

Conv. 2

Students

Complete the sentences with the correct idiom(s)

1.A:Can you _____ for me?

B:Sure! What do you need?

A:Can you help me with Severn's homework?

B:Ok! I'll be glad to help.

2.I plan to study in the U.S. next year. I think it's _____ for my future.

3.A:Do you know that guy over there?

B:No! He's _____. I've never met him before.

4.I _____ my pizza _____ with a glass of pizza. (1 idiom)

5.I couldn't understand anything he said. It sounded like _____ to me.

6.She's really _____. She never complains when she loses.

7.A:Do you want a pepsi or coke?

B:Oh! _____. Either one's ok!

8.That guy's _____. He's not afraid of anything.

9.My friend always _____ when he makes a promise.

10._____. What's up? How's it going?

11.I likw Marvel movies, but it's _____ to see something different sometimes.

12.I've _____ on a new computer, so I'm saving my money now.

13.My friend's a real _____. He's scared to try anything new.

14.It's starting to get colder, so everybody should _____.

15.Severn's really _____. He never pays for our meals.

16.She was driving a new set of _____

a.gibberish

b.cheap

c.a good sport

d.a golden opportunity

e.got guts

f.got my eye on

g.a total stranger

h.bundle up

i.a breath of fresh air

j.do a favor

k.follow through

l.washed down

m.wheels

n.wimp

o.yo

p.it makes no difference

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Freshmen Idioms

A. takelessons.com/blog/american-english-slang-words

1. I feel you
2. same here
3. my bad
4. you bet
5. hot
6. epic
7. cheesy/corny
8. dump
9. whiz
10. a blast
11. lighten up
12. pig out

B. bestlifeonline.com/strange-american-sayings

13. scoot over
14. break a bill
15. jump the shark
16. up my alley
17. shoot the breeze
18. keeper

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(Call me)

Give 2 consequences for these actions

1.If you drink too much alcohol _____

a.

b.

2.If you win the Lotto(Lottery)_____

a.

b.

3.If North Korea attacks South Korea _____

a.

b.

4.If you move to the U.S. _____

a.

b.

5.If you have 3 months to live _____

a.

b.

6.If you have children _____

a.

b.

7.If you become homeless _____

a.

b.

8.If you don't have a cell phone _____

a.

b.

9.If you drink too much coffee _____

a.

b.

10.If you live in the countryside _____

a.

b.

I wouldn't have done that.

- Discuss imaginary situations
- Discuss difficult situations

1 SNAPSHOT

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FLORIDA MOM "CAUGHT" BEING HONEST

Nancy Bloom was caught on the security camera entering a convenience store while the owner was out to lunch. The door was unlocked, so Nancy walked in with her son, picked up some ice cream, and left the money on the counter.

MOST SHARED THIS WEEK



HONESTY IS ITS OWN REWARD

After driving for 20 miles to return a wallet lost in a park, Kate Moore gets only a half-hearted, "Oh. Thanks."



HOMELESS MAN FINDS \$40,000 AND TURNS IT IN

When Tom Heart found a backpack full of cash, he didn't think twice. He took it straight to the police. After reading Tom's story, a stranger started a fundraising campaign for Tom that has already raised over \$60,000.

Have you heard any stories like these recently?

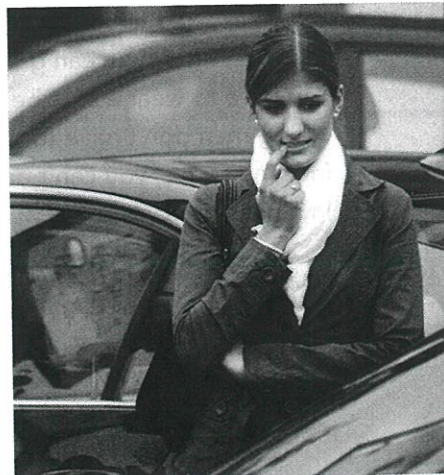
Have you ever found anything valuable? What did you do?

