



Future Simple Tense

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Exercise 1 – Learning

How to Form the Future Simple Tense

Positive form: **'will' + infinitive**

- I **will** cook. (I'll cook.)
- You **will** cook. (You'll cook.)
- He/She/It **will** cook. (He/She/It'll cook.)
- We **will** cook. (We'll cook.)
- They **will** cook. (They'll cook.)

Tip: 'Will' is a modal verb like '**can**'; it does not change in the third person singular (he, she, it). It's natural to use the short form '**I'll**' instead of '**I will**'.

Negative form: **will not/won't**

- I **will not be** in the office tomorrow.
- They **won't stay** here.



Interrogative form: **'the subject'** and **'will'** switch places

- **Will** I go?
- **Will** you come early?
- **Will** it be cold?

Future Simple Tense Usage

We use the future simple tense to:

1. talk about a future event:

- Tomorrow, it **will be** sunny.
- Sarah **will be** 25 next Sunday.

2. talk about an action that we think will happen in the future:

- I think you **will like** our present.
- I think he **will buy** the car.



3. talk about things we just decided to do now:

- You just arrived at the station? **I'll come** pick you up!
- It's getting late. **I'll get going** now. (= *I'll leave*)

4. ask somebody to do something:

- **Will** you please **turn down** the music? (= *lower the volume*)

(This is a gentler imperative than 'Please turn down the music!')

5. make offers and promises:

- Here, **I'll take** your coat. (= *I'll hang up the coat*)
- You can't come to class today? No problem, **I'll send** you my notes.



Exercise 2 – Fill in the Blanks

Fill in the blanks with the verb in future simple tense form.

1. Jack _____ the next President. (be)
2. The President _____ for four years. (serve)
3. In four years, there _____ a new President and Vice President. (not be)
4. Tom _____ at your party tomorrow. (not be)
5. I _____ a taxi for you. (call)
6. I hope you _____ me again. (visit)
7. I _____ with my credit card, please. (pay)
8. I think I _____ a pizza for dinner. (have)



Exercise 3 – Sentence Construction

Use what you learned in class to create sentences with your tutor.

Example: wake up. → Will you wake up at 7 o'clock?

Content:

1. take the train to work.
2. drink coffee.
3. walk my dog.
4. come home from work.
5. relax.
6. go to bed.