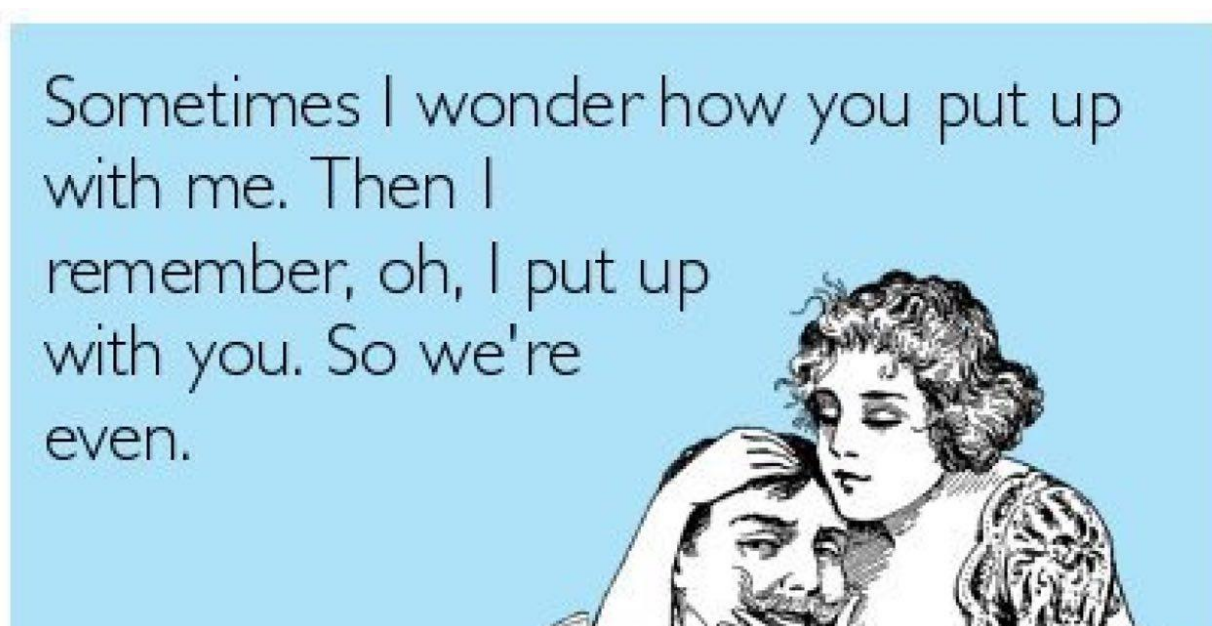


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## Future Tense

Simple	Continuous	Perfect	Perfect Continuous
<p>a. Predictions about future with verbs like think, believe, expect etc</p> <p>b. O-the-spot decisions</p> <p>c. Promises, threats, warnings, requests hopes, offers</p> <p>d. Actions/events/situations which will definitely happens in the future</p> <p>I, you, he, she, we, they, it } will do</p> <p>tomorrow, soon, the day after tomorrow, next week/month/year in two weeks/months</p>	<p>a. Action which will be in progress at a stated time in the future</p> <p>b. Action which will definitely happen in the future as the result of a routine or arrangement</p> <p>c. When we ask politely about someone's plans for the near future (why we want to know is if our wishes fit in with their plans)</p> <p>I, you, we they, He, she, it } Will be doing</p>	<p>a. Action that will be finished before a stated future time</p> <p>I, you, we, they, he, she, it } will have done</p> <p>before, by, till by then, by the time, until</p>	<p>a. Emphasis on the duration of an action up to a certain time in the future</p> <p>I, you, we, they, he, she, it } will have be doing</p> <p>by...for</p>

### Exercise 1

Fill in each blank space with the correct future verb tense

1. Tomorrow I \_\_\_\_\_ (paint) all day.

a) will be painting

b) will paint

c) will have painted

2. By the time we get there, the store \_\_\_\_\_ (close).

a) will close

b) will have closed

c) is going to close

3. I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) you tomorrow at 3:00 PM.

a) will see

b) see

c) will be seeing

4. After we finish this video, I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) all of this director's movies.

a) will see

b) will be seeing

c) will have seen

5. A: Can I come over in an hour?

B: No, I \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) the house.

a) will clean

b) will be cleaning

c) am cleaning

6. This time next week I \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) wine in Argentina.

a) will drink

b) drink

c) will be drinking

7. She doesn't realize what kind of person he is, but she \_\_\_\_\_ (find out).

a) will find out

b) will be finding out

c) will have found out

8. She insulted me. I \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) to her again!

a) will never speak

b) will never be speaking

c) will have never spoken

9. If she continues eating so much sweets, she \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) the whole box by midnight.

