



## Second Conditional Handout

Name \_\_\_\_\_ 2° M \_\_\_\_\_ Date March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Score \_\_\_\_\_/35 points

Objectives : Identify and use the second conditional.

Apply second conditional sentences.

Skills : Writing, reading.

**FORM: If + past simple , subject + would + verb + complement**

**could**

Uses

Examples

**Criticism** : If you got up earlier, you would arrive on time.

**Speculating** : If I had a million dollars, I'd travel around the world.

**Advice** : If I were you, I would go to the doctor.

### 1. Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets. (1 point each )

- If I were you, I \_\_\_\_\_ (not wear) those old jeans.
- Terence \_\_\_\_\_ (win) the championship if he trained harder.
- If he \_\_\_\_\_ (be) taller, he could be a basketball player.
- If everybody \_\_\_\_\_ (protest), they would stop killing whales.
- The countryside \_\_\_\_\_ (be) more beautiful if people didn't set fire to the forests every year.
- If you \_\_\_\_\_ (stop) smoking, you \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) much better.
- If the temperature \_\_\_\_\_ (drop) a bit more, it \_\_\_\_\_ (snow), but I don't think it will.
- I \_\_\_\_\_ (read) the book if it \_\_\_\_\_ (be) interesting, but it's so boring.
- If my boyfriend \_\_\_\_\_ (treat) me like that, I \_\_\_\_\_ (break up) with him.

### 2. Rewrite the sentences using the second conditional. (2 points each )

- I don't have his phone number. I **can't** call him.

**If I had his number , I could call him**

- I feel terrible I can't go to school.

I \_\_\_\_\_

- My parents don't like him because he looks so strange.

If he \_\_\_\_\_

- He doesn't get the good marks because he is lazy.

He \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Complete the sentences with the second conditional (1 point each )**

1. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) Richard, I \_\_\_\_\_ ( tell) him about our new office.
2. If the steak \_\_\_\_\_ (not/ be) so hot, we \_\_\_\_\_ ( eat) it.
3. What \_\_\_\_\_ (you/ do) if it \_\_\_\_\_ ( rain)?
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ ( help) me if he \_\_\_\_\_ (can).
5. If Andrew \_\_\_\_\_ ( prepare) the meal, I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/come) for dinner.
6. My father \_\_\_\_\_ (not/ be) angry with me if I \_\_\_\_\_ ( come) home early.
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not/ have) a pet if we \_\_\_\_\_ ( live) in an apartment.
8. If he \_\_\_\_\_ (can/ speak) French, he \_\_\_\_\_ ( get) the job in Paris.
9. If you \_\_\_\_\_ ( take) the bus on time, you \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive ) earlier .
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/stay) any longer if Gerry \_\_\_\_\_ ( sing) at the party.
11. My brother \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) in bed, if he \_\_\_\_\_ (not have) to work.
12. If we \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in the north pole, there \_\_\_\_\_ (be) no vegetables.
13. He \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a lot of money if he \_\_\_\_\_ (sell) his house.
14. If the children \_\_\_\_\_ (like) the piano, we \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) one.
15. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not laugh) if they \_\_\_\_\_ (not find) it funny.
16. If she \_\_\_\_\_ (find) a lot of money, she \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) it all on clothes.
17. If They \_\_\_\_\_ (know) the address, they \_\_\_\_\_ (write) a letter.
18. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (not know) Mary, I \_\_\_\_\_ (say) that she's angry.
19. If she \_\_\_\_\_ (lose) the competition, she \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) angry
20. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) you, I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the doctor.