Second Conditional

Revise the rule: We use the **second conditional** when talking about <u>future events</u> that are NOT likely to happen. This is known as an unreal conditional.

If + Simple Past + Would + Verb

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- **If** a tiger **walked** into the room, I **would scream**
- I **would scream if** a tiger **walked** into the room.

Now do the following exercises using the correct form of the verb:

1. If I   (win) the lottery, I   (give) all the money to charity.
2. I   (give) all the money to charity if I   (win) the lottery.
3. If I   (have) more money, I   (buy) a new car.
4. I   (buy) a new car if I   (have) more money.
5. If it   (not be) so windy, I   (go) for a walk on the beach.
6. I   (go) for a walk on the beach if it   (not be) so windy.
7. If there   (not be) a lockdown, I   (come) and visit you.
8. I   (come) and visit you, if there   (not be) a lockdown.
9. If I   (have) more time, I   (clean) my car.
10. I   (clean) my car, if I   (have) more time.
11. If it   (snow) in the Sahara, it   (be) astonishing.
12. It   (be) astonishing if it   (snow) in the Sahara.
13. If I   (be) you, I   (quit) smoking.
14. I   (quit) smoking if I   (be) you.
15. If I   (work) in London, I   (take) the tube every day.
16. I   (take) the tube every day if I   (work) in London.
17. If I   (have) the time, I   learn to speak French.
18. I   (learn) to speak French if I   (have) the time.
19. If I   (have) a pool, I   (swim) every day.
20. I   (swim) every day if I   (have) a pool.