

GRAMMAR

Third conditional; wish + past perfect

1 Choose the correct options to complete the sentences.

- 1 We might enjoy / might have enjoyed the meal if the waiter hadn't been so rude.
- 2 If you had understood / understand the question, you might have given the right answer.
- 3 They would have been very cold if they didn't take / hadn't taken their coats.
- 4 Maria would have visited / will visit more places if she had had enough time.
- 5 If the acting was / had been better, that could have been a great film.
- 6 If Simon didn't get up / hadn't got up so late, he might not have missed the bus.
- 7 You wouldn't have met / wouldn't meet your favourite actor if you hadn't gone to the theatre that evening.
- 8 If Mum and Dad hadn't sold / didn't sell our car, we might not have been able to afford a holiday.

2 Rewrite the sentences using the third conditional.

- 0 She didn't tell me the time of her train, so I didn't go to meet her.
If she had told me the time of her train, I would have gone to meet her.
- 1 I didn't have lunch because I wasn't hungry.
If _____
- 2 You told him it was a great book, so he bought it.
If _____
- 3 He failed the test because he hadn't studied.
He _____
- 4 Steve didn't hear about the party, so he didn't go.
If _____
- 5 I had drunk all the milk, so Dad couldn't make a cheese sauce.
Dad _____
- 6 Your bag was stolen because you left it outside.
If _____
- 7 I started a new school last year and met my best friend.
If _____
- 8 You were rude to Irina yesterday, so it isn't surprising she ignored you this morning!
Irina _____

3 Complete the sentences with I wish and the correct form of the verbs in the box.

book	not crash	not eat	not go
have	know	phone	not spend
not stop	study	wear	

- 0 I wish I had studied harder at school.
- 1 _____ to bed so late last night.
- 2 _____ about the test.
- 3 _____ tickets for the Haim concert.
- 4 _____ so much chocolate.
- 5 _____ a warmer coat.
- 6 _____ all my money on these new trainers.
- 7 _____ you earlier today for a chat.
- 8 _____ learning to play the piano.
- 9 _____ the courage to say what I thought.
- 10 _____ my bike into the wall yesterday.



4 Correct the mistakes in five of the sentences.

Which one is correct?

- 1 If we had took the plane, we wouldn't have seen so many interesting places.
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- 2 If you have been there, you would enjoyed yourself!
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- 3 Finally, I'd like to tell you that if I had known, I would have stayed at your home for the rest of my holiday.
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- 4 I think many problems going to appear if I had bought it.
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- 5 I really wish you were here with me last month.
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- 6 I liked it very much and I wish you would have been able to go with me.
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