



ENGLISH

Chapter 16 Session B

3rd
SECONDARY

ON SCREEN
Future



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Future Tense: *will*

- 1 Read the sentences and complete the chart below.
- a Most movies will probably be 3D.
 - b We'll definitely have human actors for many years.
 - c Movie theaters themselves probably won't change much.
 - d People definitely won't stop watching movies
 - e Special effects will be much more advanced, according to experts.

will / won't

Make predictions about the future

Special effects will be much more advanced, according to experts.

When you are sure about something in the future

We'll definitely have human actors for many years
People definitely won't stop watching movies.

If you think something is likely to happen

Movie theaters themselves probably won't change much
Most movies will probably be 3D.

- 2 What will movie theaters be like in the future? Complete the sentences with the correct form of *will* and the verbs in parentheses.



In the future, technology a will do away (do away) with the old-school movie screen. Movies b won't be (not be) events to see at the movie theater during two hours. Instead, they c will be (be) gamified and d will unfold (unfold) in real time around you. You e will literally become (literally / become) part of the action. Events f will change (change) as you 'act,' and smells, tastes and sensations g will be (be) experienced live. Actors h will be (be) your own avatars and you i will turn into (turn into) a star! What about all those movie stars? What j will they do (they / do)?

3 Choose the most appropriate verb form to fill in the blanks in the sentences below.

- a** In the future, there _____ lots of programs to create special effects.

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be

☒

will be

☐

will

- b** I don't think Spielberg _____ that movie.

☐

won't

☐

'll

☒

will direct

- c** How many people _____ movies on DVD in ten years' time?

☒

will watch

☐

watch

☐

won't

d _____ a CD of the soundtrack?

☐

They will release



Will they
release

☐

They won't release

e I think that movie _____ a lot of awards.



will win

☐

win

☐

will

Future Tense: *be going to*

- 4** Read the sentences below and write (A) if they talk about future plans and intentions or (B) if there is evidence in the present for future events or actions.
- a **A** James Cameron is going to release 3D versions of some old movies.
 - b **B** Those actors are really good. They aren't going to be fired.
 - c **B** The director is going to use stunt doubles for that scene. The actors may get hurt if they shoot it.
 - d **A** Meryl Streep is going to take a break after that movie.

5 What was used to indicate the future events in activity 4?

SUBJECT + BE + GOING TO + VERB BASE FORM

6 Use the words below to complete the chart.

Are they going to aren't going to use
is going to

be going to

+

Spielberg is going to release a new movie.

-

Movie makers aren't going to use new technology so much.

?

Are they going to use stunt doubles instead of actors for that scene?

7 Match 1-5 with a-e to make sentences.

- a **2** The director has asked for silence
because
- b **4** They are not going to do the stunts
- c **5** He has earned so much money
- d **1** I lost my purse last week so
- e **3** Are you going to book the seats at the
movie theater
- 1 I'm going to buy another one.
- 2 filming is going to start.
- 3 before next Thursday?
- 4 because they think they are too dangerous.
- 5 that he is going to retire now.

- 8 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box. Use *be going to*.

download give invite leave
(not) ask travel

- a I love that song! I am going to download it to my phone right now.
- b She is going to travel around the world during her gap year before university.
- c They aren't going to ask her to sing because she has a terrible voice.
- d Jim is going to leave because he didn't get the new job.
- e Are you going to give me your homework before tomorrow?
- f I am going to invite Paul to my birthday party.


9 Choose the correct words.

- a In the future, I think people **will live** / **are going to live** in space.
- b I don't think that I **will learn** / **am going to learn** Chinese in the future.
- c I **will meet** / **am going to meet** my friends on the weekend.
- d In my opinion, that movie **won't** / **isn't going to** win an award.
- e What **will you do** / **are you going to do** after school today?

PRONUNCIATION

Sentence Stress and Weak Forms




- 1  53 Listen and repeat the sentences. Which two syllables have the main stress in each sentence? What happens to the words in bold?

They are unstressed.

- a I'm **going to** download that song.
b We're **going to** invite them to the party.
c They aren't **going to** buy a house.



- 2  53 Listen and repeat the sentences.



Future Tense: *will*

1 Order the words to make sentences.

change / probably / movie / life / This / will / your

This movie will probably change your life.

a and terrifying / brilliant / find / it / will / You / definitely

You will definitely find it brilliant and terrifying.

b a / be / bored / for / minute / won't / definitely / You

You definitely won't be bored for a minute.

- c probably / come out / streaming / movie /
for / months / on / six / The / won't
The movie probably won't come out on
streaming for six months.
- d after / become / teen actor / definitely /
famous / movie / The / this / will
The teen actor will definitely become
famous after this movie.
- e castle / ever / forget / in / Nobody /
the scene / the / will
Nobody will ever forget the scene in
the castle.



2 Complete the sentences with *will* and the verbs in the box.

be have love ~~make~~
pay wear



In the next decade, movies will make much more use of computers to create special effects.

- a** You _____ this movie. It's amazing.
- b** It's a great movie, but it _____ you cry.
- c** People _____ more for movie tickets in the future.
- d** In the future, there _____ special air conditioning in movie theaters to release different smells.
- e** One day, people _____ headphones at the movie theater, like on planes.
- f** They will have special controls on their seats to change the soundtrack and make their seats move.

3 Match the sentence beginnings with the endings. Write sentences using *won't* and the verbs in parentheses.

- a **5** We (be) late for the movie, I
- b **4** You (enjoy) that movie because you
- c **2** He's an excellent stunt man, so
- d **1** We (understand) the movie because it's
- e **6** There'll be advertisements first, so
- f **3** Don't worry – the bad guys (win) because

- 1** all in Japanese.
- 2** he (hurt) himself.
- 3** they never do!
- 4** don't like romantic movies.
- 5** promise you.
- 6** the movie (start) at eight.

a *We won't be late for the movie, I promise you.*

b You won't enjoy that movie because you don't like romantic movies.

c He's an excellent stunt man, so he won't hurt himself.

d We won't understand the movie because it's
all in Japanese.

e There'll be advertisements first, so the movie
won't start at eight.

f Don't worry - the bad guys won't win because
they never do.