

6. Interpret and follow charts related to weather

Use real conditionals

The real conditional refers to a possible situation **in the present or future**. This possible condition may or may not happen. If the condition **does** happen, certain results will also happen.

Read the entire weather report. Identify each sentence that states a possible condition and a related result.

Good afternoon, listeners! **If you're going out tonight, you'll need an umbrella.** We're expecting scattered showers all evening. **We may even see a little snow if temperatures continue to drop.** Be careful out there! Streets will be hazardous if the temperature drops below freezing. It's currently 36 degrees. If you have plans for outdoor activities tomorrow, you won't be disappointed. You can expect clear skies and much warmer temperatures by late afternoon. Temperatures will be in the low 60s. Unless a storm front moves in, we'll have beautiful weather all weekend. That's all for today's weather. You can always download our app if you'd like more detailed weather information.

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Real Conditional	
<i>If you're going out tonight,</i>	<i>you'll need an umbrella.</i>
<i>Unless a storm front moves in,</i>	<i>we'll have beautiful weather.</i>
<i>I always drive carefully</i>	<i>if it is snowing.</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The conditional clause can begin with <i>if</i>, <i>whether</i>, or <i>unless</i>. <i>Unless</i> means "except if."• The clause that states the condition is a dependent clause. The result clause is an independent clause.• When a sentence begins with the conditional clause, a comma is used to separate the two clauses.	

Llamativo = Flashy

If Sofía continues with this charm, she'll always be my friend
Sofía will always be my friend if she continues with this charm.

Choose ALL the correct answers

1. A conditional clause can begin with _____.
a. *if* b. *because* c. *unless* d. *before*
2. The verb in the *if* clause may be in the _____.
a. simple past b. simple present c. present progressive d. future
3. The verb in the result clause may be in _____ tense.
a. the past b. the present c. the future d. any

1. a, c
2. b, c
3. c, b

COMPLETE. Complete the sentences. Use the real conditional.

1. (*rain, carry*) If it _____ for several days, I _____ my umbrella.
2. (*be, go*) If the weather _____ nice next weekend, we _____ to the beach.
3. (*improve, be*) Unless the weather _____ soon, our flight _____ cancelled this evening.
4. (*cancel, not snow*) We _____ our ski plans this weekend if it _____.
5. (*change, get*) If the weather _____ suddenly, I usually _____ a headache.
6. (*not meet, be*) Classes _____ tonight if the tornado watch _____ still in effect.

1. If it rains for several days, I will carry my umbrella
2. If the weather is nice next weekend, we will go to the beach
3. Unless the weather improves soon, our flight will be canceled this evening
4. We will cancel our ski plans this weekend if it doesn't snow
5. If the weather changes suddenly, I usually get a headache
6. Classes will not meet tonight if the tornado watch is still in effect

General structure

1. **If/Unless + pronoun + simple present / present continuous + “,” (comma) + pronoun + future with will / simple present**
2. **Pronoun + future with will / simple present + if/unless + pronoun + simple present / present continuous**

Unless = A negative version of “if”

Case 1: If Sofía continues with this charm, she'll always be my friend

Case 2: If Sofia is working hard, she'll become a great professional

Case 3: If Sofia doesn't study, she fails the exam

Present continuous (review)

Pronoun + verb "to be" (in present) + verb with ing + complement

Petronila is working at a Call Center

Petronila works at a Call Center (simple present)

Adverbs of frequency

Always, usually, never, seldom, several, sometimes ---- SIMPLE PRESENT

Transformation of a conditional

Unless the weather improves soon, our flight will be cancelled this evening

If the weather doesn't improve soon, our flight will be cancelled this evening

Last example:

I will not get my car unless I get my license

Use present and future unreal conditionals

The unreal conditional is used for improbable or impossible situations. **Improbable** means the situation described is very unlikely to occur.

Read the entire text message between two people who just watched a documentary on natural disasters. Identify each sentence that states an improbable situation.

A: If there were a tornado in our city, I would hide in my closet.

B: IDK. I think I'd lie in the bathtub.

A: What if there were a hurricane? I'd make sure I had a lot of canned food and bottled water.

B: We don't have hurricanes in Ohio.

A: But if we had hurricanes, I'd make sure I was prepared.

B: If we had an ocean nearby, we'd have hurricanes. We don't have an ocean.

A: OK. But if we had an ocean, I wouldn't care if we had hurricanes. I'd go surfing every day.

B: And if you went surfing every day, you wouldn't text me about dumb stuff like this.

Unreal Conditional	
<i>If there were a tornado in our city,</i>	<i>I would hide in my closet.</i>
<i>I would go surfing everyday</i>	<i>if we had an ocean nearby.</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• In the unreal conditional, a past tense verb is used to express present time.• <i>Were</i> replaces <i>was</i> in present unreal conditional clauses.• If the dependent clause comes first, use a comma to separate the two clauses. Do not use a comma when the dependent clause comes at the end.	

Structure

If + pronoun + verb in “past tense” + “,” (comma) + pronoun + would/could/should + “base form of a verb”

If Miguel were a Barcelona fan, he would have 31 “Copas del Rey”

If I knew Chinese, I would visit the Great Wall

I could become a black belt martial artist If I were able to use my legs

If we didn't do the homework, we would have free time to watch our beloved Barcelona

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Grammatical structure

1. If + pronoun + verb in past tense + comma “,” + pronoun + would + verb in present tense

2. Pronoun + would + verb in present tense + if + pronoun + verb in past tense

If I knew French, I would visit the Eiffel Tower

B **COMPLETE.** Complete the sentences. Use the unreal conditional.

1. (*snow, play*) If it _____ in July, I _____ in the snow.
2. (*go, live*) We _____ to the beach every weekend if we _____ near the ocean.
3. (*not carry, not rain*) I _____ an umbrella all the time if it _____ so much.
4. (*not stay, be*) The kids _____ inside the house today if the weather _____ nicer.

1. If it snowed in July, I would play in the snow

2. We would go to the beach every weekend if we lived near the ocean

3. I wouldn't carry an umbrella if it didn't rain so much

4. The kids wouldn't stay inside the house today if the weather was nicer