a) will eat

b) will have eaten

c) will be eating

10. She \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) me when her birthday is.

a) will not have told

b) will not be telling

c) won't tell\

- 1) Will be painting
- 2) Will have closed
- 3) Will see
- 4) Will see
- 5) Will be cleaning
- 6) Will be drinking
- 7) Will find out
- 8) Will never speak
- 9) Will have eaten
- 10) Won't tell



## Exercise 2

**Choose the correct word or phrase. If both are correct, circle both**

Sonia looks like she's **falling/going to fall** asleep.

When I leave school, I'm **being/ going to be** a journalist.

When Jack's got his degree, he's **going/ going to go** to drama school for a year.

Watch out or you are **getting/ going to get** into trouble!

When are they **realizing/ going to realize** that they have to improve their customer service?

I can't come to the beach this weekend, I'm afraid, as **we'll visit/we're visiting** my grandparents.

The Prime Minister **will answer/ is answering** all of your questions in due course.

What time does **your plane arrive/ is your plane arriving**?

**I'll look/I'm looking** after the neighbors' kids tomorrow evening so I can't come bowling.

**Shall/will** we move on to the next item on the agenda now?

'I don't feel well at all.'

'**Are you going to/ Will you be** sick?'

The last bus **leaves/ is leaving** at midnight.

Karen, **shall/will** I give you a hand with that report?

I'm afraid **I'm not having/ I won't have** time to finish all this work today.

When **does she/ is she going to get** round to having new business card printed?

### Exercise 3

Use the required future forms in the following sentences:



1. How nice of you to come! I just (to wash) off and (to get) my coat on, and then I (show) you around.
2. I (to clean up) when you come with my things.
3. He says they (to finish) the house by the end of next month.
4. Meg got on her father's knee and threw her arms around his neck. "Your father's tea (get) cold, Meg" – said her mother.
5. He probably (to get) here in about three weeks. By that time I (to return) to the university.
6. "I don't have a job." "Don't be scared. We (to find) something".
7. In that case we (to take) a taxi.
8. You can't live that far from the office. In a little while you (to look) for a place back here.
9. Your father (to be) disappointed.
10. He never (to make) much money.
11. He (to practice) the violin all the afternoon.
12. The judge (to ask) you a few questions.
13. John is not here. He (to be) back soon, though.
14. He has a lovely voice. He (go) a long way. You (see).
15. If you (take) my advice, you (go home).

### Exercise 4

If the phrase in **bold** is correct, put a tick. If it is incorrect, write the correct form so that the sentence is in future perfect.

1. I think we **will have sold out** of these by the end of the day.
2. On Tuesday, Toby **will have been being** with the company for exactly 35 years.
3. **We'll have been becoming** the market leader by the end of the summer.
4. At the end of the summer, **I'll have taking** the same train to work every morning for 15 years.
5. When we meet tomorrow afternoon, **will you already have** a chance to look at the sale figures?
6. **You'll have driven** for hours without a break when we get there, so you'll need a rest before we go out.
7. A Managing Director **will have appointed** by the end of the month.

8. Sandra **won't have been finished** the reports by then, but she should at least get started.
9. Ron's going to be very surprised when he hears the news. He definitely **will have been expecting it**.
10. **Will you have managed** to put something down in writing by the end of the day?
11. Why **will they have been waiting** for hours? I thought you'd told them we were going to leave later.
12. It sounds like the invitations **won't all have delivering** by next Friday.

### Exercise 5

**Complete each second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence.**

1. The bell will ring and then you can all go home.  
You can all go home when .....
2. Ahmed will ask the questions and I'll take notes.  
I'll take notes while .....
3. You are a trainee for three months and then you become a junior employee.  
You become a junior employee once .....
4. Miss Jones will be interviewing the candidates and Mr Dawkins will be recording the interviews.  
Miss Jones will be interviewing the candidates while.....
5. The sales figures will come in and then we'll assess the situation again.  
We'll assess the situation again as .....
6. Work for us for over a year and we will consider promoting you.  
We will only consider promoting you once .....
7. They'll start selling in much larger quantities and then they'll make a profit.  
They won't make a profit until .....
8. The publishing company will offer me a contract and then I'll know for sure that they are going to publish the book.  
I'll know for sure that the book is going to be published when I .....