

STUDY GUIDE N°1

WORKSHEET N° 1.1



FOCUS ON GRAMMAR

WILL VS WOULD

The main difference between **will** and **would** is that **would** can be used in the past tense but **will** cannot. Also, **would** is commonly used to refer to a future event that *may occur under specific conditions*, while **will** is used more generally to refer to future events.

➡ **EXAMPLE: will:** future events

They + **will** + have + two + extra + meetings + this + afternoon.

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Pronoun aux infinitive adjective adjective noun demonstrative noun
verb



➡ **EXAMPLE: would:** future events that occur under specific conditions.

Ann + said + she + **would** + write + us + soon.

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Pronoun verb pronoun aux verb pronoun adverb



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Let's Practice!

➡ **Instruction:** choose 'will' or 'would'



1. _____ it rain this evening?



2. He _____ probably arrive soon.



3. _____ you like a coffee?



4. I _____ go to the cinema today.



5. They _____ paint it as you want.



6. _____ it snow yesterday?



7. Sam said he _____ come.



8. If I were you, I _____ go there.



9. I _____ do it if I had time.



10. We _____ play if we had a ball.



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Classify the following sentences into the correct use.

| Will Uses | | Would Uses | | Examples |
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| Future Action | | Past event talking about the future | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">I would prefer to eat soup to night.I will do my homework after dinner. |
| Decisions | | Invitations | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Would you carry this for me, please?She will spend a lot of money at the store. |
| Predictions | | Preferences | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Would you like to come round tomorrow?She will organize the party. |
| Promises | | Request | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">He said he would help her.I will give her a call if I can find her number. |
| Conditional type 1 | | Conditional type 2 | | <ul style="list-style-type: none">If I had the money, I would buy a new car.We will come and see you next week. |

Exercise 1



→ **Instruction:** match the two parts of the sentences.

1. Will I get a prize
2. If I knew what to study,
3. Would I get into university
4. If I don't study hard,

- a. I wouldn't worry about my future.
- b. if I pass all my exams?
- c. my parents will be disappointed.
- d. if I failed all my exams?