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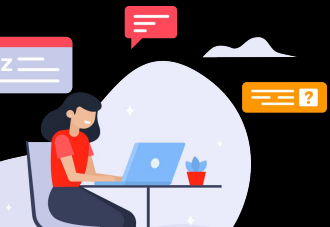
Conditionals & Tenses



CONDITIONALS

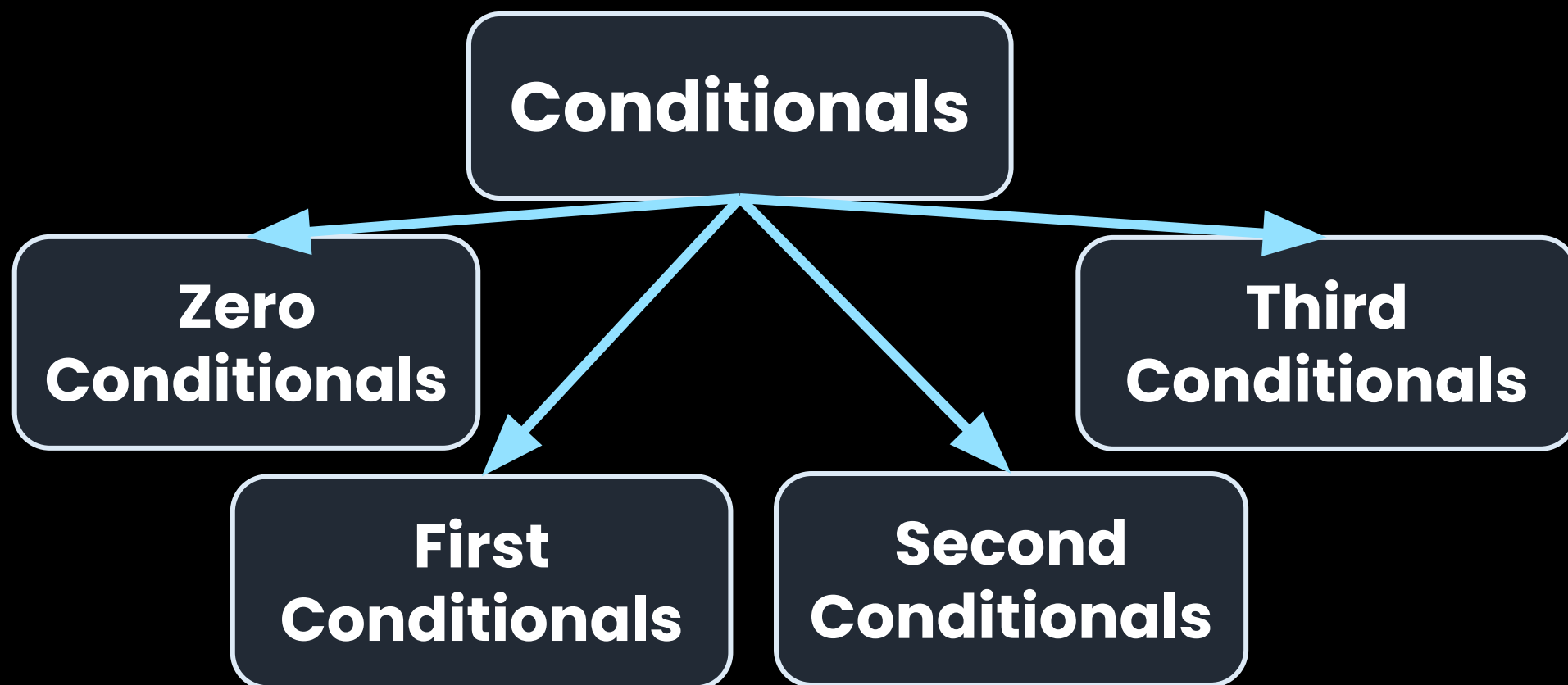
Conditionals

Sometimes we call them 'if clauses'. They describe the result of something that might happen (in the present or future) or might have happened but didn't (in the past).



Classification

□ There are **four** main kinds of conditionals:

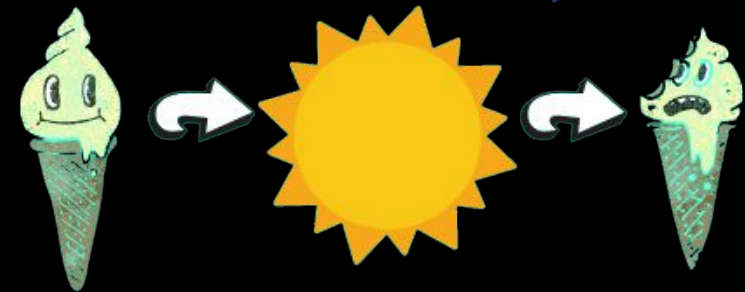


The Zero Conditional

- ❖ **Structure:** If + present simple + ... present simple.
- ❖ **Ex:** If you heat water to 100 degrees, it boils.

