

## Unit 11

### Grammar

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> conditional

##### 1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- If I had gone (go) to art school I would have become (become) a professional artist sooner.
- 1 If we \_\_\_\_\_ (save) more money, we \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Australia not Austria.
  - 2 You \_\_\_\_\_ (see) Pat, if you \_\_\_\_\_ (catch) an earlier train.
  - 3 If you \_\_\_\_\_ (not press) the wrong button, I \_\_\_\_\_ (not miss) my favourite programme.
  - 4 If you \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, you \_\_\_\_\_ (not learn) how to drive.
  - 5 We \_\_\_\_\_ (get) to the final, if the referee \_\_\_\_\_ (allow) the goal.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> conditional with **could** or **might**

##### 2 Write sentences using the prompts and the 3<sup>rd</sup> conditional.

- could go on a cruise/spend all our money

We could have gone on a cruise, if you hadn't spent all our money.

- 1 might catch the train/be able to run faster

We \_\_\_\_\_, if you \_\_\_\_\_.

- 2 could not go the US/not arrive in time

They \_\_\_\_\_, if Sue's passport \_\_\_\_\_.

- 3 not phone/might not know the road was closed

If your mum \_\_\_\_\_, we \_\_\_\_\_.

- 4 could come to your party/not be working

I \_\_\_\_\_, if I \_\_\_\_\_.

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5 have more time/might enjoy it more

If we \_\_\_\_\_, I \_\_\_\_\_.

6 could go surfing/be more wind

They \_\_\_\_\_, if there \_\_\_\_\_.

### Mixed conditionals

#### 3 Match the sentence halves.

→ a I would love a piece of cake,...

1 \_\_\_\_ Tom would have bought a new computer by now,...

2 \_\_\_\_ If they hadn't broken the window,...

3 \_\_\_\_ Josh would be in the match later today,...

4 \_\_\_\_ If we'd left earlier,...

5 \_\_\_\_ If Cyprus wasn't so hot in August,...

a \_\_\_\_ if I hadn't had such a big lunch.

b \_\_\_\_ we wouldn't be in such a rush now.

c \_\_\_\_ I would have gone there for my summer holidays.

d \_\_\_\_ if he had the money.

e \_\_\_\_ Mum wouldn't be so angry with them now.

f \_\_\_\_ if he hadn't hurt his leg last weekend.

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### wish/if only

#### 4 Complete the email with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Hi Kim,

I hope you're having a better day than I am.

It's been raining all day and I wish it → would stop (stop). I'm getting really irritated with Pete, too. I just wish he <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not keep) calling when I'm trying to study. If only he <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a little less possessive! If only I <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (can) have a little time to myself. I just wish I <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be able) to go to an art gallery sometimes instead. Come to think of it, if only he <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (let) me go out with some other friends, I'd be able to see you more often. Still, you probably wish I <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not complain) about him all the time, but thanks for listening!

Rachel

#### 5 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence.

→ It was so hot inside the hall. It was awful.

I wish it hadn't been so hot.

1 I didn't get a job last summer.

I wish \_\_\_\_\_.

2 It's a shame that Felicity didn't meet you.

If only Felicity \_\_\_\_\_.

3 I regret not studying harder at university.

I wish \_\_\_\_\_.

4 The car was stolen because you left the keys in it!

If only \_\_\_\_\_!

5 It was a bad idea to buy this phone.

I wish I \_\_\_\_\_.

6 Why didn't we buy a bigger house?

I wish we \_\_\_\_\_.

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7 I'm sorry that Jack lost his wallet.

If only Jack \_\_\_\_\_.

### Talking about art

#### 7 Choose the correct alternative.

→ Magritte was a *surrealist/surreal*.

- 1 One of Jackie's paintings has been chosen to *illustration/illustrate* the front cover.
- 2 Pointillists, such as Seurat, are famous for the *light/lightness* of their brushstrokes.
- 3 *Figure/Figurative* art shows people, landscapes and things while abstract art represents feelings or ideas.
- 4 His work is sometimes regarded as artificial or *stylised/style*.
- 5 The use of vibrant colour brings out the *warm/warmth* in the painting.
- 6 Those *details/detailed* in the background are wonderful.
- 7 I don't understand this type of painting. I like portraits to be more *realistic/real*.
- 8 Her paintings of Cornwall *remind me of/reflect* holidays by the sea when I was a child.

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### Easily confused words: art and fashion

#### 8 Choose the correct prefix or suffix (a, b or c).

→ The animals in the foreground of the picture were quite **intriguing**.

**a**-ing   **b**-able   **c**-ive

1 I don't care if my clothes aren't **fashion**\_\_\_\_, I feel good in them.

**a**-al   **b**-ful   **c**-able

2 Cathy thinks she's got a lot of talent, but to be honest, some of her paintings are just **ridicul**\_\_\_\_!

**a**-al   **b**-ous   **c**-ful

3 The first model to audition had a very \_\_\_\_ **natural** walk. We all hope the others will be better.

**a** in-   **b** un-   **c** mis-

4 Do you think Jack will ever be a **success**\_\_\_\_ artist?

**a**-ful   **b**-ive   **c**-less

5 Jill thought the Victor Pasmore abstract was brilliant. I don't agree at all, I thought it was incredibly \_\_\_\_ **rated**.

**a** under-   **b** un-   **c** over-

6 I want to get some of my photos published, so I've hired a **profession**\_\_\_\_ model for my next shoot.

**a**-ist   **b**-al   **c**-ive

7 Leonardo's studies of water are \_\_\_\_ **forgettable**.

**a** in-   **b** un-   **c** mis-

8 These days most people think it's really **taste**\_\_\_\_ for designers to want underweight models in their shows.

**a**-less   **b**-ive   **c**-ful