Conditionals 1



first and second conditional

A Write out what each person is saying using the words given. Every sentence is a 'conditional' sentence, but you will need to decide if it is a 'first conditional' – If it rains I'll stay at home, or a 'second conditional' – If it rained I'd stay at home.



I have boat like that/I never live on land _____If I had a boat like that _____I'd never live on land.



you need anything/I get it for you



not be raining/I go swimming



I can fly/I go to the moon



not right size/I bring back



I younger/I join you

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B You are going to Portsmouth, a seaside town, for the day tomorrow. You are telling George about your plans. Use your thoughts on the left to complete your sentences on the right. In each sentence use either the 'first conditional' or 'second conditional'.

Example:

You want to go swimming. The sea might be warm enough.

- 1 You want to visit the Science Museum but it isn't open.
- 2 You want to buy some new clothes. The shops might be open.
- 3 You want to go to the island, but it's too far.
- 4 You want to go to the zoo; but only in nice weather.
- 5 You want to sail around the harbour; but there won't be enough time.

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Answer Key



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2 Adjectives with -ed and -ing 1	8 Comparing 1
1 thrilled 7 disgusted 2 amusing 8 shocked 3 confused 9 confusing 4 tiring 10 surprising 5 frightening 11 horrifying 6 horrified	A 1 Diamonds are more precious than pearls. 2 A mountain is bigger than a hill. 3 People are more intelligent than monkeys. 4 Phoning is easier than writing a letter. 5 Chocolate is sweeter than fruit.
The hidden word is descriptions.	6 A lion is more dangerous than a cat.
3 Adjectives with -ed and -ing 2	B 1 more junior.
A 1 He feels frightened. 2 They feel exhausted. 3 They feel bored. 4 She feels excited. B a1 b4 c3 d2	 hotter. colder. better. worse. more expensive. cheaper. bigger. smaller.
C a 4 very exciting. c 3 very boring.	9 Comparing 2
b 1 very frightening. D 1a 2b 3b 4a 5b 6a 4 Adverbs of time	1 cheaper, longer, shorter 2 flatter, sadder, thinner, wetter 3 noisier, funnier, lazier, easier 4 more bored, more pleased, more solid, more comfortable, more fragile, more expensive, more surprising, more intelligent, more
A since for June ages	dangerous 5 better (good), worse (bad)
Saturday two years you arrived nine months last weekend quite a while he was born over a year	10 Comparing 3
a since b for	1 the Empire State Building isn't as tall as the TwinTowers.
B 1 for 2 since 3 ago 4 for 5 ago 6 since	 the sperm whale isn't as big as the blue whale. the wren isn't as small as the hummingbird. the Amazon isn't as long as the Nile.
5 Articles 1	B 1 good 6 more intelligent than
A 1 a 2 the 3 the 4 the	2 as good as 7 stronger 3 younger 8 more confident 4 as tall as 9 better than 5 older
B 1 a 4 a 7 the 10 the 2 the 5 the 8 the 11 the 3 a 6 the 9 the 12 a	11 Comparing 4 A
C 1 the 3 the 5 the	1 a Peter b Frank c Vince 2 a Greek b Chinese c Egyptian
2 the 4 a 6 the	B 1b 2a 3c 4d
6 Articles 2	C
A 1b 2a 3c 4d 5e 6f	1a 2d 3c 4b 5f 6e
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1 a, d, e 2 b, c, f C 1e 2a 3c 4d 5b 7 Articles 3	A 1 If you need anything I'll get it for you. 2 If it wasn't raining I'd go swimming. 3 If I could fly I'd go to the moon. 4 If it's not the right size I'll bring it back. 5 If I was younger I'd join you.
1 4 the 7 the 8 the 3 the 9	 B 1 I'd visit the Science Museum if it was/were open. 2 If the shops are open, I'll buy some new clothes. 3 I'd go to the island if it wasn't/weren't too/so far. 4 If the weather's nice, I'll go to the zoo. 5 I'd go for a sail around the harbour if there was/were enough time.