Zero Conditionals

IF ICE CREAM GETS WARM, IT MELTS.



ICE CREAM MELTS IF IT GETS WARM

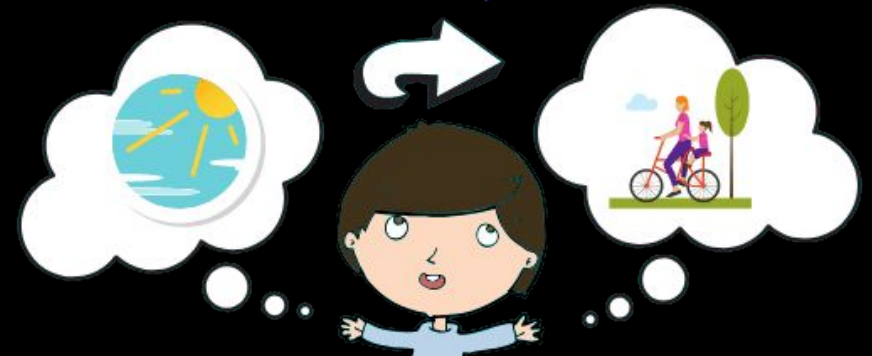


The First Conditional

- ◆ **Structure:** If + present simple+ Subject + will/shall/may/can + base form of verb)
- ◆ **Ex:** If you rest, you will feel better.
- ◆ **Ex:** If you come, I will go.

1st Conditionals

THE WEATHER IS NICE,



The First Conditional

□ Note:

Instead of will in the main clause, we can use Modal verbs (can/could/should/may/might/must), had better and imperatives.

- ◆ **Ex :** If Shahin work hard, he may succeed in life.
- ◆ **Ex :** If he want to pass, he had better study hard.
- ◆ **Ex :** If you need anything, just ask me.

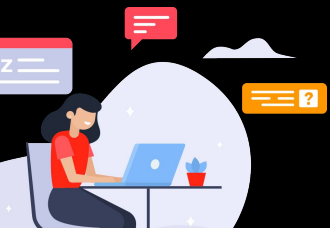


The First Conditional

□ Note:

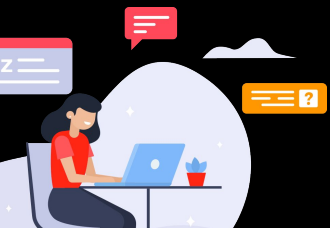
Instead of present simple, we can also use can or should in the if-clause.

- ◆ **Ex:** If Rohan can finish my work early, he will give him the news himself.



The Second Conditional

- ❖ **Structure:** If + past simple, + Subject + would/should/could/might + base form of verb +.....
- ❖ **Ex:** If I had a lot of money, I would travel around the world.
- ❖ **Ex:** I would travel around the world if I won the lottery.



The Second Conditional

□ Note:

Instead of Past simple, we can also use past continuous tense in the if-clause if it's necessary.

◆ **Ex :** If Jahanara were playing well, she would win the match.



The Second Conditional

□ Note:

To emphasize the improbability, we tend to use 'were' instead of 'was' after all kinds of person.

Specially, For the unreal past, we can use second conditional:

◆ **Ex:** If I were a king, I would help the poor



The Third Conditional

- ❖ **Structure:** If + past perfect + subject + would/should/could/might + have + past participle)
- ❖ **Ex:** If I had gone to bed early, I would have caught the train.
- ❖ **Ex:** If you had told me you needed a ride, I would have left earlier.



Previous Year Questions

Q/A

 Question:

✓ If the roof....., we all.....die. – [NBL, PO, 2013]

- a. A fall, would
- b. fall, would
- c. falling, would
- d. None of these

Ans: a



Q/A

□ Question:

If your payment is not received in thirty days, you will be charged a late fee". Which is the best way to write the underlined portion of this sentence? If the original is the best way, choose option (A). [Jamuna Bank, PO, 2013]

- a) A thirty days, you will be charged e) you will charge.
b) thirty days, you would be charged d) thirty days, you were charged
c) Thirty days, you have been charged

Ans: a



Q/A

 Question:

✓ Unless you maintain at least a 2.0

GPA,.....medical school. [Standard Bank, PO, 2013]

a. you will not graduate.

b. you will not be graduated

c. you will not be graduating

d. you will not graduate from

e. None of these

Ans: a



Q/A

 Question:

✓ If hethought of the danger earlier, he would have avoided the disaster. [ESBL, Officer, 2013]

- a. would have
- b. can
- c. could
- d. had
- e. None of these

Ans: d



Q/A

□ Question:

✓ **If she her identity card, she in trouble. [NBL, PO, 2013]**

- a. lose, would be**
- b. loses, will be**
- c. will lose, would be**
- d. loses, would be**
- e. None of these**

Ans: d



Q/A

 Question:

✓ If I..... to the cinema, I..... an interesting film.

