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1. In the table write down some events that could happen to your parents or guardians. Then say whether they are *likely* or *not likely* to happen. Two suggestions have been made for you.

Event	Likely or Not likely
My parent/guardian will use a computer tomorrow.	
My parent/guardian will eat chocolate tomorrow.	

2. Put one of the following words in the table with the events:

Impossible

Unlikely

Likely

Certain

Event	Probability
I will eat carrots this evening.	
My teacher's birthday is on a Friday this year.	
It will rain for most of next Sunday.	
If I choose a card from a pack, it will be a heart, diamond, club or spade.	
If I type a sum into a calculator, it will give me the correct answer.	
If I put a football on the side of a hill, it will roll uphill.	
I shall know all my tables by the time I am fourteen years old.	

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1. Answers will vary according to events children choose.
2. Carrots: likely or unlikely according to diet of children
Teacher's birthday: unlikely
Rain on Sunday: unlikely
Card: Certain
Calculator: Likely (almost certain)
Football: impossible
Tables: Likely