

UNIT 1 • LESSON 5, ACTIVITY 2

Grammar Worksheet

Present unreal conditional; wish

Study the charts.

Present Unreal Conditional	
If clause	Result clause
If Eva had more time,	she would travel.
If you were rich,	would you buy a big house?
If there were a mountain here,	we could climb it.

Wishes About Present/Future Situations

I **wish** I **knew** how to take good photos.
 She **wishes** she **were** good at singing.
 Does he **wish** he **could** ski?

Complete the sentences. Use the correct form of the verb.

Hey Jack,

I'm sorry, but I can't come to your 30th birthday party tonight. I wish

I _____ could _____ (can) get away, but I'll be working late . . . again!

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If I _____ (not have to work) 80 hours a week,

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I _____ (be) there, for sure. If I _____ (have)

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any free time at all, I _____ (spend) more time with you and my other

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friends. I wish things _____ (be) different. In fact, if

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I _____ (have) the time and money,

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I _____ (buy) you that piano you've always wanted. Can you imagine

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how well you _____ (play) if you _____ (practice)

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every day on your own piano?

Anyway, I guess that's enough dreaming for today. Again, I'm sorry I can't make the party, and I hope you have a wonderful night!

All the best to you,

Sandy