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RESUMEN DE CLASE - INTERMEDIO 2

Ideal Home

Unit 7B - Second Conditional: hablar de tu casa ideal y de situaciones imaginarias

En esta clase aprendiste a...

- Describir casas y hablar de tu casa ideal: **My dream house would be in... It would have...**
- Usar el **Second Conditional** para situaciones imaginarias o irreales: **If I had a good salary, I would buy an apartment.**
- Comparar opciones al hablar con conectores: **However, on the other hand, one advantage is that...**

1. Vocabulario - Homes and Living

Types of homes - Tipos de vivienda

- **house** - casa
- **apartment** - departamento
- **cabin** - cabaña
- **villa** - villa, casa de campo grande
- **mansion** - mansión

Rooms and features - Cuartos y espacios

- **bedroom** - recámara
- **kitchen** - cocina
- **living room** - sala
- **guest room** - cuarto de huéspedes
- **game room** - cuarto de juegos
- **gym** - gimnasio
- **balcony** - balcón
- **garden / yard** - jardín / patio
- **swimming pool** - alberca
- **home cinema** - cine en casa
- **furniture** - muebles

Area - Zona

- **neighborhood** - colonia, barrio
- **neighbors** - vecinos
- **downtown / city center** - centro de la ciudad
- **the suburbs** - las afueras, la zona suburbana
- **small town** - pueblo, ciudad pequeña
- **top floor** - último piso
- **view** - vista
- **space** - espacio

Useful verbs and phrases

- **live alone / live with...** - vivir solo / vivir con...
- **rent** - rentar | **buy** - comprar
- **share an apartment** - compartir departamento
- **move (to)** - mudarse (a)
- **be the owner** - ser el dueño / la dueña
- **grow plants** - cultivar plantas
- **win the lottery** - ganar la lotería
- **a good salary** - un buen salario

Preguntas para calentar - Warm-up

Do you live in a house or an apartment? Is there a yard?
Would you like to live in a small town?
Do you think you will live in the same city in 10 years?
Would you rather buy a house or travel around the world?

2. Gramática - Second Conditional

¿Para qué sirve? Como se vio en clase, el Second Conditional se usa para hablar de situaciones **imaginarias o irreales**: no están pasando, las estás imaginando en el presente o en el futuro. *Si tuviera..., yo haría...*

If + sujeto + pasado simple , sujeto + would / could + verbo (forma base)

If I **had** a good salary, I **would buy** an apartment. = Si tuviera un buen salario, compraría un departamento.

Las dos partes, pieza por pieza

Parte IF - la condición imaginaria	Parte WOULD - el resultado imaginario
Verbo en **pasado simple**: **If I lived alone... / If she had a balcony...**	**would + verbo sin to**: **...I would rent it. / ...she would grow plants.**
Ojo: el pasado aquí **no habla del pasado**. Es la marca de "esto es imaginario".	También puede ir **could** (= podría): **If I lived alone, I could invite all my friends.**
Negativa: **If they didn't share an apartment...**	Negativa: **...they wouldn't pay so much rent.** (wouldn't = would not)

Regla de oro: el verbo TO BE siempre es WERE

En Second Conditional, *to be* se usa como **were** para **todas** las personas: I, you, he, she, it, we, they.
If I were you, I would buy the apartment downtown. - frase fija para dar un consejo: "Yo que tú / Si yo fuera tú..."
If my apartment were bigger, I would invite my friends more often.

Ejemplos de la clase

If I lived alone, I could invite all my friends to my house. Si viviera solo, podría invitar a todos mis amigos a mi casa.

If she were more responsible, she would get a better job. Si ella fuera más responsable, conseguiría un mejor trabajo.

If this apartment were bigger, I would rent it. Si este departamento fuera más grande, lo rentaría.

If he were taller, he would play basketball. Si él fuera más alto, jugaría basquetbol.

