



Finish the Sentences

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Begin by underlining the adverb of possibility in each sentence - think about which word is giving information about how likely something is. Then choose a suitable way to finish the sentence.

1. The sky seemed white and low and it was obviously going to _____.
2. As she was nervous about tomorrow, perhaps _____.
3. As they had such a big lead in the race, surely they would _____.
4. I can't come this time but I definitely will _____.
5. Clearly the _____ is good but the _____ is even better.
6. It feels like my mum has been out for a long time, maybe _____.
7. We'll bring some food and we might possibly bring _____.
8. Don't say anything is impossible until you have _____.
9. Undoubtedly, the best way to chop wood is _____.
10. If you haven't tried the _____, then you certainly should!

Tell the Story Using Adverbs of Possibility

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Can you write a piece of writing which predicts what schools might be like 50 years from now? There is a list of adverbs below and an example of what your piece of writing may sound like. You can draw an illustration to accompany your ideas too!

Adverbs of possibility

certainly - definitely - maybe - possibly - surely - clearly - obviously - perhaps - probably - undoubtedly

Although the next fifty years will clearly see lots of changes in school, obviously there are some things that will not change. Surely teachers will still teach and pupils will still learn. There will probably be more technology in the classroom and perhaps every child will have a tablet for class work.....

Choose an adverb of possibility to start with and off you go!

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