

THEME 1 FUTURE JOBS GRAMMAR EXERCISES

A. Choose the correct choice

Hi Nancy,

Loved your photos! You look great, sweetie.

There is nothing much in here except that we **are going to / will** have two weeks off. I **am not going to / won't** do anything special in the first week. I think I **am going to / will** just stay at home. Maybe I **am going to / will** watch a few DVDs. I'm not sure, I guess my cousin **is going to / will** visit us for a few days. If she comes, we **are going to / will** go to Adele's live concert. She **is going to / will** sing in the square on April 12th.

I'm so excited about the second week. We have already made a reservation for a package holiday in Cappadocia, Turkey. We **are flying / will fly** on April 15th. We **are going to / will** spend three days there sightseeing. I'm looking forward to it. I've already planned my holiday. I **am going to / will** take a hot-air balloon tour. I'm not sure whether my parents **are going to / will** join me. The town has always aroused my curiosity! I **am going to / will** rent a scooter to travel around. If you're lucky enough, I **am going to / will** buy some souvenirs for you. Finally, I guess I **m going to / will** leave Göreme Open Air Museum to the last day. I hope I can make it all. We **are coming / will come** home on April 19. Sounds amazing, doesn't it? Oh, by the way, **are you doing / will you do** anything special on your spring break?

Miss you soo much. Lots of love.

Lily

B. Read the functions in brackets. Then fill in the blanks using the verbs with the correct future form.

1. On Saturday at 11:00 a.m. I _____ (meet) my friend. (**personal arrangement**)
2. I _____ (see) my grandmother next weekend. I can't wait to see her again. (**intention**)
3. Let's hurry. It _____ (rain) in a few minutes. (**prediction**)
4. You're carrying too much. I _____ (open) the door for you. (**spontaneous decision**)
5. I _____ (not / hurt) you anymore. (**promise**)
6. I'm terribly sorry but I can't come. I _____ (work) late till midnight. (**plan**)
7. Don't touch this. It _____ (bite) you. (**warning**)
8. Look out! The vase _____ (fall) down. (**prediction based on evidence**)

C. Fill in the blanks using the correct form of the verbs. Use *will be+Ving*, *be going to* or *will*.

1. I'm sorry. I _____ (work) when you arrive at the airport. Please take a taxi.
2. John _____ (sleep) at 12 a.m. He can't answer your phone.
3. I _____ (help) you with the dishes. You look so tired.
4. I _____ (be) an hour late tomorrow, so I _____ (probably / miss) the meeting.
5. Claudia has bought her ticket. She _____ (be) here on May 5th.
6. This time next week we _____ (lie) on the beach. I can't wait!

D. Match these sentences.

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| _____ 1. I am planning to go shopping. | a I am sure you will hand it in before the deadline. |
| _____ 2. I am going to meet my newborn niece this evening. | b. Unfortunately, I can't come because I am going to the theatre |
| _____ 3. Let's go to an open-buffet restaurant today? | c. I am going to be careful with my money |
| _____ 4. I am trying to save money to buy a new car. | d. I am going to be more careful with my food preferences. |
| _____ 5. I am feeling sick and unhealthy. | e. But I will need my friend to help me with my choices. |
| _____ 6. Don't worry about your project. | f. I am going to buy a rattle for her. |
| _____ 7. This coat is very big for you. | g. I know, I am going to take it back to the shop. |

E. Complete the sentences with will ('ll) + one of these verbs:

be / be / come / get / like / look / meet / pass

1. Don't worry about your exam. I'm sure you I _____
2. Why don't you try on this jacket? It _____ nice on you.
3. You must meet George sometime. I think you _____ him.
4. It's raining. Don't go out. You _____ wet.
5. They've invited me to their house. They _____ offended if I don't go.
6. Goodbye. I expect we _____ again before long.
7. I've invited Sue to the party but I don't think she _____
8. I wonder where I _____ 20 years from now.