

DAILY ENGLISH

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If I spoke English well, I would have gotten a better job.

A group of four people are gathered around a table in a classroom or office setting. A man with a beard and headphones is on the left, looking at a book. A woman with curly hair is standing and pointing at the book. Two other women are sitting at the table, also looking at the book. The background shows a brick wall and a whiteboard.

Lead-in

1. How long have you been learning English?
2. What jobs require a person to speak English?

Target Language

▼ In this lesson, we will learn:

Grammar Focus

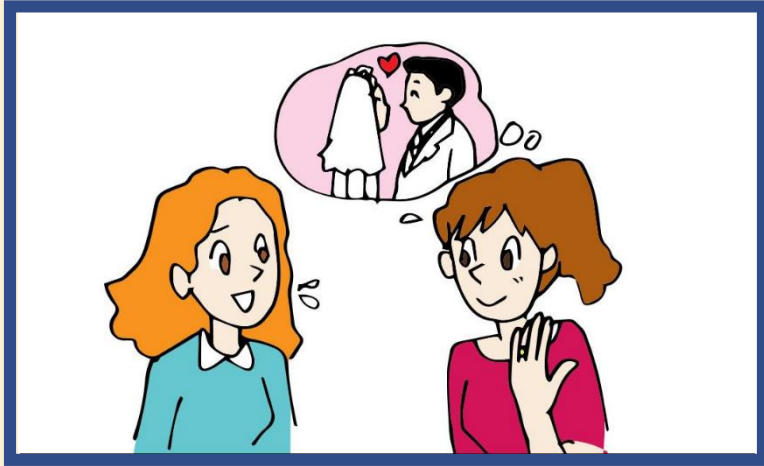
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Daily Expression

If I received the invitation, I would have come.

Picture Description

▼ Tell what you see in the pictures below.



A



B

Pronunciation and Matching

▼ Read the example sentences.

1. I would have passed the exam
if I studied harder.

2. If you were there, you would
have witnessed my wedding.

▼ Match the example sentences with
the corresponding pictures.



Conversation

▼ Listen to the conversation.

Dave: Congratulations! I didn't know you got married last week.

Kaye: Didn't you get my invitation?

Dave: **If I received the invitation, I would have come.** Anyway, what matters is you married him. It must be love.

Kaye: I was expecting you to attend my wedding. **You would have witnessed my wedding if you were there.**

Questions:

- When did the wedding happen?
- Why did Dave fail to attend the wedding?
- What would he have witnessed if he were there?

Grammar Focus

▼ Read the grammar structure.

Mixed - Simple Past, would + have + past participle

If I **were** a good cook, I **would have invited** them to lunch.

If I **spoke** English well, I **would have gotten** a better job.

Grammar Check

▼ Choose the correct answer.

If I were rich, I would have
___ the latest smartphone.

- A** buy
- B** buyed
- C** bought

If he ___ more time, he
would've finished the exam.

- A** were
- B** had
- C** has

If I ___ to work so much, I
would've gone to the cinema.

- A** hadn't have
- B** didn't have
- C** doesn't had

Grammar Check

▼ Choose the correct answer.

If I ____ earlier, I would have ____ her before she left.

- A** come; seen
- B** had; saw
- C** arrived; seen

If she ____ last night, she would've ____ the exam.

- A** studied; passed
- B** slept; aced
- C** studied; failed

If they ____ to the party, they ____ a good time.

- A** gone; wouldn't have
- B** went; would've had
- C** went; would have

Grammar Check

▼ Explain the meaning of each sentence.

1 She wouldn't have lost her ring if she was careful.

She lost her ring because she wasn't careful.

2 I would've learned English if I wasn't so busy.

3 If John quit his job, he would've starved.

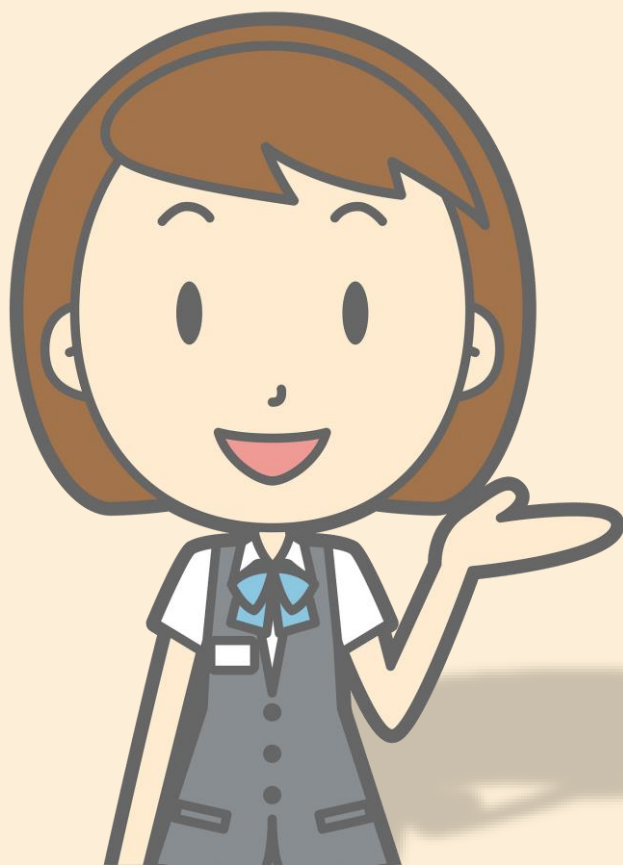
4 If we got money, we would've flown to the U.S.

5 I wouldn't have helped him if I knew he just lied.

Daily Scene

Mixed Conditional Chain Game

Try to make as many conditional sentences as you can using the learned daily expression.



If I spoke English well, ...

If I spoke English well, I would have gotten a better job.

If I got a better job, I would have lived in a big house.

If I lived in a big house, ...