

# Futures 2

will and going to



**A** Look at the pictures and complete the sentence or conversation with the correct phrase, *a* or *b*.

|          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|
| <p>1</p> | <p>3</p> | <p>5</p> |
| <p>2</p> | <p>4</p> | <p>6</p> |

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|---------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| a) he'll be sick.         | a) Really? Then I'll go and see it tomorrow. | a) I'm going to mend the fence. |
| b) he's going to be sick. | b) Yes, I'm going to see it tomorrow.        | b) I'll mend the fence.         |

**B** Decide which statement best describes which situation in A above.

- In situation \_\_\_\_\_ the speaker predicts an event from strong present evidence.
- In situations \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the speakers have already decided to do something *before* the situations.
- In situation \_\_\_\_\_ the speaker thinks something might happen as a result of something else.
- In situations \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the speakers decide to do something *as a result of* the situations.
- In situation \_\_\_\_\_ the speaker is offering to do something for someone.

**C** Use the information from A and B above to match the meaning in box A with the form in box B.

| A   | B                      |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 You have strong present evidence.                               | will/shall<br>going to |
| 2 You have decided before.  |                        |
| 3 You think something might happen as a result of something else. |                        |
| 4 You decide something as a result of the current situation.      |                        |
| 5 You make an offer to do something.                              |                        |



- C  
 1 going to                      4 will/shall  
 2 will/shall                  5 will/shall  
 3 going to

**23 Futures 3**

- 1j 2f 3h 4k 5a 6i 7d 8b 9e 10c

**24 Futures 4**

- A  
 1a 2b 3b 4a 5b

B

|   | You've just decided now. | You decided before now. | You made an arrangement with someone before now. |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1 | X                        | ✓                       | ✓  |
| 2 | X                        | ✓                       | X  |
| 3 | X                        | ✓                       | X  |

- C  
 1b 2a 3c

**25 Futures 5**

- A  
 1 ... he'll be reading.  
 2 ... he'll be walking.  
 3 ... he'll be playing football.

B

- 1 a ... you'll be using your bike?  
 b ... I borrow it please?  
 2 a Do you think you'll be watching TV/the film at 10?  
 b Well, could I watch it/the film please?  
 3 a Do you think you'll be seeing/ meeting Jack?  
 b Well, could you give him a message, please?

C

- 1 forget                      4 be living  
 2 be waiting                  5 be using  
 3 post

**26 Futures 6**

- A  
 1b 2a 3c 4d 5f 6e 7g 8h

B

- 1b 2b 3b 4a 5b 6b 7b 8a

C

- 1b 4e 5g 6a 7f 8h

**27 Futures 7**

- 1 Shall (I) carry/take ...  
 2 ... is going to erupt ...  
 3 ... 's seeing/meeting ...  
 4 ... 'll call ...  
 5 ... 'll be going ...  
 6 ... 'm going to cut ...  
 7 ... 're flying/going ...  
 8 ... 'll get ...  
 9 Shall I put out ...

**28 Have something done 1**

- A  
 1 She's going to have her hair washed and cut.  
 2 She's going to have her shoes repaired.

- 3 She's going to have her eyes tested.  
 4 She's going to have her jacket dry-cleaned.  
 5 She's going to have her car serviced.

B

- 1 He's had the windows cleaned.  
 2 He's had the/some trees cut down.  
 3 He's had the TV repaired.  
 4 He's had a/the kitchen fitted.  
 5 He's had the carpet(s) cleaned.

**29 Have something done 2**

A

- 1b 2a 3b 4a

B

- a, f

C

- 1 ... garden done.  
 2 ... house decorated?  
 3 ... hair done?

**30 Indirect questions**

A

- 1 ... what the hotel is like.  
 2 ... how hot it is.  
 3 ... what there is to do at night.  
 4 ... if there are any good shops.  
 5 ... how big the resort is.  
 6 ... what the beaches are like.  
 7 ... how high the prices are.  
 8 ... how far away the hotel is.

B

- 1b 2a 3b 4a 5a 6b 7b 8a 9b 10a

**31 Infinitive and gerund 1**

A

- 1 She's brought a lawnmower to cut the grass.  
 2 She's brought a cat to catch the mice.  
 3 She's brought an axe to cut down the tree.  
 4 She's brought some glass to replace the broken window.  
 5 She's brought a caravan to live in.

B

- 1 ... renovating houses  
 2 ... to help (me)  
 3 ... being alone  
 4 ... looking for a new house  
 5 ... moving around  
 6 ... talking to you

**32 Infinitive and gerund 2**

A

- 1 To catch the bus.  
 2 To post a letter/some letters.  
 3 To have a bath.  
 4 To take (some) photos/photographs.

B

- Phrases which are possible: 3, 4, 5

C

- 1g 2h 3e 4j 5a 6f 7d 8b 9i

**33 Infinitive and gerund 3**

A

- 1 ... to see/... seeing  
 2 ... setting up/... to set up