

1st Bat Review exercises

INFINITIVES / GERUNDS

1. Delia doesn't feel like (go) to the cinema tonight.
2. The child appeared (be) very happy.
3. I'm glad you have agreed (meet) us.
4. The committee disapproves of (build) factories too close to houses.
5. Would you mind (take off) your hat?

RELATIVE CLAUSES

1. The clerk helped me. He was very polite.
2. Jessica has a coin collection. It contains many rare coins.
3. Here is a postcard of the village. We spent three days there.
4. I met a friend last week. Her daughter is an astrologist.
5. The palace stands outside the town. It was built 200 years ago.
6. The man left town. We wrote an angry letter to this man.
7. You can see many snakes in the zoo. Some of them are poisonous.

CONDITIONALS

1. I'm not strong enough and I can't carry this suitcase
2. Dana was late for work because she woke up late.
3. Your sore throat is not improving. You should take lemon tea.
4. Don't eat so much or you'll put on weight.
5. Tony prepares meals very slowly. He needs a microwave.
6. The driver felt asleep at the wheel and caused the accident.
7. George can't go to the theatre because he is too busy.
8. We didn't buy the house because it was too far from the city.

PASSIVE

1. A jeep picked up the soldiers from the base.
2. The committee hushed up the scandal.
3. Sheila turned down the offer of a company car.
4. The scientist showed us around the laboratory.
5. We needn't buy tickets for the concert in advance.
6. We have to translate this story into Spanish.
7. You mustn't leave the milk outside the fridge.

TENSES

A: (know) where Brian is?

B: No, I (see) him since lunch. I (think) he's in the kitchen. He (probably / do) the washing up.

My daughter is a vegetarian. She (not eat) meat. It is sometimes difficult in a restaurant when she (find) that they (not have) any vegetarian dishes. That's why she (usually / telephone) beforehand to find out what's on the menu.

A: How long (live) in Liverpool?

B: Only three weeks. We (stay) in a hotel until we (find) a house to buy.