# Second Conditional

#### Fill in the countries according to the rhymes: Greece - Spain - France - Germany - Japan

| 1. If I could be King of,              |
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| I woudn't brush my hair for aunts.     |
| 2. If I could be King of,              |
| I woud eat chocolate all in one piece. |
| 3. If I could be King of,              |
| I woud do all I can.                   |
| 4. If I could be King of,              |
| I woud give everyone a penny.          |
| 5. If I could be King of,              |
| I woud take my hat off in the rain.    |

- 1. **If** I **could be** King of France, I **woudn't brush** my hair for aunts.
- 2. **If** I **could be** King of Greece, I **woud eat** chocolate all in one piece.
  - 3. **If** I **could be** King of Japan, I **woud do** all I can.
  - 4. **If** I **could be** King of Germany, I **woud give** everyone a penny.
    - 5. **If** I **could be** King of Spain, I **woud take** my hat off in the rain.

### SECOND CONDITIONAL

per esprimere un'ipotesi poco probabile, irreale o immaginaria al presente o al futuro

| If I had money,          | I would live in a mansion. |
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| If I knew her number,    | I would call her.          |
| If I were King of France | I would not brush my hair. |
| If we won five million   | we would buy a yacht.      |
| pounds,                  |                            |

| If clause        | Proposizione principale |
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| IF + Past Simple | WOULD + forma base      |

| If I were rich,  | I would have lots of servants.   |
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| If I were a boy, | I would use my dad's motorcycle. |

Quando la condizione è impossibile o molto improbabile, nella **If clause** si può usare **were** invece di was.

Si usa questa struttura anche per dare consigli.

ex. If I were you, I would help your friend.

| If I didn't play football, | I would travel the world with my parents. |
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| If I didn't ask for help,  | I wouldn't pass my exam.                  |

In queste frasi il verbo della If clause è negativo.

Cosa noti? É ancora vero che la situazione ipotetica non si è realizzata?

And now it's time for you to try!!

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