

英文和訳の問題です。

We might be as extremely hot as Venus had the Earth been closer.

ポイント

①「have もの done : ものを過去分詞してもらう / される」かどうか？

他動詞「do もの」の形が前提で成立するので、ここでは「全く別のもの」であるはず。

例) Somebody stole my bicycle. → I had my bicycle stolen.

②as Venus で「金星と同じくらい」と考える

③仮定法の条件、If S were / If S had done の were / had は文頭に出て If を省略できる。

Were S / Had S done

「地球がもっと（太陽に）近かったならば、我々は金星と同じくらい極端に熱かっただろう」

英作文の問題です。

もし石油がなかったら、20世紀の歴史はまったく違ったものになっていただろう。

ポイント

①「なかったら」

if it were not for → were it not for / if it had not been for → had it not been for
without / but for

if we didn't have / if we hadn't had

②ちがったものになる

be different / be not the same / differ from

The history of the world during the 20th century would have been quite different if we had not had oil.

別解

Without petroleum, the history of the 20th century would not have been the same.

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