 Look smart, _____, don't be late.
- 4 _____ world, everyone would have a roof over their head.
- 5 Don't disturb me _____ important.
- 6 I'll call you _____ I get home.
- 7 _____ I'm concerned, there's nothing more to say.
- 8 It was _____ experience that I don't really want to think about it.

b ④4.2 Listen again and repeat the words. Copy the rhythm.

3 VOCABULARY expressions with take

a Match the sentence halves.



- 1 Grandparents often **take care of** children _____.
- 2 Don't **take a risk**, _____.

3 Try to **take** all the factors **into account** _____.

4 If you get an interesting job opportunity, _____.

5 **Take no notice** of people who shout; _____.

6 If you want to be involved in the protest, _____.

7 Most people **take pity on** people _____.

8 The Olympics **take place** every four years; _____.

9 Please don't hurry; _____.

a if you think something bad might happen.

b they're always held in a different country.

c they'll stop if you don't give them your attention.

d **take advantage of** it.

e who are homeless.

f before you make a decision.

g you can **take your time**.

h you can **take part in** the demonstration.

i when their parents can't look after them.

b Complete the sentences with the **bold** phrases in **a**.



1 We didn't take the rush hour traffic into account, so we nearly missed our flight.



2 Why don't we take the lovely weather and go to the beach?



3 My children love drama, so they always take part in the school play.



4 This report doesn't need to be finished today – you can take your time.



5 The pilot decided to take a different route and try to land the plane on the river.



6 I always take time to visit my elderly neighbour when he's ill. I visit him every day to check if he needs anything.



7 Most music festivals take place in the summer months when it's more likely to be sunny.



8 Could you take care of my cat while I'm on holiday?



9 Take care of Charlie – he doesn't mean to be rude.

c Match the **bold** phrasal verbs in 1–8 to definitions a–h.

- When was the last time someone **took** you **out** for dinner? d
- Who was the last person you **took** to immediately?
- Do you **take** your shoes **off** as soon as you go into your house?
- Has anyone you know ever suddenly **taken** **against** you?
- In what ways do you **take** **after** your parents?
- How often do you **take** the rubbish **out**?
- Have you ever watched the planes **take** **off** and land at an airport?
- If you could **take** **up** a new activity, what would it be?

- a to leave the ground and begin to fly
- b to start not liking somebody for no clear reason
- c to remove a piece of clothing
- d to take somebody to a place and pay for them
- e to start liking somebody
- f to learn or start to do something, especially for pleasure
- g to remove something from inside, e.g., a house
- h to look or behave like

d Answer the questions in **c** about you.

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