

# **FUTURE WITH WILL (1)**

We use 'will' to talk about future events we believe to be certain or an action in the future that cannot he influenced

- o Next year, I'll be 40.
- o There won't be any snow. It's too warm.
- o The concert will be on 24th May.
- Often we add 'perhaps', 'maybe', 'probably', 'possibly' to make the belief less certain (opinion, hope, uncertainty or assumption regarding the future).
- o I'll probably come back later.
- o Perhaps we'll meet again some day.

# FUTURE WITH WILL (2)

We often use 'will' with the verbs hope, think, be sure, believe, suppose:

- ol think I'll go next year.
- ol think I'll go to bed now.
- oI think she'll do well in the job.
- ol hope you'll enjoy your stay.
- ol hope you won't make too much noise.

# **FUTURE WITH WILL (3)**

We use 'will' at the moment we make a new decision or plan (a spontaneous decision).

- olt's very cold. I'll close the window.
- OBye. I'll phone you when I get there.
- ol'll answer that.
- ol'll go.

2) I

ol won't tell him. I promise.

# **FUTURE WITH WILL AND** ADVERBS OF CERTAINTY

- o Will comes before the adverbs certainly, definitely, probably, undoubtedly, surely in affirmative sentences and after the adverb in negative sentences.
- o I'll definitely go. (certain)
- o I certainly won't go. (certain)
- o I'll probably stay. (quite certain)
- o I probably won't stay. (quite certain)

Adverbs of certainty express how certain or sure we feel about an action or event.

Write positive senten	ces in	will Future	<del>)</del> .

1) We \_ \_\_(help) you. \_\_\_\_(get) you a drink.

3) I think our team \_\_\_\_\_(win) the match.

4) Maybe she \_\_\_ \_ (do) a language course in Malta.

5) I \_\_(buy) the tickets.

\_\_\_(do) this for you. 6) Perhaps she

\_ (stay) at home. 7) Maybe we

\_\_\_\_(cook) dinner tonight. 8) She hopes that he \_\_\_

9) I'm sure they \_\_\_\_\_(understand) your problem.

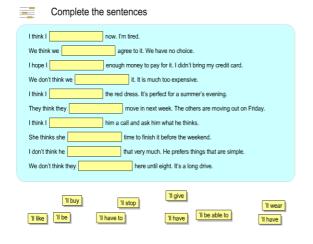
10)They\_\_\_\_ (go / probably) to the party.

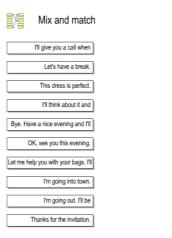
# Write negative sentences in will future.

- 1) (I / answer / the question)
- 2) (she / read / the book)
- 3) (we / send / the postcard)
- 4) (Vanessa / catch / the ball)
- 5) (James / open / the door)
- 6) (we / listen / to the radio)
- 7) (they / eat / fish)
- 8) (she / give / him / the apple)
- 9) (the computer / crash)



- 1) (you / ask / him)
- 2) (Jenny / lock / the door)
- 3) (it / rain)
- 4) (the teacher / test / our English)
- 5) (what / they / eat)
- 6) (when / she / be / back)
- 7) (who / drive / us / into town)
- 8) (where / we / meet)
- 9) (when / I / be / famous)





I have s	ome news.	
I'll give	you a lift.	
see you	tomorrow.	
l'll make	some coffee.	
back in	half an hour.	
let you l	know next week	ī.
I'll be th	ere at about eig	jht.
l'll see y	ou on Friday.	
l'II take	it. How much is	it?
take the	big one.	

### **FUTURE WITH GOING TO**

- 1) planned actions in the future
- •We are going to sing at the party.
- ol am going to have a holiday next week.
- 2) you are certain that something is going to happen in the future.
- oLook at that car! It is going to crash into the yellow one.
- oLook at those clouds! It's going to rain.



1) He	his friend. (to phone)
2) We	a new computer game. (to play)
3) My sister	TV. (to watch)
4) You	a picnic next Tuesday. (to have)
5) Jane	to the office. (to go)
6) They	to the bus
stop this afternoon. (to	walk)
7) His brother	a letter to his uncle today.
(to write)	
8) She	her aunt. (to visit)
9) I	my homework after school. (to do)
10) Sophie and Nick_	their
friends. (to meet)	

Put in the verbs in brackets into the gaps and form negative sentences in going to-future. 1) They\_\_\_\_\_ the lunch basket. (not/to pack) 2) I \_\_\_\_\_ somebody the way. (not/to ask) 3) Rita\_\_\_\_\_ Jim's book. (not/to borrow) 4) We \_\_\_\_\_ a T-shirt. (not/to design) 5) I \_\_\_\_on the red button. (not/to click) 6) The girls\_\_\_\_\_ at the boys. (not/to laugh) 7) Tim\_\_\_\_\_ Sandra's hair. (not/to pull) 8) Andy and Fred\_\_\_\_\_ to a song. (not/to mime) 9) You\_\_\_\_\_ dinner. (not/to prepare)

10) He\_\_\_\_ the hamster in the garden. (not/to keep)

# PRESENT CONTINUOUS WITH FUTURE MEANING (NEAR FUTURE)

o Present Continuous and Present Simple can be used to talk about the future.

We use the Present Continuous for plans and arrangements.

What are you doing tonight? I'm seeing a very important client in my office at 7 o'clock.

Where are you staying in London?



# PRESENT CONTINUOUS VS GOING TO

- o Going to is used to talk about future plans and intentions.
- o The present continuous is used to talk about future arrangements (a time and place are decided)
- a) I'm going to see Mary again. (a decision has been made but no arrangement)
- b) I'm seeing Mary tonight at the restaurant at 10. (an arrangement has been made with Mary).
- o With go and come, the present continuous is generally

I'm going to Australia.

#### Present continuous for future use

\_\_(go) to the supermarket tomorrow. 1. I My sister \_\_ (give) me her car when she gets her new one. 3. We \_\_\_\_ \_\_ (have) a BBQ on Sunday. \_\_\_\_\_ (come) to my party next week. 4. All my friends \_ 5. We \_\_\_\_\_ (take) my niece to Aquapark later today. 6. The train \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) in ten minutes. \_\_\_ (go) to the zoo tomorrow. 7. We \_\_\_\_ 8. On Friday I \_\_\_\_\_(go) to Rob's party. 9. My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to school tomorrow. 10. Řhonda \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_ (stay in) on Friday. 11. Bill \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the cinema at the weekend.

\_\_Susan \_\_\_\_\_ (work) this week?

All of these sentences are written in the present continuous. But the present continuous is only used for arrangements (you have decided where, when, who with ...). We use 'going to' for general plans. Say if the sentences are correct or wrong.

- 1) I'm visiting my friends in the USA next week.
- 2) I'm being a doctor when I finish university.
- 3) Tom's starting university next month.
- 4) We're being rich and famous one day.
- 5) I'm speaking perfect English in 6 months. 6) Are you staying in a hotel or a campsite this weekend?
- 7) I've just bought the tickets! I'm travelling round Asia next year!
- 8) One day I'm winning the lottery.

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