

B. IF CLAUSES FOR THE PRESENT:

MAIN CLAUSE - THE PRESENT CONDITIONAL (WOULD) / IF-CLAUSE - THE PAST SIMPLE

1. PUT THE VERBS IN THE CORRECT FORM.

- a. Just think, if you _____ (win) a lot of money, what _____ you _____ (do)?
- b. I don't think Steve _____ (mind) if you _____ (borrow) his bike.
- c. If Lisa _____ (lose) her engagement ring, Henry _____ (be) upset.
- d. I _____ (scream) if this lift suddenly _____ (stop) between floors.
- e. Look at my new blouse. If it _____ (cost) a fortune, I _____ still _____ (want) to have it.
- f. I _____ (be) very much surprised if Sally _____ (apply) for this job because she hates gardening
- g. _____ you _____ (go) to the party if Peter _____ (ask) you now?
- h. If you _____ (learn) more efficiently, your grades _____ (be) better.
- i. Just look at this weather. If it _____ (stop) raining, we _____ (eat) outside.
- j. Jane _____ (not be) tired all the time if she _____ (not go) to bed so late every night.
- k. If I _____ (be) you, I _____ (ask) Vicky to dance.
- l. Sally _____ (feel) a lot happier if she _____ (know) more people.
- m. If we _____ (live) in a big city, we _____ (be) able to go to the cinema more often.

2. CONTINUE THE SENTENCES.

- a. I would meet a Japanese if _____
- b. If Ted came home in time, _____
- c. Joyce would spend more time with Mia _____
- d. If Bella minded her own business, _____
- e. Sweet Sue would solve all the cases if _____
- f. If you believed everything, _____
- g. Sue would earn a lot of money if _____
- h. If the building caught fire, _____
- i. Judy would pass her driving test if _____
- j. If we spoke Arabic, _____
- k. Justin would ask Paula to dance if _____
- l. If Sally worked at the hairdresser's, _____
- m. Martin would watch TV if _____
- n. If you didn't live so far away, _____
- o. Mabel would go to the embassy if _____
- p. If Marvin bought the atlas of the world, _____
- q. We would go out more often if _____

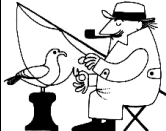
3. CONNECT THE TWO SENTENCES TO FORM IF-CLAUSES FOR THE PRESENT. FOLLOW THE EXAMPLE. (kaj bi bilo drugače, če bi bili drugačni pogoji)

1. Steve **IS** greedy. Susan **DOESN'T GET** any cheese.



If Steve **WASN'T** greedy,
Susan **WOULD GET** some cheese.

7. Bob doesn't have any fish. He gives every fish to a seagull.



2. Little kitten doesn't get any milk. The pig drinks everything.



8. Michael has a perfect lawn. He is very neat.



3. Ed doesn't rob Sir Edgar. He is observed by a policeman.



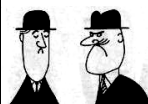
9. A foal doesn't speak with a rooster. They speak differently.



4. Jane screams. James steals her cakes.



10. Howard doesn't talk to Brian. Brian is mean.



5. They run the London Marathon every year. They win.



11. They don't solve their argument peacefully. They aren't very sensible.



6. He enjoys the sunshine. It doesn't rain.



12. Jean is addicted to alcohol. She is stupid.



4. WRITE THE CORRECT FORM OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS AND CONNECT THE ACTIONS WITH THE PICTURES.

- a. If you _____ (run) like this every day, you
_____ (lose) weight in no time.
- b. You _____ (jump) higher if you
_____ (try) harder.
- c. Perhaps I _____ (jump) into the
freedom if I _____ (try) once again.
- d. If you _____ (be) fitter, you _____
_____ (not want) to take a rest now.
- e. If you _____ (climb) this rope more often,
your hands _____ (be) stronger.
- f. If you _____ (take) more exercise, you
_____ (feel) fitter.
- g. You _____ (be) healthier if you
_____ (exercise) with a skipping rope.
- h. If you _____ (be) that stupid, I _____
still _____ (listen) to your silly remarks. Bye!!



