# Future Tenses

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### We use WILL / WON'T + INFINITIVE for:
- Predictions/opinions about the future:
  - My mother will go to Madrid next September. I think she won't go to the party.
- Spontaneous decisions:
  - There isn't any milk in the fridge. I'll buy some today.
- Requests:
  - Will you help me with this suitcase?
- Promises:
  - I promise I'll tell him the truth.

### We use BE GOING TO + INFINITIVE for:
- Predictions based on evidence:
  - Look! That car is going to crash.
  - Look at those clouds! It's going to rain.
- Plans/intentions:
  - She passed her exams. She's going to university.
  - I'm going to have dinner with my family tonight.

### We use BE + VERB -ING (present continuous) for:
- Short term plans or arrangements (specific time or place):
  - I'm visiting my grandparents next week.
  - We're playing video games in Michael's house.
  - My dad and I are watching the new TV series today.

### We use WILL + BE + VERB -ING (future continuous) for:
- A specific period of time in the future:
  - I can't go out tonight. I'll be working at the office.
  - Will Mary be going to the museum?
- Actions which have already been planned:
  - This time next week, I'll be travelling to New York.

### We use WILL + HAVE + PARTICIPLE (future perfect) for:
- Something that will be completed by specific moment in the future. We usually use BY:
  - This time tomorrow, we'll have finished our project.
  - By the end of the year, I'll have travelled to Madrid.
  - By 2020, you'll have finished your studies.

## Use suitable future forms of the verb in brackets.
1. I _______________ (not tell) anyone your secret.
2. _______________ we _______________ (meet) at the restaurant this Saturday?
3. We _______________ (not save) enough money to buy a new car by March.
4. Real Madrid has scored a new goal. They _______________ (win) the football match.
5. My father and I _______________ (watch) the new TV series tonight.
6. This time next week, I _______________ (sunbath) on the beach.
7. Which medical advances _______________ the experts _______________ (discuss) at the conference next week?
8. Mary keeps a lot of empty bottles. She _______________ (recycle) them.
9. I _______________ (see) the doctor Thursday morning.
10. In fifty years' time this pond _______________ (disappear)
11. We _______________ (travel) by train around South America next year.
12. Air pollution is terrible for the forests. It _______________ (destroy) the trees.
13. Hurry up! By the time we arrive to the cinema, the film _______________ (start).
14. By the end of the day I _______________ (clean) my house.
15. This time next month, we _______________ (ski) in the Pyrenees.
16. The experts _______________ (meet) next week to discuss medical advances.
17. My friends and I _______________ (go) to the cinema at 6 p.m.
18. My sister _______________ (receive) my Christmas card by the end of this week.
19. The weather forecast says it _______________ (snow) tomorrow night.
20. I think humans _______________ (travel) to Mars in 2080.
21. In twenty years, many animal species _______________ (become) extinct.
22. This time tomorrow, I _______________ (wait) for you at the bus station.
23. This time next month, my family and I _______________ (visit) our relatives in Scotland.
24. I'm sure she _______________ (win) the competition.
25. A. It's cold in here! B. I _______________ (close) the window.
26. Scientists _______________ (research) the effects of the climate change on the North Pole by the end of the year.
27. By 2050, scientists _______________ (find) a solution to the problems of global warming.
28. They _______________ (not hear) the news by then.
29. A. I'm later! B. I _______________ (drive) you to the school.
30. My friends and I _______________ (visit) Greece in summer.
31. I don't think there _______________ (be) flying cars.
32. By the end of the term I _______________ (finish) my degree in History.
33. This time next week, I _______________ (take) my English exam.