[Sonal Bank, Officer, 2013]

- a. go, see
- b. shall go, watch
- c. went, watch
- d. went, would watch
- e. go. watch

Ans: d



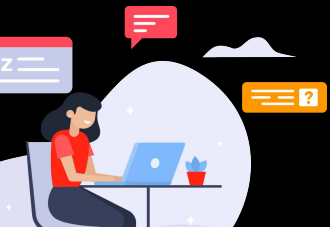
MORE EXAMPLES

Conditionals

□ Examples (The Zero Conditional)

Ex: If a certain condition is true, then a particular result happens.

Ex: When water reaches 100 degrees, it boils.



Conditionals

□ Examples (The First Conditional)

Ex: If you set your mind to a goal, you'll eventually achieve it.

Ex: If it rains tomorrow, we'll go to the cinema.



Conditionals

□ Examples (The Second Conditional)

Ex: If I inherited a billion dollars, I would travel to the moon.

Ex: If I owned a zoo, I might let people interact with the animals more.

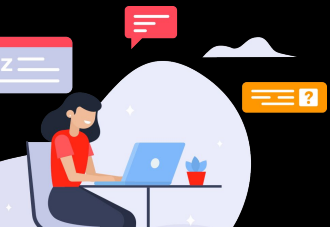


Conditionals

□ Examples (The Third Conditional)

Ex: If I had cleaned the house, I could have gone to the movies.

Ex: If you had told me you needed a ride, I would have left earlier.



TENSE

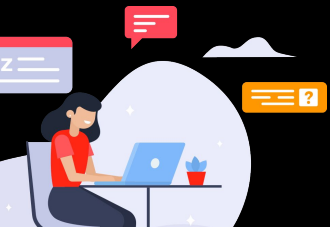
Tenses's Rules & Application

Sometimes we call them 'if clauses'. They describe the result of something that might happen (in the present or future) or might have happened but didn't (in the past).



Tense

- Rule :
- ✓ **Past simple tense : Past Events**
- ◆ **Ex : She cooked dinner for everyone last month.**



Tense

□ Rule :

- ✓ **Past Perfect tense : Prior events happened before past events**
- ◆ **Ex : She cooked dinner for everyone last night before shifted to Mumbai.**



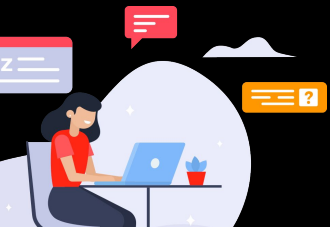
Tense

- ❑ Rule :
- ✓ **Past Continuous tense** Past : Events related to the occurrence of other events
- ❖ **Ex : She was cooking dinner for everyone when she ran out of gas.**



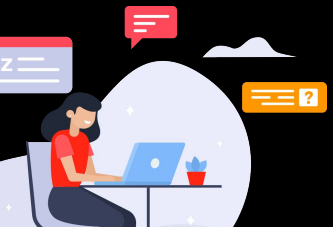
Tense

- ❑ Rule:
- ✓ **Past perfect continuous tense : Past events relating to a past moment**
- ◆ **Ex : She was cooking for dinner & needed some rest.**



Tense

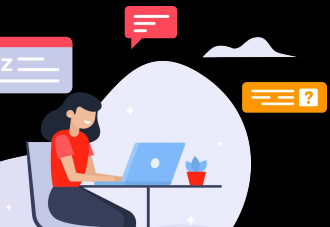
- Rule:
- ✓ **Present Simple tense : Facts & truths**
- ◆ **Ex : She hosts dinner for everyone a lot.**



Tense

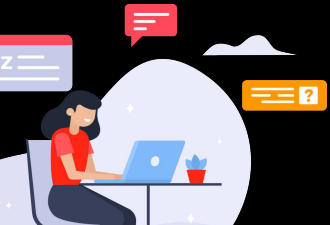
□ Rule:

- ✓ **Present Perfect tense : Events of past & continuing or expected to continue in present.**
- ◆ **Ex : She has hosted a lot of times & left with one more dinner**



Tense

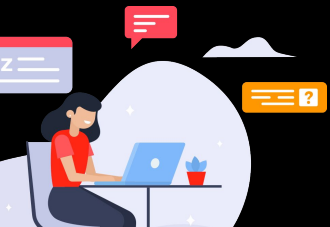
- Rule:
- ✓ **Present Continuous tense : Current Actions.**
- ◆ **Ex : She is cooking dinner for everyone**



