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Experimental Probability Investigation

You are going to carry out an EXPERIMENT. It must only have two OUTCOMES.

Describe your experiment here: _____

Successful Outcome: _____

Fail Outcome: _____

What do you think the PROBABILITY of a success is (as a fraction)? _____

What do you think the PROBABILITY of a success is (as a decimal)? _____

If you carried out 100 TRIALS how many successes do you PREDICT you would have? _____

Carry out your experiment, recording your answers in a tally below and on the graph

Success	
Fail	

Work out the EXPERIMENTAL probability using your results:

Experimental Probability = $\frac{\text{Number of successes}}{\text{Number of trials}}$ = _____

Number of trials

What was the probability as a decimal? _____

Compare your theoretical and experimental probabilities. What do you notice? How can you improve the accuracy

