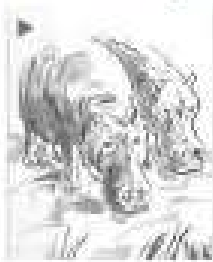


i Intentions (A-B)

Look at the pictures and say what is going to happen.

Use these verbs: *answer, catch, have, hit, light*

Use these objects: *the ball, a bath, a bus, the firework, the phone*



► *They're going to have a bath.*

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4

2 Form(B)

Put in the verbs with *be going to*.

Laura: What are you doing with that camera?

Trevor: (►) *I'm going to take* (I / take) it to work. (1) (I / lend) it to Phil.
 (2) (he / take) a few photos with it.

Laura: Why can't he buy his own camera?

Trevor: He's got one, but it isn't working properly. (3) (it / be) a while
 before he can get it repaired.

Laura: Well, how long (4) (he / keep) ours? When
 (5) (we / get) it back?

Trevor: (6) (he / have) it over the weekend.

(7) (we / get) it back on Monday.

Laura: Well, I hope (8) (it / not / get) damaged.

3 Predictions (B-C)

What would you say in these situations? Use these words: *be sick, crash, get wet, lose, not stop, rain*

► The sky is full of dark clouds.
(s going to rain)

- 1 Now it's starting to rain. There's nowhere to shelter, and you haven't got an umbrella.
- 2 You feel awful. There's a terrible feeling in your stomach.
- 3 You are playing Scrabble. The game is nearly over and you are 100 points behind.
- 4 You can see a plane coming down. It's out of control and falling to the ground.
- 5 You are waiting for a train. There's one coming, but you don't know if it's the one you want.
 It's travelling very fast.

Practice

Write the correct form of *going to*, *shall*, or *will* for these sentences. If two answers are possible, write the more likely one.

- 1 'Why is Sheila getting a passport?'
'She *'s going to* live in Spain for a year.'
- 2 'I know she ...won't. (not) agree with this idea.'
- 3 'I think the filmbe a big success.'
- 4 'I don't feel very well this morning.'
'Oh, dearI look after the children for you?'
- 5 The managing directorsack two hundred people next month.
- 6 'There's someone at the door.' 'OK, Ianswer it.'
- 7 She never see her parents again.

Verbs

- 8 'Is that your new stereo?'
'Yes, but it doesn't work. Ito take it back to the shop.'
- 9 'I think the exambe quite easy.'
- 10 'I see Hannah and Peter together a lot.'
'Yes. Theyget married.'
- 11 'Youprobably have a really good time.'
- 12 'The dog looks ill. I think itbe sick.'
- 13 'What (you)do this weekend?'
- 14 'Isee a late-night horror film at the Odeon.'
- 15 'You don't have to walk: Igive you a lift.'
- 16 'I've had enough of this job. Ileave.'
- 17 'Of course wehelp you.'

Practice

In your notebook, supply the *going to* or present continuous future for these sentences. If two answers are possible, write them both.

- 1 Weat home tonight, (stay)
We're going to stay at home tonight./We're staying at home tonight.
- 2 Look at the sky. Ittomorrow, (rain)
Look at the sky. it's going to rain tomorrow.
- 3 Weat a restaurant tonight, (eat)
- 4 They. . . .to Manchester tomorrow morning, (drive)
- 5 Imy teeth, have a wash, and go to bed. (brush)
- 6 Be careful with that plate! Youit! (break)
- 7 My parentswith us for the weekend, (stay)
- 8 Who'shim the news? (tell)
- 9 Hurry up! Wethe train! (miss)
- 10 How many peopletoday? (arrive)
- 11 They. . . . Nick at 10 o'clock tomorrow, (see)
- 12 Ito the seaside next weekend, (go)
- 13 Whoto John's party later? (come)
- 14 Bring your hat and gloves - itcold later tonight, (get)
- 15 Mary. . . .to Barbados next Tuesday, (fly)
- 16 Our friendsus before the concert, (meet)
- 17 Weinto our new house next month, (move)

Practice

Write these sentences, putting the verbs into the future simple.

- 1 I'm sure he (not be) late.
I'm sure he won't be late.
- 2 [I open) the window for you?
Shall I open the window for you?
- 3 How long (the journey take?)
- 4 I suppose (she be) in London next week.
- 5 John (phone) your office for you.
- 6 (There be) a lot of people at the meeting?
- 7 What time (the race start?)
- 8 He (never agree) to your idea.
- 9 You (never see) your money again.
- 10 What's the matter? (I phone) the doctor?
- 11 Don't worry. I (pay) for the damage to your car.
- 12 (You be) at home tomorrow?
- 13 The company (not give) you an extra day's holiday.
- 14 Don't touch that! You (hurt) yourself!
- 15 There (not be) any newspapers tomorrow.

