

Conditional clauses exercise

Complete the following sentences using appropriate conditional verb forms.

1. If you run into Jake, tell him that he owes me 100 dollars.

would

could

should

2. If I had another 1000 dollars, I a car.

can buy

could buy

could have bought

3. If he should be late, we to go without him.

will have

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would have

could have

4. What would you do if you to lose your job?

are

were

5. If you to move a bit, I could sit here.

are

have

were

6. Had I realized what you intended, I

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..... this.

will not permit

would not permit

would not have permitted

7. Were she my daughter, I her wear that mini-frock.

will not let

would not let

would not have let

8. If you finish early, give me a ring.

should

happen to

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Either could be used here

9. I will get up earlier if there a good reason to.

is

was

10. It would be nice if you me a few dollars.

lend

lent

would lend

Answers

1. If you should run into Jake, tell him that he owes me 100 dollars.
2. If I had another 1000 dollars, I could buy a car.

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3. If he should be late, we will have to go without him.
4. What would you do if you were to lose your job?
5. If you were to move a bit, I could sit here.
6. Had I realized what you intended, I would not have permitted this.
7. Were she my daughter, I would not let her wear that mini-frock.
8. If you should / happen to finish early, give me a ring.
9. I will get up earlier if there is a good reason to.
10. It would be nice if you lent me a few dollars.