

# ENGLISH

Chapter 15  
Week 15

**2nd**  
SECONDARY

**A BETTER PLACE**



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# HELICOMOTIVATION



## Your environment

- 1 Read the tips. Which things do you do to make the environment better?

## Ways to make your environment a better place

- 1 Walk or ride your bike to school. Cars are one of the main causes of air **pollution**.
- 2 Remember to turn off your computer when you aren't using it.
- 3 Give up using plastic. Plastic kills over a million sea birds and animals every year.
- 4 **Recycle** your **waste**. Take paper, glass and plastic to the **recycling bins**.
- 5 Don't turn up your heat in the winter. Wear a sweater instead.
- 6 **Plant** a tree. Trees help to **reduce** CO<sub>2</sub>, but we cut down about 15 billion trees a year.
- 7 **Reuse** things that you normally throw away. Use old boxes for shelves and put flowers in bottles.
- 8 Pick up paper, bottles and cans that you see in the street and park. **Trash** can kill wildlife.

**2** Look at the words in bold in exercise 1. Match the words with definitions 1–8.

- 1 the material that we don't need **waste**
- 2 put (trees, flowers) in the ground **plant**
- 3 use again **reuse**
- 4 paper, bottles, etc. people throw on the ground **trash**
- 5 the dangerous material in water and in air **pollution**
- 6 make less **reduce**
- 7 the place to put paper, plastic, etc. **Recycling bins**
- 8 change materials like paper or plastic to use again **recycle**

## 4 Complete the sentences with phrasal verbs. Which sentences are true for you?

- 1 I turn off my computer when I'm not using it.
- 2 I never throw away old clothes. I recycle them.
- 3 I decided to give up using plastic straws.  
They're bad for the environment.
- 4 I always pick up cola cans when I see them,  
and I put them in the recycling bin.
- 5 When it's warm, I open the windows.  
I don't turn up the air conditioning.



# 4 Complete the dialogue with the Key phrases. Watch again and check.

Rosie

So, what do we need to get ready for the party?

Louis

Not much. Mum's getting the food and drinks.

Rosie

1 What about plates?

Louis

We've got a lot at home, and glasses too. And it's better not to use plastic cups or plates anyway.

Rosie

2 Good point. And no plastic straws either. They're terrible for the environment!

Louis

But we need some decorations.

Rosie

What do you 3 think about making our own? It'll be more fun if we make them.

Louis

4 Yes, but the party's on Saturday. I don't think we'll have time.

Rosie

You're 5 right.  
6 Do you think we can get some at the party shop?

Louis

Why don't we go and see?

Rosie

OK, 7 good idea! Let's go!



# will for predictions: affirmative and negative

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- 1** **Reinforcement** Complete the sentences with *will/won't* and the verbs in the box.

build   live   not have  
not need   sleep



- 1 I think that we 'll live in smaller houses in the future.
- 2 We won't be space to build big houses.
- 3 We 'll sleep, cook and relax all in one room.
- 4 We won't need a lot of furniture for these homes.
- 5 Architects will build them using recycled materials.



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**Challenge**

Use the notes to write sentences about homes of the future. Use *will* and *won't*.

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*We'll control everything with our voices.*

3

**Reinforcement**

Complete the questions with the words in parentheses. Then match the questions to the answers.

- 1 How will shopping change in the future?  
(shopping / change)
- 2 Will schools exist or will students study at home? (schools / exist)
- 3 What languages will people speak ? (people / speak)
- 4 Will we go on virtual vacations? (we / go)
  - a I think people will buy more things online.
  - b Definitely! But I think people will travel too.
  - c We'll probably learn while we're sleeping!
  - d The same as now, but we'll have apps to translate.

4

**Challenge**

Write *Wh-* questions about the words in bold.



1 **Robots** will help us by cleaning our houses.

**Who will clean our houses?**

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2 **No**, we won't have flying cars.

**Will we have flying cars?**

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3 People will live for **100 years**.

**How long will people live?**

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4 We will eat **the same** as today, but less meat.

**What will we eat?**

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5 People will go to **the moon** on vacation.

**Where will people go on vacation?**

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**5** **Challenge** Write your own answers to the questions in exercise 4.



## *might*

### 6 Reinforcement Circle the correct option.



- 1 I **won't** **might** go to college, but it depends on my exam results.
- 2 **won't** **might** study engineering, because I'm not very good at math.
- 3 I don't want to live in another country, but I **might** **will** spend a year overseas. I'm not sure.
- 4 My friends are very important to me, so I'm sure I **won't** **will** always have the same friends.
- 5 I **will** **won't** get married before I'm 30. I'd like to get a good job first.
- 6 I love fast cars, so who knows, I **won't** **might** have a Porsche!

**Challenge**

Complete the text with *will*, *won't* or *might* and the ideas in the notes.

My future!

Definitely not!	Maybe!	Definitely!
have a lot of children	start a company	travel
be a teacher	learn Japanese	play in a band

I'm not sure what job I'd like to do, but I don't like school, so I know I <sup>1</sup>

**won't be a teacher**

! I'd like to be my own boss, so I <sup>2</sup>

**might start a company**

– something to do with computers, that would be

perfect. I want to visit other countries, so I'm sure I <sup>3</sup>

**'ll travel**

in the future. I'd love to go to Japan. I'd like to speak another language, so I <sup>4</sup>

**might learn Japanese**

. I'd like to get married, but I <sup>5</sup>

**won't have a lot of children**

– just one or two. I hate sports, but I love music, so I

won't play on a sports team, but I hope that I <sup>6</sup>

**'ll play in a band**

# First conditional

**8 Reinforcement** Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.

- 1 If we don't recycle, it will be (be) bad for the planet.
- 2 A lot of plastic will go into the oceans if we don't recycle (not recycle) it.
- 3 We won't have (not have) forests if we cut down all the trees.
- 4 Our air will be more polluted if our forests dissapear (disappear).
- 5 If our air quality doesn't improve (not improve), it will be dangerous for our health.

## 9 **Challenge** Which sentences are correct?

Correct the incorrect sentences.

- 1 If we don't look after the planet, it will get hotter.
- 2 If the climate gets hotter, the ice caps will melt.
- 3 If the ice caps melt, sea levels will go up.
- 4 Some cities will disappear if the sea levels rise.
- 5 If cities are under water, people won't have homes.



# 11

**Challenge** Complete the tips with the zero or first conditional of the verb in parentheses.

## HOW TO USE LESS PLASTIC

Carry a reusable bag. Plastic bags <sup>1</sup> **take** (take) 1,000 years to degrade if you throw them away.

Buy fresh food. If you <sup>2</sup> **don't buy** (not buy) food covered in plastic, you <sup>3</sup> **won't produce** (not produce) as much waste.

Carry a reusable water bottle. Every plastic bottle <sup>4</sup> **goes** (go) into the oceans or landfills if we <sup>5</sup> **don't recycle** (not recycle) it.

If you use a paper bag for your packed lunch, it <sup>6</sup> **doesn't take** (not take) as long to degrade.

If we <sup>7</sup> **don't stop** (not stop) using plastic, soon there <sup>8</sup> **will be** (be) more plastic in the oceans than fish!

## HOMEWORK

### Zero conditional

**10** **Reinforcement** Write sentences in the zero conditional. Use a comma where necessary.

- 1 If / I / feel / cold / I / turn up / the heating
- 2 My mom / drive / me to school / if / I / be / late
- 3 If / my dad / not turn off / the computer / I / do it
- 4 I / recycle / things / if / my parents / forget
- 5 Tim / always / pick up / trash / if he / see it