

ENGLISH

Chapter 17

5th
SECONDARY

CHALLENGES



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1 Read the examples and match a–e with rules 1–6. The examples may match more than one rule.

- a I **wouldn't have run** as fast if I **hadn't seen** my rival.
- b If we **identified** these traits, we **would accept** ourselves more.
- c If/When you **have** a rival, it **increases** your motivation to succeed.
- d **Unless** you set objectives, you don't work as hard.
- e If you **compete** against a rival, you **will be** more motivated.

- 1 Zero conditional sentences talk about facts. We can use *when* instead of *if*.
- 2 First conditional sentences talk about the **future**, for possible or likely situations.
- 3 Second conditional sentences talk about **present** and **future**, for imaginary or unlikely situations.
- 4 Third conditional sentences talk about the **past**. We imagine changing the past.
- 5 *Unless* means *if ... not*. It is most often used in first conditional sentences.
- 6 The *if* clause can come first or second. When it comes first, we separate the two clauses with a comma.

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Complete the second sentence so it means the same as the first. Use the words in parentheses and make any necessary changes.

1 I don't want to go if you don't go.

I won't go unless you go (unless)

2 Drink plenty of water or you will get thirsty.

You get thirsty when you don't drink a lot of water (when)

3 I think seeing a big spider would make me scream!

I would scream if I saw a spider (saw)

4 I'm likely to see Mo later, so maybe I can give him the message.

I will give Mo the message if I see him later (if)

5 I'm glad I went to the party. I met Sara there.

I wouldn't have met Sara if I hadn't gone to the party (if)

Alternatives to *if*

We'll enter **providing/provided (that)** we train hard.

As/So long as I work hard, I'll achieve my goals.

He said he would train me **on the condition that** I practiced every day.

3 Rewrite the sentences with the words in parentheses.

- 1 My parents may give me permission; if so, I'll apply. **(as long as)**
I'll apply as long as my parents give me permission
- 2 My sister let me borrow her jacket – I had to return it later. **(on the condition that)**
My sister let me borrow her jacket on the condition that I returned it later.
- 3 We'll go to the mountains if the weather's fine. **(providing that)**
We'll go to the mountains providing that the weather is fine.
- 4 You can use my guitar – you must be careful. **(so long as)** You can use my guitar so long as you are careful.
- 5 I hope I pass my exams, then I'll go to college. **(provided that)** Provided that I pass my exams, I'll go to college.

4 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in parentheses or one suitable word.

When you **1** swim (swim) in freezing cold water, you **2** get (get) hypothermia – usually. **3** Unless you get out quite quickly, the water will kill you. However, as **4** long as you train correctly, you **5** will be able to (be able to) swim in very cold water.

Lynne Cox was the first person to swim from Alaska in the USA to Russia – where the average temperature of the sea was 4°C. If she **6** hadn't trained (not train), she **7** wouldn't have been able to (not be able) to do it. If you bought her book *Swimming to Antarctica*, you **8** would learn (learn) about some of her amazing adventures.

5 Correct the mistakes in the questions.

- 1 What would you do you had some free time tonight?
- 2 Where will you go if you ~~will~~ go out tonight?
- 3 If you didn't live in this country, where would you liked to like ?
- 4 If you don't eat any food all day, How do you feel?
- 5 What language would you have studied if you hadn't started learning English?



I wish and If only

1 Read the examples and complete the rules.

Present

I wish I **was/were** good at singing, but I'm not.

Do you wish you **could** go on the show? You can't.

If only I **had** a good voice, but sadly I don't.

If only the judges **weren't** so critical – but they are!

If only they **didn't choose** such tricky songs. They choose hard ones.

Past

I didn't see the first show, but I wish I'd **seen** it.

You went to the audition. Do you wish you **hadn't gone**?

If only I **had been able to** choose my own song. I couldn't.

I sang my favorite song. If only I **hadn't sung** it!

- 1 We use *wish/if only* + simple past to talk about regrets and things we would like to change about the present.
- 2 We use *wish/if only* + past perfect to talk about past regrets.
- 3 We use Do you wish for questions in the present and past.

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in parentheses. Which ones are true for you?

- 1 I can't play any musical instruments. I wish I _____ **could** _____ (**can**) play one!
- 2 If only I _____ **hadn't gone** _____ (**not go**) to bed so late yesterday. I wish I _____ **weren't** _____ (**not be**) so tired now!
- 3 If only I _____ **had** _____ (**have**) more free time. I don't have much.
- 4 Our teachers didn't give us any homework last week. I wish they _____ **had given** _____ (**give**) us some.
- 5 I forgot to charge my phone last night. I wish it _____ **worked** _____ (**work**) now. If only I _____ **had charged** _____ (**charge**) it.

I wish + would/wouldn't

4 Read the examples and complete the rules with *habit, object or change*.

I wish my friends **would** stop singing! I can't do my homework.

I wish you **wouldn't** watch that TV show all the time.

- 1 We use *wish + would/wouldn't* to talk about something in the present we would like to change, but can't. This is usually an annoying habit.
- 2 When we use *wish + would/wouldn't*, the subject and object are always different. Usually, the subject is **I**.

5 Rewrite the sentences with *wish* and *would/wouldn't* where necessary.

- 1 I wish I hadn't forgotten my cell phone. I phone.
- 2 I wish I had more money. can't go to the movies tonight.
- 3 I wish people wouldn't drop trash on the ground. annoying!
- 4 I wish they had have told me about the party. know.
- 5 I wish my brother wouldn't use my computer. y computer.

6 Circle the correct option to complete the text

GRAMMAR ROUND-UP

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A TOUGH CHALLENGE

Nepalese climber Nirmal Purja **1 has set/has been setting** a new record for climbing the world's 14 highest mountains – and he's done it in just over half a year, **2 a bit fast/far faster** than anyone else. He **3 used to manage/managed** to complete this challenge as part of 'Project Possible'. He climbed Shishapangma, **4 which/where** is over 8,000 m high, only six months and six days after he **5 was climbing/had climbed** his first mountain, Annapurna in Nepal. He **6 must have/couldn't have** done it any faster! Climbing experts said that fewer than 40 climbers **7 climbed/had climbed** all 14 mountains. What new challenge will Nirmal **8 be doing/have done** next year? Who knows! I can't imagine doing what he did – I don't like heights. I wish I **9 did/had done**. If I had learned to climb, perhaps I **10 will climb/would have climbed** one of those mountains!

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