Do you think that people who return lost things should get a reward?

2 CONVERSATION What would you do?

► A Listen and practice.

- Joon:** Look at this. A homeless guy found a backpack with \$40,000 inside!
- Mia:** And what did he do?
- Joon:** He took it to the police. He gave it all back, every single penny.
- Mia:** You're kidding! If I found \$40,000, I wouldn't return it. I'd keep it.
- Joon:** Really? What would you do with it?
- Mia:** Well, I'd spend it. I could buy a new car or take a nice long vacation.
- Joon:** The real owner might find out about it, though, and then you could go to jail.
- Mia:** Hmm. You've got a point there.



► B Listen to the rest of the conversation. What would Joon do if he found \$40,000?

3 GRAMMAR FOCUS

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► Unreal conditional sentences with *if* clauses

Imaginary situation
(simple past)

If I **found** \$40,000,

Possible consequence
(*would, could, or might* + verb)

I **would keep** it.

I **wouldn't return** it.

I **could buy** a new car.

I **might go** to the police.

What **would** you **do if** you **found** \$40,000?

GRAMMAR PLUS see page 146

A Complete these conversations. Then compare with a partner.

1. A: What _____ you _____ (do) if you lost your sister's favorite sweater?

B: Of course I buy (buy) her a new one.

2. A: If you had (have) three months to travel,
where _____ you _____ (go)?

B: Oh, that's easy! I fly (fly) to Europe. I've always wanted to go there.

3. A: If your doctor _____ (tell) you to get more exercise, which activity
_____ you _____ (choose)?

B: I'm not sure, but I think I go (go) jogging two or three times a week.

4. A: _____ you _____ (break) into your house if you locked (lock)
yourself out?

B: No way! If I didn't have (not have) another key, I ask (ask) a neighbor for help.

5. A: If your friend _____ (want) to marry someone you didn't like,
_____ you _____ (say) something?

B: No, I _____ (not say) anything. I _____ (mind) my own business.

6. A: What _____ you _____ (do) if you _____ (see) your favorite
movie star on the street?

B: I _____ (not be) shy! I _____ (ask) to take a photo with them.

B PAIR WORK Take turns asking the questions in part A. Answer with your own information.

4 LISTENING Tough situations

► A Listen to three people talk about predicaments. Check which predicament they are talking about.

1. ☐ Chris has relationship problems.
2. ☐ Kari spent all her money in Europe.
3. ☐ Zoey saw her classmates cheating.

- ☐ Chris is addicted to the Internet.
- ☐ Kari lost all her money in Europe.
- ☐ Zoey doesn't understand her math class.

► B Listen again. Write the two suggestions given for each predicament.

1. a. _____
2. a. _____
3. a. _____

- b. _____
- b. _____
- b. _____

C GROUP WORK Which suggestions do you agree with? Why?

5 INTERCHANGE 15 Tough choices

What would you do in some difficult situations? Go to Interchange 15 on page 130.

6 WORD POWER Opposites

A Find nine pairs of opposites in this list. Complete the chart. Then compare with a partner.

accept	borrow	dislike	find	lose	remember
admit	deny	divorce	forget	marry	save
agree	disagree	enjoy	lend	refuse	spend

accept	≠	refuse		≠		≠
	≠			≠		≠
	≠			≠		≠

B PAIR WORK Choose four pairs of opposites. Write sentences using each pair.

I can't remember my dreams. As soon as I wake up, I forget them.

7 PERSPECTIVES That was a big mistake.

A Listen to people talk about recent predicaments. Then check (✓) the best suggestion for each one.

"I borrowed my sister's brand new car, and I scratched it while I was parking. I didn't want her to be upset with me, so I told her the scratch was there already. What should I have done?"

- ☐ You should have told her about it.
- ☐ You should have taken it to a repair shop.
- ☐ You should have offered to pay for the damage.

"I forgot my best friend's birthday. I felt terrible, so I texted him to apologize, but he's still upset. What would you have done?"

