4.2 Future time clauses

1 Choose the correct words.

**1** Have a snack *if* / *until* you’re hungry.

**2** We can make a salad *before* / *as long as* we have some lettuce and tomatoes.

**3** I’ll go to the supermarket alone, *if* / *unless* you want to come too.

**4** We’ll have dinner *unless* / *as soon as* the rice is cooked.

**5** Please wash your hands *after* / *before* you start cooking.

**6** There’s never any bread left in the shop *as long as* / *when* I go there in the evening.

**7** We can continue playing tennis *as soon as* / *until* it gets dark.

**8** We can tidy up *unless* / *after* everyone leaves.

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2 Complete the second sentence so it has the same meaning as the first sentence.

**1** There’s a prize for the winner of the competition.

You’ll get a prize                                               the competition.

**2** I’ll meet Paul tomorrow if he doesn’t feel ill.

I’ll meet Paul tomorrow unless                                                ill.

**3** First, fry the onions and then add the eggs.

You should add the eggs                                                the onions.

**4** Will you text me the moment Andy sends you the results?

Will you text me as                                                you the results?

**5** Mum will only let you go camping with your friends when you are 18.

Mum won’t let you go camping with your friends                                                18.

**6** I’ll come with you if you pay for the tickets.

I’ll come with you as                                                for the tickets.

**7** Don’t wait for us to arrive at the restaurant to start eating.

You can start eating                                                at the restaurant.

1 Choose the correct words.

**1** Go and have a sleep *until* / *if* you’re tired.

**2** The waiters are never there *when* / *after* you need them.

**3** You can keep potatoes for a few weeks at home *unless* / *as long as* you store them in a cool place.

**4** I’ll continue working *until* / *unless* I finish all my homework.

**5** We can eat outside *unless* / *as soon as* it’s very cold.

**6** Remember to put a stamp on the letter *before* / *after* you post it.

**7** Take the cake out of the oven *until* / *as soon as* it is cooked.

**8** We’ll go on holiday *unless* / *after* our exams finish.

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2 Complete the second sentence so it has the same meaning as the first sentence.

**1** We’ll stop playing when it gets dark.

We won’t stop playing                                                dark.

**2** Don’t wait until everyone gets here to start the meeting.

You can start the meeting                                               here.

**3** I’ll buy the tickets if they aren’t too expensive.

I’ll buy the tickets as                                                too expensive.

**4** Add the chocolate and then stir in the cream.

Stir in the cream                                                the chocolate.

**5** I’ll email you the moment I get home.

I’ll email you as                                                home.

**6** The first person to finish wins a medal.

You’ll get a medal                                                first.

**7** We’ll go to the beach tomorrow if the weather is good.

We’ll go to the beach tomorrow                                                bad.

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