

## **Answer Sheet: Mixed Conditionals**

Choose the correct answer.

Q1 - If you'd arrived on time, none of this would have happened		
~	This sentence is about something that happened in the past	
	This sentence is about something that is very unlikely to happen	
Q2 - If I were you, I'd get in touch with a solicitor		
	This is about something that is likely to happen in the near future	
<b>~</b>	This is about something now	
Q3 - If I won the lottery, I'd go on a cruise		
	This is about the present	
<b>✓</b>	This is about the future	
<b>Q4</b> - If yo	ou should see him, tell him I've got the video he was looking for	
<b>~</b>	This is less likely to happen than if the speaker had said 'If you see him'	
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Q5 - If th	e weather stays good, I'll play a round of golf tomorrow	
	This is about something that is unlikely to happen	
~	This is about something that has a good chance of happening	
Q6 - If th	ey win, they'll be top of the Premier Division	
<u> </u>	This could well happen	
	This is unlikely to happen	
Q7 - But for Jane's help, I'd never have got it done on time		
<u> </u>	Jane helped the speaker	
	Jane didn't help the speaker	



Q8 - It might not have been Sally		
✓ The speaker thinks that it probably was Sally		
The speaker is fairly sure it wasn't Sally		
Q9 - John, should you see her, could you ask Helen to give me a quick ring?		
John is likely to see Helen		
✓ John might possibly see Helen		
Q10 - If I told you what happened, would you keep it to yourself		
The speaker is definitely going to tell the person what happened		
✓ The speaker might tell the person what happened		
Q11 - As long as you do what the doctor told you, you should be better in a few days		
The person will probably get better		
☐ It is unlikely that the person will get better		
Q12 - If I were in your shoes, I'd be celebrating		
This is unlikely to happen except in the distant future		
✓ This is describing an imaginary present situation		
Q13 - I wish I were at home		
✓ This is talking about the present		
This is talking about the present  This is talking about the past		
Q14 - If I were in your shoes, I'd make sure that it is paid on time		
The speaker is giving an order		
✓ The speaker is making a suggestion		
Q15 - You know you shouldn't have tried to get away without paying		
The speaker is pleased with the other person		
<b>✓</b> The speaker is annoyed with the other person		



Q16 - I'll kill you unless you give me the money		
✓ The speaker is making a threat		
The speaker is making a suggestion		
Q17 - Unless you stop working so late, you'll never stop being so tired		
<b>✓</b> The person should stop working late		
It's alright to work late		
Q18 - If he hadn't been there, there would have been a terrible accident		
<b>✓</b> There was no accident		
There was an accident		
Q19 - If you want to do well, you should work harder		
The speaker is giving advice		
☐ The speaker is giving an order		
Q20 - If he were here, things would be very different		
This is about the future		
✓ This is about the ruture ✓ This is about the present		
Q21 - If you see him, will you tell him that I need to talk to him		
✓ There's a reasonable chance of seeing him		
There's little chance of seeing him		
Q22 - Had I known, I'd have come sooner		
This is about the present		
✓ This is about the past		
Q23 - Provided you carry on like this, you should do well		
☐ The speaker thinks it is unlikely that the person will carry on in the same way  The speaker thinks it is likely that the person will carry on in the same way		
The speaker times it is intery that the person will carry on in the same way		



Q24 - If only I'd had the chance to speak to her, I'd have sorted everything out		
The speaker is apologising		
✓ The speaker is expressing regret		
Q25 - Suppose he came, what would you do?		
<b>✓</b> It is unlikely that he will come		
It is fairly likely that he will come		
Q26 - He might well understand if you explain the situation to him		
It is improbable that he will understand		
✓ He will probably understand		
Q27 - Unless you apply now, you won't get your passport in time for your holiday		
There's no hurry to apply		
✓ The person must apply quickly		
Q28 - If you mix yellow and blue, it makes green		
<b>✓</b> This is always true		
This is about the future		
Q29 - If you could, would you go there?		
This is about the past		
✓ This is about the future		
Q30 - What do you think I should do if he turns up		
The speaker wants advice about the present		
✓ The speaker wants advice about the future		