

Classify the statements into the correct uses.

What if we **asked** Simon
to come with us?

It's **about time** she
apologized!

What if we **had asked**
Simon to come with us?

I **wish you were** a little more
patient.

I **wish you hadn't**
been less impatient.

We'd rather you **didn't**
mention this to anyone.

If **only we'd known**
that yesterday!

If **only I knew** that!

We'd rather you **hadn't**
mentioned this to anyone.

To imagine a present or future
situation or a suggestion.

To imagine a past situation.

To express a strong desire for
change in the present or future.

To express regret about something
that happened or didn't happen.

It has the same meaning as IF ONLY
but is a little less strong.

To talk about preference, now or in
the future.

To express a wish for something to
happen in the present or future,
which hasn't happened yet or isn't
happening now.

1. Change the statements to past forms.

What do you think if we ask Simon to come with us?

If we had known that yesterday, we would've done it differently.

2. Put in order the words to form unreal sentences.

only / I / much. / hadn't / If / so / eaten

us. / holidays / If / only / on / with / come / they'd

what / theme / studied / If / before / ? / we / hardest / the

If / were / only / more / I / patient.

didn't / If / I / in the / live / only / city.

3. Change the following sentences using **WISH**.

I can't buy a Porsche.

She's leaving tomorrow.

You're not patient enough.

I left the party early.