

# Activities on conditionals

## Handout 1

Put the verb in **brackets** into the **correct tense** depending on the type of conditional sentence given. Then, **rewrite** each sentence in other two conditional types:

- 1) If you pass the exam, we (celebrate) ..... (Type ...1..)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 2) What (happen) ....., if I press the button? (Type ...0...)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 3) I would have worked harder, if I (have) ..... more time (Type ...3.)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...1.) .....
- 4) If you go to London where you (stay) .....? (Type ...1.....)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 5) If someone offered you one of those cakes, which ..... you .....? (choose) (Type ...2.)  
(Type ...1.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 6) The flight will be cancelled, if the fog (get) .... thicker. (Type ...1.)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 7) You would concentrate on the lesson better, if you (not talk) ..... so much. (Type ...2.)  
(Type 0....) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 8) If you (read) ..... the instructions more carefully, you wouldn't have answered the wrong question. (Type ...3..)  
(Type ...2.) .....  
(Type ...1.) .....
- 9) If you saw an elephant walking down the street, what ..... you .....? (do) (Type ...2)  
(Type ...1.) .....  
(Type ...3.) .....
- 10) You'll get pneumonia, if you (not change) ..... your wet clothes. (Type ...1.)

(Type ...2.) .....

(Type ...0.) .....

## Handout 2

**Put** the verbs in brackets into the **correct tense**, depending on the context:

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| 1) If we (take) _____ an umbrella with us last night, we would not have got wet.   | 1) .... |
| 2) If I (not be) _____ at work today, I would be at home watching TV.              | 2) .... |
| 3) If we (go) _____ in two cars, we'll be more comfortable.                        | 3) .... |
| 4) If it rained every day of the year, the earth (flood) _____.                    | 4) .... |
| 5) If you (not study) _____ you'll fail the exam.                                  | 5) .... |
| 6) If you don't concentrate, you (not understand) _____.                           | 6) ...  |
| 7) If Charles Brown had tried to escape from Alcatraz, he (catch) _____ certainly. | 7) ...  |
| 8) I would go home now if I (be) _____ you.  | 8) .... |