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Explanations

Situation 1

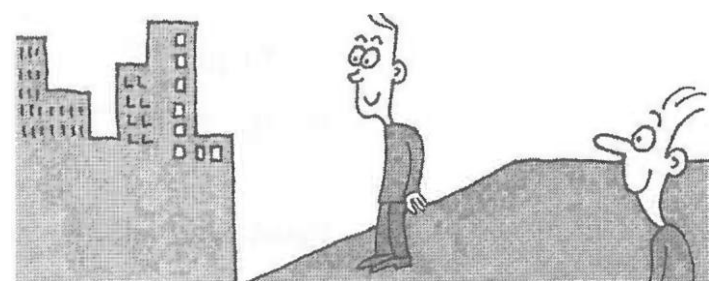
Conditional 1

We are on the roof of a block of flats. You are standing very near the edge. This is dangerous! I say:

If you fall, you'll hurt yourself.



Conditional 1



Conditional 2

Conditional 2

We are on the roof of a block of flats. You are not near the edge. There is no danger. I imagine a dangerous situation and say:

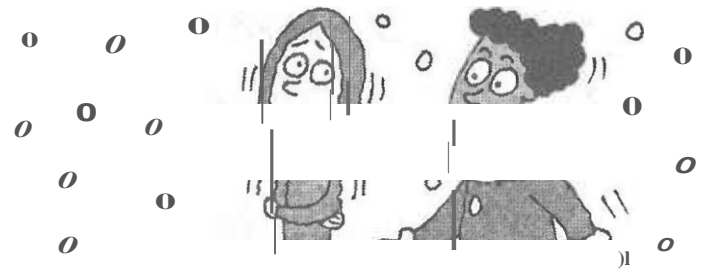
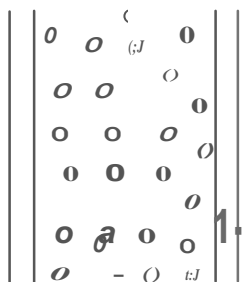
If you fell, you'd hurt yourself!

Situation 2

Conditional 1

It is a cold day in winter. We are going to leave the house. I have got a coat for you. I say:

If you wear this coat, you won't be cold.



Conditional 1

Conditional 2

Conditional 2

It is a cold day in winter. We are outside. I am wearing a coat. I am warm. You are not wearing a coat. You are cold. I say:

If you wore a coat, you wouldn't be cold!