

## Zero Conditional

Two people talk about their jobs.

**Intermediate English—Sound Grammar**

B1 Lesson 9 Conversation 1



**Part 1:** Listen to the conversation and answer the questions.

| Question 1                  | Question 2                          | Question 3                      |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Where does she work?</b> | <b>When is it slow at her work?</b> | <b>Where does the man work?</b> |
|                             |                                     |                                 |

**Part 2:** Complete the blanks with the correct word in the column to the right.

|   |    |                   |
|---|----|-------------------|
| <b>Man:</b> Where do you _____?   | 1  | work / working    |
| <b>Woman:</b> I work _____ the beach. I'm a lifeguard.                                      | 2  | in / at           |
| <b>Man:</b> Interesting. That must be _____ great job.                                      | 3  | a / the           |
| <b>Woman:</b> Sometimes. But if it is hot, it _____ really busy.                            | 4  | get / gets        |
| <b>Man:</b> Oh, yeah? What about _____ winter?  | 5  | in / on           |
| <b>Woman:</b> When winter _____, the beaches are empty, so there's _____ work.              | 6  | come / comes      |
| <b>Man:</b> Yeah, I work at an outdoor cafe, and it's _____.                                | 7  | no / not          |
| <b>Woman:</b> Because of the _____?   | 8  | same / similar    |
| <b>Man:</b> Yes. If it _____, there's not many customers. People don't come _____ it rains. | 9  | whether / weather |
| <b>Woman:</b> Yeah, that makes _____.   | 10 | rains / raining   |
|   | 11 | why / when        |
|   | 12 | since / sense     |

**Part 3:** Match the questions with the answers.

|   |                                 |                                       |
|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | Have you ever seen a lifeguard? | Yes, but only if I have to.           |
| 2 | Do you like the beach?          | My favorite is the fall.              |
| 3 | What is your favorite season?   | Yes, I love going there with friends. |
| 4 | Do you go out when it rains?    | I'm unemployed for now.               |
| 5 | What work do you do?            | Yes, he works at the community pool.  |

**Part 4:** Now it is your turn! What are your answers to these questions? Discuss with a partner.

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| <b>The beach</b>     | <b>Winter</b>                | <b>A cafe</b>            |

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|   |    |                   |
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| <b>Man:</b> Oh, yeah? What about <b>in</b> winter?  | 5  | in / on           |
| <b>Woman:</b> When <b>winter comes</b> , the beaches are empty, so there's <b>no</b> work.                | 6  | come / comes      |
| <b>Man:</b> Yeah, I work at <b>an outdoor cafe</b> , and it's <b>similar</b> .                            | 7  | no / not          |
| <b>Woman:</b> Because of the <b>weather</b> ?   | 8  | same / similar    |
| <b>Man:</b> Yes. If it <b>rains</b> , there's not many customers. People don't come <b>when</b> it rains. | 9  | whether / weather |
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|   |                                 |   |                                       |
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| 1 | Have you ever seen a lifeguard? | 4 | Yes, but only if I have to.           |
| 2 | Do you like the beach?          | 3 | My favorite is the fall.              |
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