

Zero, First and Second Conditional – Worksheet 1 – ANSWERS

Exercise 1: Fill in the Gaps (Choosing the Correct Conditional Form)

1. If you mix red and blue, it **makes** purple.
→ Zero conditional → General fact
 2. If we **leave** now, we **will arrive** early.
→ First conditional → Likely future event
 3. If I **had** more money, I **would travel** the world.
→ Second conditional → Hypothetical situation in the present
 4. If you **eat** too much fast food, you **get** sick.
→ Zero conditional → General fact
 5. If I **were** you, I **wouldn't say** that!
→ Second conditional → Hypothetical situation giving advice
 6. If the sun **shines** tomorrow, we **will go** to the beach.
→ First conditional → Likely future event
 7. If she **studied** harder, she **would pass** the exam.
→ Second conditional → Hypothetical present situation
 8. If you **touch** fire, you **get** burned.
→ Zero conditional → General fact
 9. If we **find** a wallet, we **should return** it.
→ First conditional → Expected action in the future ***** Second for hypothetical also works
 10. If he **won** the lottery, he **might buy** a yacht.
→ Second conditional → Hypothetical future event
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Exercise 2: Multiple Choice (Choosing the Correct Conditional Type) ANSWERS

1. If I study hard, I **will** pass the exam. ✓
→ *First conditional* → *Likely future event*
2. If I **were** taller, I would play basketball professionally. ✓
→ *Second conditional* → *Hypothetical situation*
3. If you heat ice, it **melts** into water. ✓
→ *Zero conditional* → *Scientific fact*
4. If I **had** enough money, I might go on vacation. ✓
→ *Second conditional* → *Hypothetical situation*
5. If we take a taxi, we **won't** be late. ✓
→ *First conditional* → *Likely future event*
6. If he **had** more time, he could finish the project. ✓
→ *Second conditional* → *Hypothetical situation*
7. If you touch an electric wire, you **get** a shock. ✓
→ *Zero conditional* → *General truth*
8. If she **misses** the bus, she will take a taxi. ✓
→ *First conditional* → *Likely future event*
9. If I **were** the president, I would change the laws. ✓
→ *Second conditional* → *Hypothetical situation*
10. If the weather is nice, we **will** have a picnic. ✓
→ *First conditional* → *Likely future event*