

THEME 1 FUTURE JOBS

FUNCTIONS

1. Making plans and predictions
2. Making an appointment
3. Talking on the phone

LANGUAGE SKILLS AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

Listening

E11.1.L1. Students will be able to detect factual information about job related topics in a recorded text.

Pronunciation

E11.1.P1. Students will be able to practice contraction of “will” and “am/is/are, going to” in positive and negative sentences.

Speaking

E11.1.S1. Students will be able to talk about future plans and predictions.

E11.1.S2. Students will be able to make an appointment on the phone.

Reading

E11.1.R1. Students will be able to analyze different job ads from newspapers/websites to match them with CVs.

E11.1.R2. Students will be able to find the main idea of a text on successful entrepreneurs of the 21st century.

Writing

E11.1.W1. Students will be able to write CVs/Letters of intent for different job applications.

SAMPLE USAGE

Some students are going to be teachers, some are going to be doctors and some are going to be fashion designers.

What are you going to do in your future career?

I'm going to study bio-genetic engineering.

I guess I'll study mechatronics engineering.

Is five o'clock tomorrow a good time for you?

Can we meet at three o'clock?

Is it possible for you to see me next week for a short meeting?

Yes, sure.

I'm afraid I'll be in another meeting.

I am free after nine a.m.

“No wind favors he who has no destined port.”

Michel de Montaigne.....

THEME 1 FUTURE JOBS VOCABULARY

Student's Book

Dream job : Hayalindeki meslek
Act : Davranmak
Job interview : İş görüşmesi
Confident : Kendinden emin
Shy : Utangaç
Spend : Harcamak, geçirmek
Alone : Yalnız
Give a try : Denemek
Solve : Çözmek
Sell : Satmak
Product : Ürün
Serve : Hizmet etmek
Be tickled to death : Zevkten dört köşe olmak
Sell like hotcakes : Peynir ekmek gibi satılmak
Customer : Müşteri
Complaint : Şikayet
Request : Rica
Grant : Hibe etmek
Fix : Belirlemek
Employ : İşe almak
Prediction : Tahmin
In progress : Yapılmakta
Experiment : Deney
Dental : Diş
Upgrade : Bir üst modele geçmek
Design : Tasarlamak
Transportation : Ulaşım
App developer : Uygulama geliştirici
Software engineer : Yazılım mühendisi
Entrepreneur : Girişimci
Open-minded : Açık görüşlü
Contribute : Katkıda bulunmak
Innovative : Yenilikçi
Hire : İşe almak
Sustainable Energy : Sürdürülebilir Enerji
Colonisation : Koloni kurma
Make a fortune : Servet edinmek
Failure : Başarısızlık
Give up : Pes etmek
Artificial Intelligence : Yapay zeka
Fear : Korku
Launch : Uzaya fırlatma
Hyperloop : Hız kovanı
Oases : Vahalar
Gap year : Bir yıllık mola
Volunteering : Gönüllülük
Burnout : Yıpranma
Time out : Mola
Backpacking : Sırt çantalı seyahat
Miracle : Mucize

Burn the candle at both ends : Gece gündüz çalışmak
Astonishing : Şaşırtıcı
Experience : Deneyim
Follow up : Peşini bırakmamak
Get along : Geçinmek
Pick up : Toplamak, kapmak
Knowledge : Bilgi
Do sightseeing : Şehir turu yapmak
Flexible : Esnek
Punctual : Dakik
Salary : Maaş
Shift : Vardiya
Selected : Seçilmiş
Candidate : Aday
Vacancy : Boş kadro
Staff : Personel
Benefits : Sosyal yardımlar
Colleague : Meslektaş
Available : Uygun, müsait
Letter of intent : Niyet mektubu
Schedule : Planlamak
WorkBook
Fix upon : Karar vermek
Take on : İşe almak
Cash up : Kasa kapatmak
Burn out : Gücünü tüketmek
Get ahead : Para biriktirmek
Apply for : Başvurmak
Duty : Görev, vazife
Criminal Background : Sabıka kaydı
Pool : Havuz
Must : Zorunluluk
Asset : Kazanç, değer
Budget : Bütçe
Qualified : Yetenekli
Enthusiastic : Hevesli, coşkulu
Permanent : Daimi, kalıcı
Rude : Kaba
Recommend : Tavsiye etmek
Customer : Müşteri

THEME 1 FUTURE JOBS VOCABULARY EXERCISES

A. Choose the correct option.

1. Tom fixed **up** / **out** / **upon** his future career. He is going to be a lawyer.
2. I think they will not take **on** / **for** / **ahead** any new staff.
3. She cashed **out** / **on** / **up** and realised there was £50 missing.
4. Julia is so upset that she has burnt herself **in** / **out** / **for** in such a boring job.
5. He works really hard as an IT manager to get **ahead** / **on** / **over**.
6. Adam applied **in** / **for** / **on** the job and got it. He is going to start next week.

B. Read the definitions and complete them with these words.

An app developer / An entrepreneur / A software engineer / A biotechnologist / An orthodontist

1. _____ works in a lab and uses living organisms to produce drugs or other products.
2. _____ cures dental problems.
3. _____ writes and develops computer programmes.
4. _____ starts business by taking risks to find a new opportunity.
5. _____ designs applications for smart phones.

C. Choose the correct alternative.

1. Mark Zuckerberg is one of the most **artificial** / **innovative** entrepreneurs of our time.
2. To prevent global warming, we must use **sustainable** / **space** energy.
3. Entrepreneurs work on **space** / **planet** colonisation to find an alternative place to live.
4. We must improve the **transit** / **transportation** system as the cities are becoming more crowded.
5. Robots are more common in the 21st century because **artificial** / **imitation** intelligence is developing day by day

D. Choose the correct alternative.

Dear Austin Hensley,

Thank you for your _____ (1) for the position of tourist guide at HSA Tours in Edinburgh next summer. At this point, we are currently responding to the selected _____ (2) that best fit our job _____ (3).

