Had I Listened

English · C1

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Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

The grammar · Had I known… (if without if)

Find it: __ / 2

1 · SEE IT

Had I listened, we'd still be talking.

2 · LEARN IT

Had I known	if I had known	**Had I listened**	if I had listened
had I given in	if I had given in	**Had she stayed**	if she had stayed
were it not for the rent	if it weren't for the rent	**should you ever whistle**	if you ever whistle

3 · FIND IT

Circle every example of had I known… (if without if). One line has none.

1. and listens anyway, which strikes me as a little unfair.
2. had I given in,
3. Had I listened,

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- ☐ point by point, like a lawyer billing by the hour.
- ☐ You'd said that what you needed was a little room to breathe;
- ☐ Funny how the silence does the talking now.
- ☐ I heard a motion to adjourn and filed my objection.
- ☐ It wasn't the argument that ended us; it was the way I won it,

4 · Fill in the Blank

__ / 1

Use had.

1. _____ I only heard you,

Sing it together

Play the song. Everyone sings the chorus. Then two halves take turns, line by line.

My score ☐ **/ 8**

For parents: scan to play the song at home. The app is free to try.

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English · C1 · Grammar: Had I known… (if without if) · 8 points

Grammar · Find it (2)

1 none 2 had 3 had

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

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4 · Fill in the Blank (1)

1 had

For the teacher

Play the song once with the lyrics. Do "See it" and "Learn it" together; students do "Find it". Students do the 4 games alone or as homework, add up their score and hand in the sheet. Each game is also in the app's Arcade.

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