Preguntas y orden de las partes

What would you do if you won the lottery? - la parte de *would* puede ir primero; en ese orden **no lleva coma**: **I would travel around the world if I won the lottery.**

¡Ojo! Errores comunes

- **No:** *If I would have money...* **Sí: If I had money, I would buy a house.** - en la parte IF nunca va *would*.
- **No:** *If I won the lottery, I will travel.* **Sí: ...I would travel.** - resultado imaginario = *would*, no *will*.
- **No:** *If I was you...* en esta clase **Sí: If I were you...**

3. Speaking - Conectores para comparar y opinar

En la clase se practicó **Academic Speaking: Contrasting** - comparar vivir con amigos vs. vivir con los papás. Estos marcos son los de la presentación, listos para usar con cualquier comparación:

Conector / marco	Para qué sirve
There are some clear differences between A and B.	Empezar una comparación.
From my point of view, it depends on your age and lifestyle.	Dar tu punto de vista con matiz.
Personally, I would prefer to live with...	Decir tu preferencia.
However, ... / On the other hand, ...	Contrastar: "sin embargo / por otro lado".
One advantage of living with... is that...	Presentar una ventaja.
A good thing about living with... is that...	Otra forma de ventaja.
One disadvantage of living with... is that...	Presentar una desventaja.
The worst part of living with... is that...	Lo peor de la opción.

Conectores extra para sonar más completo

Función	Conectores
Opinar	**In my opinion... / I think... / I believe... / It seems to me that...**
Sumar ideas	**Also... / In addition... / Moreover... / Another advantage is that...**
Dar ejemplos	**For example... / For instance...**
Ordenar	**First... / Second... / Finally...**
Cerrar	**In conclusion... / All in all... / That's why I would prefer...**

4. Speaking - My Dream House

Marco de la clase para describir tu casa ideal, completo:

My dream house would be in...

It would be a... (apartment, cabin, villa, mansion)

It would have ___ rooms. The kitchen / living room / bedroom would be...

There would be a... (garden, swimming pool, home cinema)

I would love to have... / I would live there with...

Preguntas de speaking de la clase

- **If you had a lot of money, where would you buy a house?**
- **If you lived in another country, where would you like to live?**
- **If you had more space at home, would you prefer a gym or a game room?**
- **If you won the lottery, would you prefer to travel around the world or buy a mansion?**

5. Reading - Still Living at Home?

Idea principal: cada vez más jóvenes de veintitantos años, en todo el mundo, viven con sus papás porque rentar o comprar un lugar propio es demasiado caro. Pregunta de la lectura: **Are you living at home? Are you happy with it?** También se vio la lectura **Tchaikovsky's House**.

6. Práctica - Completa en Second Conditional

Usa la forma correcta del verbo entre paréntesis. Son frases de práctica de la clase:

1. If I _____ (live) in a big house, I _____ (have) a room just for guests.
2. If she _____ (have) a balcony, she _____ (grow) plants and flowers.
3. If my apartment _____ (be) bigger, I _____ (invite) my friends more often.
4. If we _____ (live) on the top floor, we _____ (have) a better view.
5. If my neighbors _____ (not be) so noisy, I _____ (sleep) better at night.
6. If I _____ (win) the lottery, I _____ (travel) around the world.
7. If we _____ (live) in Canada, we _____ (see) snow every winter.
8. If you _____ (speak) French, you _____ (understand) that movie.

Completa con tu verdad - If I...

Actividad de la clase: termina cada inicio de frase de forma verdadera para ti.

- **If I could live anywhere in my city, I'd live...**
- **If I won a "dream vacation", I'd go...**
- **If I could choose any car I liked, I'd have a...**
- **If I could choose my ideal job, I'd be...**
- **If I had more time, I'd learn...**

Respuestas - Práctica: 1. lived / would have 2. had / would grow 3. were / would invite 4. lived / would have 5. weren't / would sleep 6. won / would travel 7. lived / would see 8. spoke / would understand

Lo que aprendiste hoy

- Vocabulario de vivienda: tipos de casa, cuartos, zonas y verbos como *rent, move, share*.
- Second Conditional: *If + pasado simple, would/could + verbo*, para situaciones imaginarias; *to be* siempre *were*.
- Conectores para comparar y opinar: *however, on the other hand, one advantage / disadvantage is that...*
- Describir tu casa ideal con el marco *My dream house would...*

> **Si faltaste a clase**
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> Lee este resumen, repasa la fórmula del Second Conditional, haz la práctica y escribe tu descripción de *My dream house* usando el marco de la página 3.

Good job - see you in the next class!