

# Conditionals

## 0 conditional

- using "when" + present simple
- S1: when + present simple, S2: present simple
- e.g.: When you get charged too much in a shop, what do you do?

When you play sports at school,  
you learn how to live more healthy.

If you heat water, it boils. (speaking about facts →  
→ 0 conditional)

## 1st conditional

- S1: If

Unless

Provided that

As long as

+ present (simple or  
continuous)

- S2: will (or going to) <sup>it's possible to use it in 1st cond.</sup>  
might + infinitive  
can

- expresses possibility in the present or future

- e.g.: If I study, I will pass.

## 2nd conditional

- S1: If + past (simple or continuous)

- S2: would

could + infinitive

should

- expresses unreal situation in the present or future

- e.g.: If I studied, I would pass.

### 3rd conditional

- S1: If + past perfect

- S2: would

could + have + past participle  
should

- expresses unreal possibility in the past (something we regret)

- e.g.: If I had studied, I would have passed.

### Mixed conditional

## 1<sup>st</sup> conditional - examples

If you eat a lot of junk food, you will get fat

If I'm running late, I'll call you.

If the weather is nice, I'll walk along the seaside tonight.

If I come home early, I'll go shopping.

Unless we make lots of money, our company may go out  
(If we don't ... ) ( ... will... ) of business  
might

Provided that it doesn't rain on Thursday,

If

Unless it rains..., I'm going to go fishing. 1. kondicionálna  
ke užit miesto  
modal. slovesa  
I will

I will go with you, as long as you don't leave me alone.

Unless we buy a map on the way, we won't know how to get there.

Unless it stops raining, we'll stay at home.

Unless it rains tomorrow, I'll go shopping

Provided that it doesn't rain, I'll go shopping tomorrow.

As long as it doesn't stop raining, I won't go swimming

As long as it is sunny, I'll go for a walk.

If (Unless)

Should these demands <sup>are</sup> not ~~be~~ met by you,  
I'll be forced to take legal action.

are you going to  
What will you do, if the weather is nice in the afternoon?

If children are forced to go to school too early,  
they will be very tired.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> conditional - examples

If I met Donald Trump, I would ignore him

If I knew his number, I would call him.

(unreal - I'm teaching in Prímada...)  
If I was teaching in America, I would get more money.

If I spent more time here, I would improve my English.

If I finished my homework early, I would play basketball.

If you weren't doing this course, what would you be doing?

GIVING ADVICE : If I were you, I would study more  
If I were you, I would live in Venice.  
(was) ↓ možná, ale měně nãvaně

If you weren't in Portsmouth now, where would you be?

I wouldn't give any tests, were I the teacher.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> conditional - examples

If she hadn't drunk so much,  
she wouldn't have been late for work.  
... -k- had such a hangover.

If she hadn't been late for work,  
she wouldn't have had problems with her boss.  
... -k- been fired.  
... her boss wouldn't have fired her.

If I had learnt English when I was a child,  
I would have spoken more fluently.

If I had known...  
Had I known it was going to rain  
I would have brought an umbrella.  
chybi-li If → změna pořadí Ps a Po

If he hadn't played football,  
he wouldn't have got so wet.

Would you have passed your exam,  
if you had worked harder?

## Mixed conditional - examples

If + past

If I was richer at the moment,  $\Rightarrow$  2<sup>nd</sup> cond. (unreal present)

I <sup>would + have + past participle.</sup> would have bought the guitar I saw yesterday.  $\Rightarrow$  3<sup>rd</sup> cond. (unreal past)

If + past perfect

If I had trained harder,  $\Rightarrow$  3<sup>rd</sup> cond. (unreal past)

I would be playing in the highest division. 2<sup>nd</sup> cond. (unreal present)

If I had decided to go to New Zealand,  $\Rightarrow$  3<sup>rd</sup> cond.

I wouldn't be here now.  $\Rightarrow$  2<sup>nd</sup> cond.

If I was more organized,  $\Rightarrow$  2<sup>nd</sup> cond.  $\rightarrow$  present

I wouldn't have forgotten my homework this morning.  $\Rightarrow$   
 $\rightarrow$  3<sup>rd</sup> cond.  $\rightarrow$  past