

Lesson A: Unreal Conditionals

A Add a comma to each sentence, if needed.

1. I would have emergency supplies in the house if I were you.
2. If I were the cook I would keep a fire extinguisher in the kitchen.
3. If you were calm you would be able to think more clearly.
4. If I were you I would lock the doors at night.
5. I would check the batteries in the flashlight if I were you.

B Match the phrases to form unreal conditional sentences.

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| 1. If you do poorly on the test, _____ | a. if she were not so shy. |
| 2. If I were on an airplane, _____ | b. I would watch a movie. |
| 3. If Marina were a year older, _____ | c. you would be disappointed. |
| 4. Kim would be my friend _____ | d. if there weren't any earthquakes or droughts. |
| 5. California would be a nice place to live _____ | e. she would be in my class. |

C Complete each sentence with the correct verb forms.

1. (swim / call) If I were _____ and had a problem, I would _____ for help.
2. (buy / go) If you had _____ a tent, what store would you _____?
3. (try / be) I would _____ camping if there _____ bathrooms at the campsite.
4. (get / give) I would _____ a new car, if I were _____ a raise at work.
5. (learn / visit) If I were _____ Japanese, I would _____ Japan.

D Use each prompt to write an unreal conditional sentence.

1. lost my phone / be very upset _____
2. did well on a test / be very happy _____
3. on the subway in a new city / be careful _____
4. hungry at 2 a.m. / have a snack _____
5. on the wrong bus / get off at the next stop _____

E Read each real situation and write an unreal conditional sentence.

1. it's raining / I can't go for a walk

2. I'm not tired / I can't sleep
