

Third conditional

It is used to talk about hypothetical situations in the past, express regret or criticism.

Formula:

If + Past perfect , Perfect conditional

Had + past participle would have + past participle

Example:

If I **had left** earlier , I **would have arrived** on time

I **would have called** you if you **had told** me you needed help

Exercises:

1. Match the clauses to form a sentence

Condition (If Clause)

1. If I *had fallen* asleep earlier,
2. Your plants *wouldn't have died*
3. If I *had won* the competition,
4. The dog *would have gotten* sick

Result (Main Clause)

- A. if you *had watered* them.
- B. I *wouldn't have been* so sleepy.
- C. if it *had eaten* the chocolate.
- D. I *would have thrown* a party.

2. Rearrange the sentences in the correct order

a) If I / known / coming, / you / would / baked / had / were / I / have / a cake.

If I _____ a cake.

b) She wouldn't / late / been / have / for / if / had / work / alarm / her / gone off.

She wouldn't _____ gone off.

c) If he / he / have / more / world / could / traveled / saved / had / money, / around / the / last year.

If he _____ last year.

3. Answer two questions using third conditional

a) If you had won the lottery, what would you have done?

b) If you had played a sport earlier in life, what would that sport have been?