- ☐ I would have called him right away.
- ☐ I would have sent him a nice birthday present.
- ☐ I would have invited him out for a meal.

B PAIR WORK Compare with a partner. Do you agree with each other?

8 GRAMMAR FOCUS

▶ Past modals

Use **would have** or **should have** + past participle to give opinions or suggestions about actions in the past.

What **should** I have done?

You **should have told** her about it.

You **shouldn't have lied** to your sister.

What **would** you have done?

I **would have called** him.

I **wouldn't have texted** him.

GRAMMAR PLUS see page 146

A Complete these conversations. Then practice with a partner.

1. **A:** I was in a meeting at work when my girlfriend texted me saying she needed to see me right away. What should I have _____ (do)?

B: You should have _____ (send) her a message and _____ (tell) her you'd call back later.

2. **A:** The cashier gave me too much change. What should I have _____ (do)?

B: You should have _____ (say) something. You shouldn't have _____ (take) the money.

3. **A:** I ignored an email from someone I don't like. What would you have _____ (do)?

B: I would have _____ (reply) to the person. It just takes a minute!

4. **A:** We left all our trash at the campsite. What would you have _____ (do)?

B: I would have _____ (take) it with me and _____ (throw) it away later.

B Read the situations below. What would have been the best thing to do? Choose suggestions. Then compare with a partner.

Situations

- The teacher borrowed my favorite book and spilled coffee all over it. _____
- I saw a classmate cheating on an exam, so I wrote her an email about it. _____
- A friend of mine always has messy hair, so I gave him a comb for his birthday. _____
- I hit someone's car when I was leaving a parking lot. Luckily, no one saw me. _____
- My aunt gave me a wool sweater. I can't wear wool, so I gave it back. _____

Suggestions

- You should have spoken to him about it.
- I would have spoken to the teacher about it.
- I would have waited for the owner to return.
- I wouldn't have said anything.
- You should have warned her not to do it again.
- You should have left a note for the owner.
- I would have told her that I prefer something else.
- You should have exchanged it for something else.

C GROUP WORK Make another suggestion for each situation in part B.

9 PRONUNCIATION Reduction of have

A Listen and practice. Notice how **have** is reduced in these sentences.

What would you ^{/əv/} have done?

I would ^{/əv/} have told the truth.

B PAIR WORK Practice the conversations in Exercise 8, part A, again. Use the reduced form of **have**.

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Call me

Unit 15(Page 101/#3)

What would you do if _____?

Answer in a complete sentence

For example:What would you do if you won the lottery?

If I won the lottery I would _____

- a.save the money in the bank
- b.donate money to the poor
- c.buy a new house

- 1.You're at a restaurant and your soup's too cold
- 2.You saw your boyfriend with another girl(or your girlfriend with another guy)
- 3.You didn't understand your English Conversation homework
- 4>Your friend broke your new camera
- 5>Your neighbor was too noisy
- 6.You're at a restaurant and forgot your money and credit card
- 7.You saw another student cheating on an exam
- 8.You overslept and forgot to call Severn
- 9.You saw your favorite celebrity at the store
- 10>Your mother gave you a present but you didn't like it
- 11.You're at the subway station but you don't know how to get somewhere
- 12.You got covid-19

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Time and Numbers

(Time)

9:00...Nine o'clock

9:05...Nine Oh Five

Five after Nine

Five past Nine

9:15...Quarter after Nine

Quarter past Nine

9:30...Nine thirty

Half past Nine

9:40...Twenty till Ten

Twenty to Ten

Twenty before Ten

(Numbers)

5,678...Five thousand six hundred and seventy eight

298,371...Two hundred and ninety eight thousand three hundred and seventy one

64,956,382...Sixty four million nine hundred and fifty six thousand three hundred and eighty two

4,000,000,000...Four billion

Write down these times

1.

2.

3.

Write down these numbers

1.

2.

3.

Your homework is to mail me your answers