

GRAMMAR:**Conditional Sentences / If - Clauses Type I, II and III****A. Conditional Sentence Type 1:**

→ It is possible and also very likely that the condition will be fulfilled.

Form: If + Simple Present >>> Future (= will + bare infinitive)

Example: If I find her address, I'll send her an invitation.

Exercise :

Complete the Conditional Sentences (Type I) by putting the verbs into the correct form.

- 1.If you (send) **send**this letter now, she (receive)..... **will receive** it tomorrow .
2. If I (do)..... **do** this test, I (improve) **will improve**..... my English.
3. Peggy (go) **will go** shopping if she (have) **has** time in the afternoon.
- 4 .Simon (go) **will go** to London next week if he (get) **gets** a cheap flight.
5. If they (study / not) **do not study**harder, they (pass / not) will not **pass** the exam.
6. If it (rain) **rains** tomorrow, I (have to / not) **I will not have to**water the plants.

B. Conditional Sentence Type 2 :

→ It is possible but very unlikely, that the condition will be fulfilled.

Form: if + Simple Past >>> Conditional (= would + bare infinitive)

Example: If I found her address, I would send her an invitation.

Exercise :

Complete the Conditional Sentences (Type II) by putting the verbs into the correct form.

1. If I (be) **was** rich, my life (change) **would change** completely.
- 2.I (invite) **would invite**all my friends if (have) **had** a house by the beach.
3. If we (have) **had** a yacht, we (sail) **would sail** the seven seas.
- 4.If they (tell) **told** their father, he (be) **would be** very angry.
5. We (help) would help you if we (know) **knew**how.
- 6.My brother (buy) **would buy**a sports car if he (have) **had**the money.

C. Conditional Sentence Type 3 :

→ It is impossible that the condition will be fulfilled because it refers to the past.

Form: if + Past Perfect, Conditional II (= would + have + Past Participle)

Example: If I had found her address, I would have sent her an invitation.

Exercise :

Complete the Conditional Sentences (Type III) by putting the verbs into the correct form.

- 1.If you (study) **had studied** for the test, you (pass) **would have passed**it.
- 2.If you (ask) **had asked**me, I (help) **would have helped**you.
- 3.If you (speak) **had spoken** ... English, she (understand) ... **would have understood**.
- 4.I (write) **would have written**you a postcard if I (have) **had**..... your address.
- 5.If it (not/ start) **had not started** ... to rain, we (walk) **would have walked**to the museum.
- 6.If she (take) **had taken** A taxi , she (not / arrive) **would not have arrived** late.

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