***CONVERSATION CLUB***

**LESSON 20**

**Topic: “Third Conditional: No Possibility” (Review)**

**Objective:** Students will review the topic “Third Conditional”, through a communicative activity.

Warm-up**:** Tell your teacher some real examples about things that happened to you since last class, using the “Third Conditional” structure.

*e.g. “If I had finished working earlier last night, I would not have gotten stuck in traffic.”*

**Activity 1: Use the cause-and-consequence cues below to make sentences using the “Third Conditional” form. You will have to improvise some examples as the activity develops. Look at the example.**

* Einstein created the atomic bomb – wars, devastation, death

*“If Einstein had not invented the atomic bomb, thousands of people would not have died when the Americans tested its power in Hiroshima.”*

* The invention of computers – communication, knowledge
* The evolution of the chimps – humans, technological advances
* The cure for cancer – people saved
* The discovery of penicillin - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The invention/creation/development of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* If I had not become a doctor, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* If my cousin had used contraceptives, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Activity 2:** As a group, think of a topic of your interest and discuss it. Try to develop on it as much as possible, in a way that many points of view are considered and discussed. Remember that you are using the “Third Conditional” form and this means that you are talking about something that “could have been” or “would have been” but did not.