

# CONDITIONAL CLAUSES

**ZERO:** IF + PRESENT SIMPLE + PRESENT SIMPLE

If I **feel** all right, I **don't go** to the doctor.

**FIRST:** IF + PRESENT SIMPLE + FUTURE SIMPLE / IMPERATIVE / MODAL

If I **know** anything before Tuesday, I **will phone** you.

**SECOND:** IF + PAST SIMPLE + CONDITIONAL SIMPLE (WOULD)

If I **knew** the answer, I **wouldn't ask** you.

**THIRD:** IF + PAST PERFECT + CONDITIONAL PERFECT (WOULD HAVE)

If I **had known** all the answers, I **wouldn't have failed** the exam.

## FILL IN THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT VERB FORM:

1.- I have an appointment at 3.30 tomorrow. If I (manage) ..... to finish before 4.30, I (do) ..... the shopping on my way back.

2.- Tom missed his flight. He (get) ..... to the airport on time if he (not oversleep) .....

3.- If I (have) ..... such a large house as yours, I (invite) ..... all my friends for the weekend.

4.- If the child (not be playing) ..... with matches, he (not burn) ..... himself. Now he's in hospital.

5.- She's so shy. If she (talk) ..... to people, she (make) ..... friends.

6.- So, you're seeing Terry tonight. If he (ask) ..... you about me, (not, tell) ..... him I'm going out with John.

7.- If a machine (be) ..... properly maintained, it (fail, never) .....

8.- We (invite) ..... him if we (know) ..... his address, but he never gave it to us.

9.- He's too short. If he (be) ..... taller, he (can) ..... play basketball.