

REPHRASING ON CONDITIONAL SENTENCES AND WISH / IF ONLY

1. Those of you who do not give in their names last week must do so today.
- Unless you
2. Those of you who haven't got cars will have to take the bus.
- Unless you
3. I didn't know anything about it. Otherwise, I'd told you.
- If I
4. It may not fit you. In that case, you can return it to the shop.
- If
5. You didn't tell me in time. Otherwise, I might have been able to help.
- If
6. You could have had an accident and your family would have blamed me.
- If
7. If you aren't on a diet, try the cheesecake.
- Unless
8. Danny wants to lose weight, but he doesn't have any will power.
- If
9. Sue didn't mention the tennis game so I didn't turn up to watch.
- If
10. In my opinion, you should drink low-fat milk.
- If
11. You should have a medical check-up when starting a diet.
- If
12. I didn't buy any vegetables so I couldn't make a salad.
- If
13. Paul won't swim in the pool because there is no lifeguard.
Providing that
14. Peter gets angry with people who don't take him seriously.
- Unless
15. It was a mistake to go to England in winter.
- I wish
16. She is so careless!
- If only
17. You press this button to stop the machine.
- If
18. My advice is that you must go to the doctor.
- If I
19. I'm sorry I didn't meet you at the station.
- If only
20. It's a pity you don't like this food.
- I wish
21. What a pity Mary didn't remember to take the camera.
- I wish Mary
22. You should tell them immediately.
- If I
23. She should have called her parents earlier.
- I wish
24. I'm sorry but I can't help you now.
- I wish
25. The computer was stolen because nobody saw the thief.
- If someone
26. I really want you to stop smoking.
- I wish
27. He shouts so much, and it's so annoying!
- I wish
28. I didn't have an umbrella with me and so I get wet.
- I wouldn't
29. I'll call the police if you don't leave me alone.

- Unless

30. In the snowy weather, we don't go to the school.

- If

31. Without Jack's help, I wouldn't have been able to move the table.

- If

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1. Those of you who do not give in their names last week must do so today.
- Unless you **give in your names last week, you must do so today.**
2. Those of you who haven't got cars will have to take the bus.
- Unless you **have got a car, you will have to take the bus.**
3. I didn't know anything about it. Otherwise, I'd told you.
- If I **had known something about it, I would have told you.**
4. It may not fit you. In that case, you can return it to the shop.
- If **it doesn't fit you, you can return it to the shop.**
5. You didn't tell me in time. Otherwise, I might have been able to help.
- If **you had told me in time, I might have been able to help.**
6. You could have had an accident and your family would have blamed me.
- If **you had had an accident, your family would have blamed me.**
7. If you aren't on a diet, try the cheesecake.
- Unless **you are on a diet, try the cheesecake.**
8. Danny wants to lose weight, but he doesn't have any will power.
- If **Danny had some will power, he would lose weight.**
9. Sue didn't mention the tennis game so I didn't turn up to watch.
- If **Sue had mentioned the tennis game, I would have turned up to watch.**
10. In my opinion, you should drink low-fat milk.
- If **I were you, I would drink low-fat milk.**
11. You should have a medical check-up when starting a diet.
- If **I were you, I would have a medical check-up when starting a diet. / If you are going to start a diet, have a medical...**
12. I didn't buy any vegetables so I couldn't make a salad.
- If **I had bought some vegetables, I could have made a salad.**
13. Paul won't swim in the pool because there is no lifeguard.
Providing that **there was a lifeguard, Paul would swim in the pool.**
14. Peter gets angry with people who don't take him seriously.
- Unless **people take Peter seriously, he gets angry.**
15. It was a mistake to go to England in winter.
- I wish **I hadn't gone to England in winter.**
16. She is so careless!
- If only **she wouldn't be so careless /wasn't so carless.**
17. You press this button to stop the machine.
- If **you press this button, the machine stops.**
18. My advice is that you must go to the doctor.
- If **I were you, I would go to the doctor.**
19. I'm sorry I didn't meet you at the station.
- If only **I had met you at the station.**
20. It's a pity you don't like this food.
- I wish **you liked this food.**
21. What a pity Mary didn't remember to take the camera.
- I wish Mary **had remembered to take the camera.**
22. You should tell them immediately.
- If **I were you, I would tell them immediately.**
23. She should have called her parents earlier.
- I wish **she had called her parents earlier.**
24. I'm sorry but I can't help you now.
- I wish **I could help you now.**
25. The computer was stolen because nobody saw the thief.
- If someone **had seen the thief, the computer wouldn't have been stolen.**
26. I really want you to stop smoking.
- I wish **you would stop smoking.**
27. He shouts so much, and it's so annoying!
- I wish **he wouldn't shout so much.**

28. I didn't have an umbrella with me and so I get wet.
- I wouldn't **have got wet, if I had had an umbrella with me.**
29. I'll call the police if you don't leave me alone.
- Unless **you leave me alone, I will call the police.**
30. In the snowy weather, we don't go to the school.
- If **it snows, we won't go to the school.**
31. Without Jack's help, I wouldn't have been able to move the table.
- If **Jack hadn't helped me, I wouldn't have been able to move the table.**