GRAMMAR: CONDITIONAL SENTENCES. TYPES 1, 2

• CONDITIONAL SENTENCE TYPE 1:

It is often called the real conditional because it is used for real or possible situations. These situations take place if a certain condition is met. It is possible, and also very likely, that the condition will be fulfilled.

FORM 01:

If + present simple + future simple (will).

FORM02:

Future simple + if+ present simple.

USAGE:

Conditional sentences type 1 refers to the future. An action in the future will only happen if a certain condition is fulfilled by that time. We don't know for sure whether the condition actually will be fulfilled or not, but the conditions seem rather realistic, so we think it is likely to happen.

Example:

If I have enough time, I'll watch the football match. (I may have time to watch the match but I'm not sure about it.)

• CONDITIONAL SENTENCE TYPE 2:

It is often called the unreal conditional because it is used for impossible or improbable situations. This conditional provides an imaginary result for a given situation. It is very unlikely that the condition will be fulfilled.

FORM 01:

If + past simple + would + stem.

FORM 02:

Would+ stem+ if + past simple.

Was and Were:

In conditional type 2, we usually use, in the "if clause", "were" instead of "was", even if the pronoun is **I**, **he**, **she** or **it**. "Were" here is a subjunctive form, although "was" is also accepted.

Example

If I were a millionaire, I would buy a castle.

USAGE:

Conditional sentences type 2 refers to an action in the present that could happen if the present situation were different. I don't really expect the situation to change because it is very unlikely.

Example:

If I had a lot of money, I would travel around the world. (I can't do it because I don't have enough money.)

<u>Task 01:</u> Fill in the gaps with the correct forms of the first conditional. Use the verbs in brackets:

a)	If Istudy (study) hard, Iwill pass (pass) this year's exam.
b)	If the weatheris (be) fine, wewill go (go) on a picnic
c)	If Itravel (travel) to Paris, Iwill visit (visit) the Eiffel Tower.
d)	If theydon't invite (not invite) me to their birthday party, Iwill not go(not
	go).

- e) If he.....gets...... (get) my email, he.....will send..... (send) us the information we need.
- f) If she.....travels..... (travel) to London, she....will visit..... (visit) the museums.
- g) If I.....get...... (get) the money, I......will buy...... (buy) a mobile phone
- h) If I......have.... (have) enough time this evening, I...will watch (watch) a movie.

<u>Task02:</u> Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the second conditional.

- a) If I......(win) the lottery, I....would be.....(be) a millionaire.
- **b**) If I....were.....(quit) my job.
- c) I....would buy..... (buy) anything I want if I.....got...... (get) that jackpot.
- d) If I.....traveled...... (travel) somewhere, I.....would stay..... (stay) in the most luxurious hotels.
- e) I......would help....... (help) the poor if I......became...... (become) a millionaire.
- f) I.....would give...... (give) some money to charities if...were...... (be) rich.

Final "ed"

/id/ {t, d} e.g: wanted, needed.

ed: /t/ { p,k,f,s, th,ch,sh} e.g: attacked, laughed, pushed, placed, blessed.

/d/ {l,m,n,v,ge,r,b,z,w} r.g: discovered, belonged.

<u>Task 01:</u> classify the following words according to the pronunciation of the final "ed":

Believed- attended- developed- memorized- situated- linked- divided- added-governed- practiced- produced- located- contained- worked- borrowed.

/t/	/d/	/id/
Developed-linked-	Believed-memorized-	Attended-situated-
practiced-produced-	governed-contained-	divided-added-located-
worked-	borrowed	

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