

# First and Second Conditionals

## Learn!

- If they get the money, the family will move to an area with better services.
- They would not move **if** the area had better services.
- I will go to the movies on Sunday **unless** my grandparents come over.

## Work it out!

### 1 Answer the questions about the sentences in the Learn! section.

- Which sentence expresses a possible situation? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which sentence expresses an improbable situation? \_\_\_\_\_
- Which sentence expresses that only one reason could stop something from happening? \_\_\_\_\_

### 2 Complete the rules.

#### First Conditional

If / Unless + Subject + Simple Present, subject + \_\_\_\_\_ + verb in simple form

#### Second Conditional

If + Subject + \_\_\_\_\_, subject + would + verb in simple form

(Note – We can put the *If* or *Unless* sentences at the beginning or at the end)

## Use!

### 1 Complete the sentences with *if*, *unless* or the correct form of the verb in parentheses.

- If it doesn't rain, we \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the beach.
- He will fail the exam, \_\_\_\_\_ he studies.
- If she knew the answer she \_\_\_\_\_ (give) it to me.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I don't see him tomorrow, I \_\_\_\_\_ (call) him in the evening.
- If Rachel \_\_\_\_\_ (have) more time she would take piano lessons.
- The front door \_\_\_\_\_ (be) never used unless we have visitors.