

GRAMMAR

EXTRA PRACTICE

5 Write sentences using the **second** or **third conditional**

- 1 I would travel to India if I _____ (have) enough money.
- 2 If the student had studied at weekends, he _____ (not fail) his exams.
- 3 If you _____ (not have to study), we could go to the shops.
- 4 If I had known (know) then what I know now, I _____ (not have) so many problems.
- 5 If you _____ (not already busy), would you play?
- 6 If they _____ (be) taller, they could be supermodels
- 7 _____ (not/would you get bored) if you played computer games all night
- 8 If he _____ (have) the time, he would have learnt to play the guitar.
- 9 I _____ (be able to) make more foreign friends if I hadn't given up English.
- 10 If we _____ (not save) money, we wouldn't have bought a present for Mum.

6 Write **wishes** using the prompts.

- 0 Look, it's Zac, the lead singer of Fob. – if only / I / have / my camera

If only I had my camera.

- 1 He wanted to talk to her. – if only / he / not be / so shy

- 2 Sarah is my best friend. – I wish / I / see / her / more often

- 3 I'd love to be a pop star. – I wish / I / can / sing

- 4 We wanted to send her a letter. – if only we / know / her address

- 5 I feel so tired. – I wish / I / not go out / yesterday

4 Rewrite using the correct passive form.

- 1 The paparazzi **had followed** Princess Diana.
Princess Diana _____.
- 2 Celebrities often **accuse** the paparazzi of putting lives in danger.
The paparazzi _____.
- 3 The police **arrested** the photographer.
The photographer _____.
- 4 The paparazzi **have followed** him everywhere.
He _____.
- 5 Michael Douglas **did not give** the guests the location of the wedding.
The guests _____.
- 6 The paparazzi **do not pay** celebrities.
Celebrities _____.

5 Write sentences using the correct form of the impersonal passive.

- 1 They **say** that most types of plastic **can** be recycled
It _____.
- 2 She **said** that the students **like being assigned** too much homework
The students _____.
- 3 The doctor explained that this medicine **must not be given** to small children
It _____.
- 4 People say that bullying in schools **ought to be stopped**
Bullying _____.
- 6 Politicians know that something **must be done** to help the environment
It _____.
- 8 Everybody knows that nurses deserve more money
Nurses _____.

Verb tenses

Mrs Hay _____ (drive) along a small country road when she _____ (see) a man at the side of the road. He _____ (wave) and pointing at his car. Mrs Hay _____ (stop) and asked the man if he was all right. "My car's broken down" said the man. "Where do you _____ (want) to go?" asked Mrs Hay. "London" replied the man.



Well, I _____ (not/ go) to London, but I _____ (give) you a lift to the station if you like".

On the way to the station they chatted.

"_____ you _____ (work) in London?" asked Mrs Hay.

"No, I don't. I run my own business in Oxford. But today I _____ (have) lunch with a friend in London- we always _____ (have) lunch together on Fridays"

"There's a train at 11.30. I don't think you'll be late for your appointment".

When they arrived at the station, a train _____ (stand) at the platform. "That's your train," said Mrs Hay. "You _____ (catch) it if you're quick".

A few minutes later, she realized she _____ (make) a mistake: it was the wrong train! She went back to the station, but the train _____ (not/ be) there. It _____ (already/leave).

She went into the station and asked at the information desk where the train was going. "It's the express service to Oxford" said the information clerk.

LITTLE CAT, LITTLE CAT, WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?

When Bo the cat decided to ¹ _____ (explore) a furniture van, she had a bigger adventure than she expected. She was ² _____ (discover) by the driver, after he ³ _____ (complete) a trip of over 500 kilometres. It was the end of a very long day. The driver and the cat were both hungry! He ⁴ _____ (give) her some milk and started ⁵ _____ (make) some calls. He telephoned his last customers, but they ⁶ _____ (not/lose) a cat. It ⁷ _____ (get) late, so he took Bo home for the night and the next morning took her to an animal hospital.

The cat's owner ⁸ _____ (do) some detective work too. After ⁹ _____ (look) everywhere for the cat, he suddenly ¹⁰ _____ (remember) the furniture van. Fortunately, he ¹¹ _____ (can) remember the name of the company. He called their office and in a short time Bo was home safely. "I ¹² _____ (be) so happy!" said the owner, "I ¹³ _____ (not/think) I would see her again! We ¹⁴ _____ (be) together since she was a kitten. If I hadn't found her, I ¹⁵ _____ (miss) her a lot"

WILLIAM THE HERO!

Brave William Baldock, who ¹ _____ (be) six years old, is a hero after ² _____ (help) his mother when she fell downstairs. William quickly rang for an ambulance when he discovered his mother ³ _____ (break) her leg. In spite of ⁴ _____ (be) frightened, he told the emergency services what ⁵ _____ (happen) and answered all the questions they asked him. He also ⁶ _____ (telephone) his father at work and then his grandmother to ⁷ _____ (explain) what he had done. While waiting for these people to come, William ⁸ _____ (look) after his 18-month-old sister. When ambulance man Steve Lyn went to the house, he ⁹ _____ (be) amazed: "It's unbelievable that such a young boy ¹⁰ _____ (know) the right number to dial, and



_____ (be/able) to give us the correct information. Because of William's quick thinking, we were able to ¹² _____ (get) there immediately". Mrs Baldock ¹³ _____ (leave) hospital yesterday, very grateful to both William and the ambulance service. "I ¹⁴ _____ (be) very proud of my son", she said. "I don't know what I would have done if he ¹⁵ _____ (not/be) there".