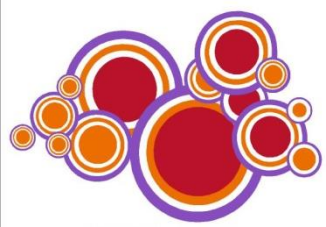


FUTURE TENSE





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The simple Future has two different forms in English: will and be going to. Although the two forms can sometimes be used interchangeably, they often express two different meanings as mentioned before.

*I **will** probably go to London next summer.*

*I **am going to** fly to London next Saturday.*



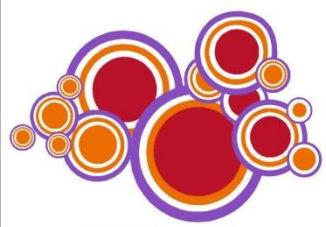
FUTURE TENSE- WILL: FORM

Affirmative: SUBJ. + WILL ('LL) + BASE FORM

Negative: SUBJ. + WILL NOT (WON'T) + BASE FORM

Interrogative: [Q. WORD] WILL + SUBJ.+ BASE FORM?

Affirmative	Negative	Interrogative
I will play with you	I won't play with you	Will I play with you?
You'll play with me	You will not play with me	Will you play with me?
He /She/It will play with you	He /She/It will not play with you	Will He /She/It play with you?
We'll play with you	We won't play with you	Will we play with you?
You will play with me	You will not play with me	Will you play with me?
They will play with me	They won't play with me	Will they play with me?



FUTURE TENSE- WILL: USE

- ❑ Instant decisions.

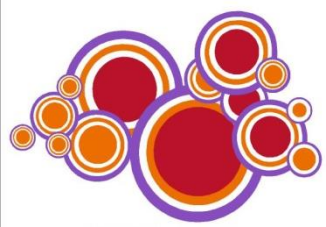
Ok, I'll see you on Friday

- ❑ Predictions based in what we think.

It will rain in the evening.

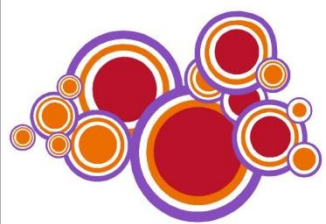
- ❑ Promises and offers.

Don't worry, I'll go and buy some food for you.



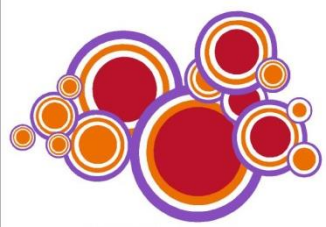
FUTURE TENSE- BE GOING TO: FORM

- **Affirmative**: SUBJ.+ BE (+)+ GOING TO+BASE FORM
I am going to travel by plane.
- **Negative**: SUBJ. + BE (-) + GOING TO + BASE FORM
I am not going to travel by plane because I am going to fly in a hot air balloon.
- **Interrogative**: [Q.WORD]+TO BE(+)+SUBJ.+GOING TO+BASE FORM?
Are you going to travel by plane?



FUTURE TENSE – BE GOING TO

I	am		
you	are		play ...
he			
she	is	going to	swim...
it			
we			
you	are		wash...
they			



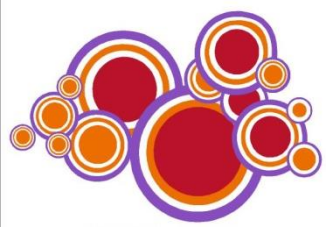
FUTURE TENSE- FORM

- ❑ Future plans and intentions.

I am going to buy a new laptop computer next week

- ❑ Predictions based in what we can see at the moment.

Look at that car! It is going to crash into the lamp post.



FUTURE TENSE- FORM

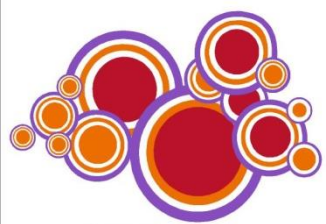
- ④ We use **Present Simple** to talk about future events that we cannot change OR belong to a timetable.

The sun rises at 6.15 tomorrow.

My plane is at two o'clock.

- ④ We use **Present Continuous** to talk about future events we have arranged.

I'm seeing Susan tonight.



FUTURE TENSE

TIME EXPRESSIONS

Future

tomorrow

next week

in an hour

soon

in the near future

way off in the future

eventually

later this evening