Choose the correct answer:

1) We use wish and if only to talk about things that we would like to be different in either _____ or _____.

   the present or the past   the past of the future   the future or the present.

2) If only is usually a bit stronger than wish. True/False

   If only I had not spoken to him like that.
   I wish I had not spoken to him like that.

3) <u>In the present:</u> We can use wish/if only + _____ to talk about a present situation we would like to be different.

   I wish you didn't live so far away.
   If only we knew what to do.
   He wishes he could afford a holiday

   a past form   a present form   a future form

4) <u>In the past:</u> We can use wish/if only + _____ to talk about something we would like to change about the past.

   They wish they hadn't eaten so much chocolate. They're feeling very sick now.
   If only I'd studied harder when I was at school.

   a present perfect form   a past perfect form   a future perfect form

5) <u>Expressing annoyance:</u> We can use _____ to show that we are annoyed with what someone or something does or doesn't do. We often feel that they are unlikely or unwilling to change.

   I wish you wouldn't borrow my clothes without asking.
   I wish it would rain. The garden really needs some water.
   She wishes he'd work less. They never spend any time together.

   wish + did(n't)   wish + should(n't)   wish + would(n't)

Turn the following sentences into "I wish..." clauses.

   a) I don't have a car. _____
   b) I can't play the piano. _____
   c) I'm ill. _____
   d) I can't afford to go on holiday. _____