As you may know, HSA Tours is mainly focused on foreign students visiting our city. I am precisely pleased to see from your _____ (4) and _____ (5) that you have a lot of interest in history and geography. I also see that you have work _____ (6) as an information desk assistant.

The _____ (7) for application is 15th March. You will be contacted within two weeks of this date to schedule an _____ (8). I would advise that you check your e-mail often.

You might be asked to give the contact details of your previous employer as your _____ (9).

Yours _____ (10),

Olivia Brooks, Manager, Human Resources

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| 1. a. Applying | b. applicant | c. application | d. Apply |
| 2. a. candidates | b. benefits | c. staff | d. Colleagues |
| 3. a. permanent | b. temporary | c. requirements | d. Skills |
| 4. a. CV | b. asset | c. salary | d. Vacancy |
| 5. a. Deadline | b. colleague | c. shift | d. letter of intent |
| 6. a. presentation | b. experiment | c. performance | d. Experience |
| 7. a. deadline | b. date | c. limit | d. Terminal |
| 8. a. interviewing | b. interview | c. interviewee | d. Interviewer |
| 9. a. guide | b. reference | c. credit | d. Referent |
| 10. a. sincere | b. faithful | c. sincerely | d. Faithfully |

E. Complete the statements using the correct words.

deadline / asset / vacancy / candidate / staff / shift / colleagues

1. I need to discuss the new year's budget with my _____.
2. Jason works the late _____ this week. He will be working till midnight.
3. I bet Frank will miss the _____ to apply for the job. He has a lot on his plate at the moment.
4. He is really well qualified. I'm sure he'll be the strongest _____ for the position.
5. The new designer will be a valuable _____ to our company. She looks extremely enthusiastic
6. I'm going to graduate next term. I'll check if there is a permanent _____ for an engineer in the factory.
7. I will never stay in La Beach Hotel again. The _____ was so rude and offensive

THEME 1 FUTURE JOBS GRAMMAR

THE FUTURE TENSES

1. BE GOING TO FUTURE TENSE

- We use “be going to” for our plans.

I booked a table for two for this evening. I am going to take my wife to one of the best restaurants in the city.

- We use “be going to” for intentions.

I'm going to study hard and pass the exam.

- We use “be going to” for predictions based on what we see.

Look at these black clouds. It's going to rain.

Affirmative

Subject + am / is / are + going to + Verb

I am

He / She / It is going to paint the walls.

We / You / They are

Negative

Subject + am / is / are + not + going to + Verb

I am not

He / She / It is not (isn't) going to paint the walls.

We / You / They are not (aren't)

Interrogative

Am / Is / Are + Subject + going to + Verb

Am I

Is he / she / it going to paint the walls?

Are we / you / they

2. SIMPLE FUTURE TENSE

We use “will future”

- for the decisions made at the time of speaking.

A: What would you like to have, coffee or tea?

B: I will have tea please. (The speaker decides at the moment of speaking.)

- for predictions with no evidence.

I don't know what I'll do tomorrow. I think I'll stay at home.

- for promises or threats.

Take your umbrella with you; otherwise, you will get soaked.

Don't worry mum, I will let you know when I arrive.

- for requests and offers.

Will you please help me to tidy my room?

- with be sure, think, hope, be afraid, expect, believe, promise, guess maybe and perhaps.

I hope I'll win the game.

I'm afraid she won't come to your party.

Affirmative

Subject + Will + Verb

I / He / She / It will open the door for you.

We / You / They will open the door for you.

Negative

Subject + Will not (Won't) + Verb

I / He / She / It will not (won't) open the door for you.

We / You / They will not (won't) open the door for you.

Interrogative

Will + Subject + Verb

Will I / he / she / it / we / you / they open the door for you?

Time expressions often used with the future tenses “Will” and “Be going to”:

Tomorrow, tomorrow morning/afternoon/evening, next Monday/April/week/weekend/month/year, soon, in 2025.

3. PRESENT CONTINUOUS FOR FUTURE MEANING

We use the present continuous tense for future

- personal future arrangements

I am seeing Mary tomorrow.

He is taking Sue out for dinner on Sunday.

NOTE : With this tense, we usually give future time expressions such as tomorrow, this evening, on Tuesday, next weekend, etc...

A: What are you doing this evening?

B: I am having dinner with Jamie.

4. FUTURE CONTINUOUS TENSE

We use the future continuous tense

- to describe an unfinished action which will be in progress at a time in the future.

We will be travelling across Europe by train in June.

I can't come with you at 9 p.m. I will be watching the match at that time.

I'll be writing the articles for a tabloid newspaper next month.

- to indicate that the longer action (the future continuous tense) will be interrupted by a shorter action in the future.

When the guests arrive, we will be having dinner.

Attention: We use the simple present tense for interruptions. Because, the interruptions are in time clauses and we cannot use future tenses in time clauses.

I will be waiting for you at the airport when your plane arrives.

Affirmative

Subject + Will be + Verb (+ing)

I / He / She / It / We / You / They will be waiting for the 7 a.m. train.

Negative

Subject + Will not (Won't) be + Verb (+ing)

I / He / She / It / We / You / They will not (won't) be waiting for the 7 a.m. train.

Interrogative

Will + Subject + be + Verb (+ing)

Will I / he / she / it / we / you / they be waiting for the 7 a.m. train?

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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.