

Mixed conditionals in English are used to describe situations where the time in the "if" clause (condition) and the time in the main clause (result) are different. They often reflect hypothetical situations with results that are either in the present or past.

**IF+ SUBJECT+PAST PERFECT +, + SUBJECT+WOULD+INFINITIVE**

**If I had studied medicine, I would work in a hospital now**

(= I didn't study medicine)

(= I don't work in a hospital now)

**PAST CONDITION**

3<sup>rd</sup> condition

**PRESENT OR FUTURE RESULT**

2<sup>nd</sup> condition

- Complete the following sentences using the appropriate mixed conditional form.
  1. If she had taken the job offer last year, she \_\_\_\_\_ (be) the manager now.
  2. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/miss) the bus, I would be at work by now.
  3. If they \_\_\_\_\_ (save) enough money, they would be buying a house now.
  4. If I were you, I \_\_\_\_\_ (accept) that offer last month.
  5. If we \_\_\_\_\_ (not/argue) so much, we would be happier now.
- Rewrite the following sentences using mixed conditionals to convey the correct hypothetical meaning.
  1. She didn't go to college, so she doesn't have a degree.
    - If she had gone to college, she \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. He isn't good at math, so he didn't pass the exam.
    - If he were good at math, he \_\_\_\_\_.
  3. They didn't save money, so they can't go on vacation now.
    - If they had saved money, they \_\_\_\_\_.
  4. I don't have enough free time, so I didn't take the course.
    - If I had enough free time, I \_\_\_\_\_.
  5. She was sick last week, so she can't come to the party now.
    - If she hadn't been sick last week, she \_\_\_\_\_.