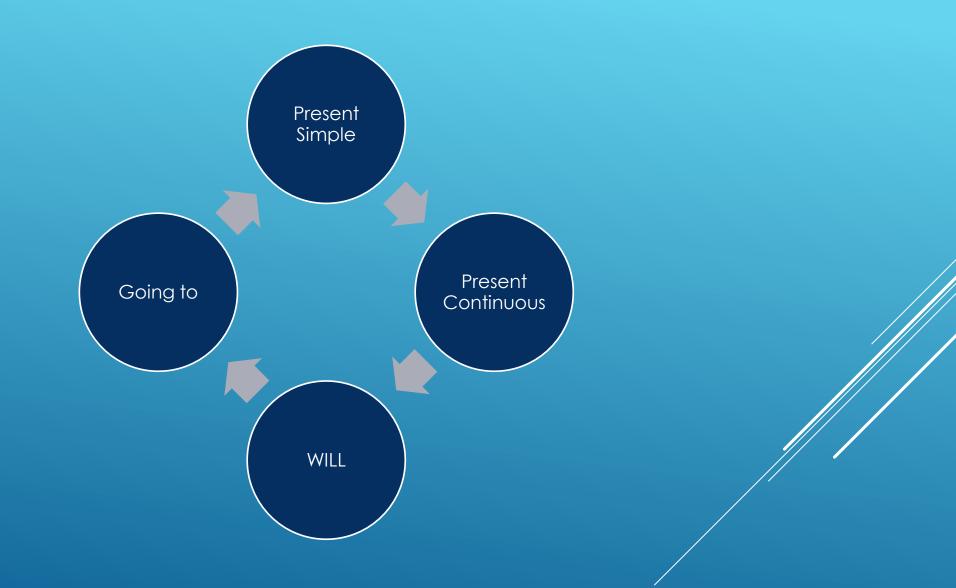
FUTURE TENSES



PRESENT SIMPLE

PRESENT CONTINUOUS

To talk about future events that are happening according to a timetable or schedule that we cannot change

Example: The train leaves at 6 p.m. The exam period starts on the 16th of December.

To talk about something that is already arranged, a personal plan

Example: Sorry, I can't help you. I'm having a lunch with my business partner tonight.

FUTURE SIMPLE - WILL

Definite future (FACT) → Paris will host the next Olympic Games.

Prediction about the future (our own opinion) \rightarrow I think Bayern Munich will win the Champions League.

Distant future -> People will use only electric cars in 15 years.

To make an offer, promise \rightarrow I will help you with those bags.

Deciding at the moment of speaking to do something \rightarrow Boss: I need someone to meet our guest at the airport. Assistant: I will go.

THE WAY TO FORM A FUTURE SIMPLE SENTENCE

Affirmative: S + WILL + V

Negative: S + WON'T (WILL NOT) + V

Interrogative: WILL + S + V...?

ADVERBS OF TIME - WILL

SOON

NEXT WEEK

THE FOLLOWING WEEK

IN TWO MONTHS

IN 2040

'GOING TO' FUTURE

Prediction based on present situation > Look at the clouds! It's going to rain.

Near Future -> Next week we are going to travel on a holiday to Prague.

Talk about something that has already been decided ->
There is no milk in the fridge. I know I am going to buy some.

THE WAY TO FORM A GOING TO FUTURE TENSE SENTENCE

Affirmative: S + AM/IS/ARE GOING TO + V

Negative: S + AM/IS/ARE NOT GOING TO + V

Interrogative: AM/IS/ARE + S + GOING TO + V...?

ADVERBS OF TIME - BE GOING TO

TOMORROW

THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW

NEXT WEEK

THIS WEEKEND