

Inglés V

First Conditional

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A first conditional sentence consists of two clauses, an "if" clause and a main clause:

"if" clause

If you study hard,

main clause

you will pass the exam.

If the "if" clause comes first, a comma is usually used. If the "if" clause comes second, there is no need for a comma:

main clause

You will pass the test

"if" clause

If you study hard.

We use the simple present tense and the future tense.

“if” clause

If + subject + simple present verb

main clause

subject + future verb

The first conditional is used to talk about things which are possible in the present or the future — things which *may happen*:

If it's sunny, we'll go to the park.

Paula will be sad if her boyfriend leaves.

If you cook the dinner, I'll wash the dishes.



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