Tense

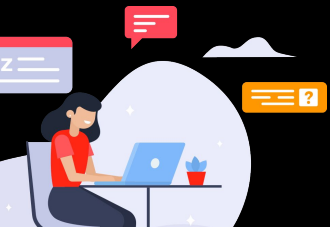
□ Rule :

- ✓ **Present perfect continuous tense : Past events, continued & finished in the current moment**
- ◆ **Ex : She cooked dinner for everyone & now needs some rest.**



Tense

- Rule:
- ✓ **Future Simple tense : Events completed in future**
- ◆ **Ex : She will cook dinner for everyone next month.**



Tense

□ Rule:

- ✓ **Future Perfect tense : Current events completed in the given time frame in future**
- ◆ **Ex : She will be cooking dinner for everyone by 8:00 PM next Saturday**



Tense

- Rule:
- ✓ **Future Continuous tense : Future events & expected to continue**
- ◆ **Ex : She will be hosting a lot of dinner parties next year.**



Tense

□ Rule:

- ✓ **Future Perfect Continuous tense: Tasks**
continue in the future & highlighting the duration
- ◆ **Ex : The dinner she will be cooking will take 3 hours to finish.**



Previous Year Questions

Q/A

 Question:

✓ Do you know when? [Standard Bank, PO, 2013]

- A. Will he arrive
- B. he will arrive
- C. will arrive
- D. he arrive
- E. none of these

Ans: E



Q/A

❑ Question:

✓ **A rat occasionally becomes so hungry that it will attack an animal much larger than it.**

a. occasionally

b. so hungry

c. will attack

d. it

e. no error

Ans: c



Q/A

□ Question:

- ✓ **In a debate, it is sometimes necessary to remind speakers about the main points which are considered. [Exim Bank, Officer (IT), 2013; Jamuna Bank, PO, 2014]**

- A. Even D. regarding**
B. For E. never
C. being

Ans: C

Q/A

□ Question:

✓ They are.....their coats.

A. not

B. put on

C. putting on

D. doesn't put

Ans: C



Q/A

 Question:

✓ I have already read this book twice. [DBBL, AO, March, 2017]

A. I already twice have read this book.

B. I twice have already read this book.

C. I have twice already read this

D. I have been reading the book. Only

E. No improvement.

Ans: E



Q/A

 Question:

✓ She is shocked because she a
terrible accident. [Janata Bank, AEO, 2017]

- A. sees
- B. saw
- C. has been
- D. is going to see

Ans: C



Q/A

 Question:

✓ Though I..... here for three years, I V
hardly know the place. [DBBL, 2015]

- A. was
- B. having
- C. have been
- D. had been
- E. none of these

Ans: C



Q/A

❑ Question:

✓ Each of the Olympic athletes..... for months, even years. [Janata Bank, EO, 2012]

- A. have been training**
- B. were training**
- C. has been training**
- D. been training**
- E. None of them**

Ans: C



Q/A

 Question:

✓ It is high time we..... ready or we may miss train. [Southeast Bank, PO, March, 2017]

A. Get

B. got

C. become

D. have got

Ans: B



Q/A

 Question:

✓ What tribute shall we pay to Gandhiji that he would appreciate? [DBBL, AO, March, 2017]

A. would have appreciated

B. have appreciated

C. should appreciated

D. could appreciate.

E. no improvement

Ans: E



Q/A

 Question:

✓ Before I could stop him, the boy was throwing the box down stairs. [BB, AD, 2014]

A. were throwing

B. threw

C. did throw

D. no improvement

E. Nene of these

Ans: B



Q/A

❑ Question:

✓ He said that he.....be unable to come.

[Pubali Bank, SO, 2013]

A. will

B. shall

C should

D. would

E. None of Them

Ans: D



Q/A

 Question:

✓ They treated meI were a child .

[Sonal Bank, Cash, 2014]

A. as like

B. as if .

C. as to

D. like as

Ans: B



Q/A

 Question:

✓ Mr. Rehman behaves as if he.....
everything. [DBBL, 2009]

- A. knows
- B. know
- C. have known
- D. knew
- E. None of these

Ans: D



Q/A

 Question:

✓ While youin the garden, someone arrived at home. [BB, AD, 2014]

- A. were working
- B. had worked
- C. work
- D. will work
- E. will be working

Ans: A



Q/A

□ Question:

✓ It was expected that.....his plane lands, his fans.....mad with excitement.

- a. as soon as, would go
- b. as soon as, went
- c. no sooner had, had gone
- d. no sooner has, went
- e. as, went

Ans: a



Q/A

□ Question:

✓ **After spending hours listening to his boring jokes, I cracked under pressure and said to my friend I.....enough of his jokes for one day.**

a. have had

d. had

b. have had

e. having had

c. had had

Ans: b



Thank You