1 Will for the future and for instant decisions (A-B)

Read the conversations. Which replies are statements about the future and which are instant decisions?

- What would you like? ~ I'll have an orange juice, please. *decision*
- 1 Shall we go out tonight? ~ I'll be too tired, I think.
 - 2 We've lost a tennis ball. ~ I'll help you look for it.
 - 3 I'm worried about the exam. ~ Oh, you'll be all right.
 - 4 I haven't got any transport. ~ Oh, we'll give you a lift.
 - 5 I must fix this shelf some time. ~ We'll be dead before then.

2 Instant decisions (B)

Say what your decision is in these situations, or what you offer to do.

Use these verbs: *answer, carry, have, post, shut*

- You and your friend have come into the room. The window is open, and it is cold.
I'll shut the window.

- 1 The phone is ringing. You are the nearest person to it.
- 2 The choice on the menu is fish or chicken. You hate fish.
- 3 You are meeting a friend at the station. He has two suitcases. There's a bag, too.
- 4 Your friend has written a letter. You are going to walk into town past the post office.

3 Will and won't for the future (C)

Use the notes to write about what will happen next weekend.

- it / be / warm / tomorrow *It will be warm tomorrow.*
- 1 Tom / watch / the match
 - 2 Harriet's party / be / fun
 - 3 Trevor / not put up / the shelves
 - 4 Laura / be / annoyed
 - 5 Andrew / study / all weekend
 - 6 Rachel / not do / any work

4 Will and shall (A, D)

Complete the conversation. Put in *will* or *shall*.

Rachel: What (►) *shall* we do today?

Vicky: It would be nice to go out somewhere. The forecast says temperatures

(1) rise to thirty degrees.

Jessica: (2) we go for a walk?

Rachel: That sounds a bit boring. What about the seaside? We could get a bus.

Jessica: How much (3) it cost? I haven't got very much money.

Vicky: It isn't far. It doesn't cost much.

Jessica: Everywhere (4) be so crowded today because it's a holiday. The journey

(5) take ages.

Rachel: Come on, Vicky. (6) we leave Jessica behind if she's going to be so miserable?

going to-future plan, and will- sudden decision

CONTRAST

- In conversation, *going to* is often used to indicate a future plan that has been made before the time of speaking:
I'm going to see Pat tomorrow - we arranged it this morning.
- * *Will* is often used to indicate a sudden decision, made at the time of speaking:
How can we get to the airport? I know! I'll borrow Sue's car!

Practice

Write the correct form of *going to* or *will* to complete the dialogue.

LAURA: What are you doing this weekend, Jan?

TANYA: I ...'m going to see___(see) a new play tomorrow at the Royal Court Theatre - 'Day of the Flood'.

LAURA: Have you got the tickets yet?

TANYA: NO, I.....(get) them this afternoon, actually. Would you like to come?

LAURA: Oh, thank you, that would be nice.

TANYA: OK, I.....(get) you a ticket too.

LAURA: Great ... what time does it start?

TANYA: Eight o'clock, but we.....(all meet) in the Green Cafe at 7.15 ...

LAURA:OK, I.....(meet) you in the cafe, but, er ... I.....(be) there about half-past seven.

TANYA: That's fine.

LAURA: Oh, one other thing ... I've got no money at the moment ... I(pay) for the ticket on Saturday. Is that OK?

TANYA: Yes, that's OK, no problem.

LAURA:.....(you eat) in the cafe, or just have a cup of coffee?

TANYA: Just a coffee I think ...

LAURA: Look,.....(we go) to a restaurant after the show? I know a very good Chinese restaurant ...

TANYA: That's a good idea - I.....(phone) the others and see if they want to come too.

LAURA: Good, and then I.....(book) a table ... Great! I.....(see) you tomorrow.

Will and be going to (A-B)

Complete the conversations. Put in *will* or *be going to* with the verbs.

- ? Vicky: Have you got a ticket for the play?
Daniel: Yes, *I'm going to see* (see) it on Thursday.
- ? Harriet: The alarm's going. It's making an awful noise.
Mike: OK, *I'll switch* (switch) it off.
- 1 Daniel: Did you buy this book?
Matthew: No, Emma did. She..... (read) it on holiday.
- 2 Lara: Would you like tea or coffee?
Sarah: Oh, I..... (have) coffee, please.
- 3 Trevor: I'm going to miss a good film on TV because I'll be out tonight.
Lara: I..... (video) it for you, if you like.
- 4 Rachel: I'm just going out to get a paper.
Emma: What newspaper..... (you / buy)?

