

Zero Conditional v First Conditional

The main difference between the zero and first conditionals is the likelihood of an event happening.

Zero Conditional	First Conditional
Truth or fact (100% going to happen)	Very likely future event (80-99% going to happen)
General statement	Personal statement for a particular situation
If you sit in the sun for 10 hours, you burn	If you sit in the sun for 10 hours, you will burn
If ice-cream gets warm, it melts	If your ice-cream gets warm, it will melt

