

IF ...

FIRST CONDITIONAL

***per esprimere un'ipotesi che è
possibile e probabile nel
presente o nel futuro***

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Posizione iniziale: If ... , ...

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If we don't hurry,	we'll be late.
If you're hungry,	have something to eat.
If the phone rings,	can you answer it, please?

If clause

IF + ...

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Present Simple

Imperative

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Posizione intermedia: ... if ...

I can understand you	if you speak slowly.
We'll be late	if you don't hurry.
I'm going to the concert	if I can get a ticket.
Do you mind	if I open the window?

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TRICKS WITH SCIENCE

Read about these experiments, then guess what will happen. Choose the box with the correct answer. Write the answer in a sentence with **If**.

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Put a pencil in a glass of water. What will happen if you hold the glass in front of your eyes?

- You will see two pencils.
- The pencil will look broken.



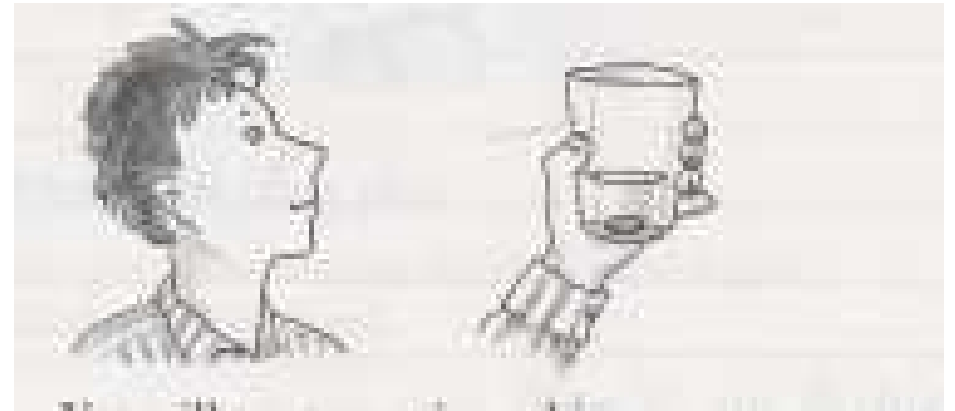
If you hold the glass level with your eyes, the pencil will look broken

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Drop a coin in a glass of water 2 cm deep. What will you see if you hold the glass in front of your eyes?

- You will see two coins, a big one and a small one.
- You will see two coins of the same size.
- You will see your coin at the bottom of the glass.



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Make a paper tube 30 cm long. Hold your left hand beside the tube. Keep both eyes open. What will you see if you look down the tube with your right eye?

- You will see the inside of the tube.
- You will see a hole in your hand.
- You will see the end of the tube.



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Hold one finger of each hand up in front of your eyes, about 20 cm from your face. What will you see if you look at something beyond your two fingers?

- You won't see any fingers.
- You will see your two fingers.
- You will see two extra 'ghost' fingers.



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What will you see if you look at your two fingers?

- You will see six fingers.
- The 'ghost' fingers will disappear.



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Hold one finger of each hand up in front of your eyes. What will you see if you look just beyond your fingers?

- You will see a short 'floating' finger.
- You won't see anything.



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Suck some water up into a straw. Put your finger over the end of the straw which is in your mouth. What will happen if you take the straw out of the water?

- The water will run out of the straw.
- The water will stay in the straw.



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What will happen if you take your finger from the end of the straw?

- The water will run out of the straw.
- The water will stay in the straw.



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CLASS GAME

Play this game round the class. If you make a mistake you will have to drop out.

- (STUDENT 1) If I have time, I'll go to the cinema.
- (STUDENT 2) If I have time, I'll go to the cinema and I'll do my homework.
- (STUDENT 3) If I have time, I'll go to the cinema, I'll do my homework and I'll phone a friend.

Continue! If you remember more than twenty things, you'll get a sweet.