2 Will and be going to (A-C)

What would you say? Use *will* or *be going to*.

- You want to express your intention to look round the museum.
Your friend: Do you have any plans for this afternoon?
You: Yes, *I'm going to look round the museum*.
- 1 You hate dogs. Dogs always attack you if they get the chance.
Your friend: That dog doesn't look very friendly.
You: It's coming towards us.....
- 2 You predict the landing of aliens on the earth in the next ten years.
Your friend: All this talk about aliens is complete nonsense, isn't it?
You: Is it? I think
- 3 You know that your friend's sister has decided to get married.
Your friend: Have you heard about my sister?
You: Well, I heard that
- 4 You suddenly decide you want to invite Ilona for a meal.
Your friend: Did you know Ilona will be in town next weekend?
You: No, I didn't.

3 Will and be going to (A-C)

Complete the news report about the village of Brickfield.

Use *will* or *be going to*. Sometimes either is possible.

We have learned this week that the local council has plans for Westside Park in Brickfield.

The council (►) *is going to sell* (sell) the land to a builder, Forbes and Son. The plans are all ready.

- (1)..... (we / build) fifty houses,' said Mr Forbes. 'In two years' time everything
(2)..... (be) finished. I'm sure people (3)..... (like) the
houses. Most of them (4)..... (be) for young families. And we intend to take care
of the environment. (5)..... (we / not / cut) down all the trees, only a few of them.'
But people living near the park are angry. 'This is a terrible idea. We're all against it,' said Mrs Mary Brent.
(6)..... (we / have) a protest march on Saturday. I expect everyone in Brickfield
(7)..... (be) there. We've reached our decision.
(8)..... (we / stop) this plan.'

11.1 Choose will (11) or (be) going to, whichever is correct or more likely, and one of these verbs. (B&C)

collapse eat enter explode have increase leave paint phone
re-open retire see show be sick walk

- 1 Get out of the building! It sounds like the generator 's going to explode.....
- 2 Tim.....early before he reaches 65. He mentioned it at the meeting recently.
- 3 'I think I.....home across the park.' 'That's a good idea.'
- 4 Next year, no doubt, more people.....the competition as the prize money increases.
- 5 'Can we meet at 10.00 outside the station?' 'Okay. I.....you there.'
- 6 Don't sit on that bench, I.....it.
- 7 I'm not feeling well. In fact, I think I.....!
- 8 'Closed over the New Year period. This office.....on 2nd January.' (Sign on an office window)
- 9 I'm sure you.....a good time staying with Richard.
- 10 We.....with Tim tonight. He's asked us to be there at 7.00.
- 11 'The 2.35 to Bristol.....from platform 5.' (Announcement at railway station.)
- 12 I wouldn't walk across that old bridge if I were you. It looks like it.....
- 13 I read in the paper that they.....the price of gas again.
- 14 Do you like my new solar watch? Here, I.....you how it works.
- 15 'Dr Jackson isn't in his office at the moment.' 'In that case, I.....him at home.'

11.2 Complete the sentences with will (11) or (be) going to and an appropriate verb. If both will and going to are possible, write them both. (D)

- 1 If you're ready, I 'll explain how the equipment operates.
- 2 I warn you that if I see you here again, I.....your parents.
- 3 If we don't leave now, we.....the train.
- 4 If you decide to contact Jane, I.....you her address.
- 5 If you stand in the rain much longer, you.....cold.
- 6 He's seriously hurt. If we don't get help immediately, he.....
- 7 If you want to leave this afternoon, Joe.....you to the station.
- 8 If you visit Bernard in Vienna, I'm sure you.....very welcome.

11.3 Make any necessary corrections or improvements to the underlined parts of this extract from a telephone conversation. Mark and Jo are discussing their holidays. (B, C & E)

M: Have you got a holiday planned?

J: Ruth has asked me to visit her in Kenya.

M: Kenya! Sound brilliant. You're going to¹ have a great time.

J: How about you?

M: Well, I expect I shall² go away if I can spare the time, but my boss shan't³ be very happy if I take off more than a few days. I imagine that my parents shall⁴ probably go to Mexico again, to see their friends there, but I don't think I shall⁵ be able to go with them. They've told me they will⁶ learn Spanish before they go this time... Look, I'm sorry, Jo, but someone's at the door. I'm going to⁷ call you back tomorrow morning.

J: Okay, I will⁸ speak to you then.

