Grammar 2 future plans and events; future predictions

1 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1 Hurry up! The film *starts / is going to start* at 8 p.m.
2 *We're going to decide / We're deciding* on the exact date of the holiday later in the week.
3 My lessons *finish / are going to finish* at 4 p.m., so I can meet you after that.
4 What time *does your plane leave / is your plane going to leave*?
5 Sorry I can't meet you later. *I go / I'm going* to the dentist this afternoon.
6 *We're meeting / We meet* outside the cinema at 7 p.m. if you want to come.
7 My parents *buy / are going to buy* me a new bike for my birthday.
8 Sorry I can't come out tonight. My favourite TV programme *is / is being* on at nine o'clock.
9 What time *do you go / are you going* to the party this evening?
10 One day *I'm visiting / I'm going to visit* my relatives in Canada.

2 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1 Sam *might / will* be late this evening. It depends what time his meeting finishes.
2 If it's like last year, there *will be / are going to be* lots of people at the concert.
3 She *will / might* probably come and visit us this weekend.
4 They say it *will / might* snow tomorrow, but nothing is certain at the moment.
5 I'm sure you *will / are going to* get that job.
6 I hope this party *might / will* be better than the last one.

3 Complete the text with the correct future form of these verbs.

be (x2) go have to meet not/live
start stay study visit wait

My big sister [1] _____ to university for the first time tomorrow and tonight she [2] _____ all her friends after dinner to say goodbye.

She [3] _____ in the university itself because she's renting a flat with two other friends in a nearby town.

She [4] _____ French and Italian. She found out from last year's students that the course [5] _____ quite difficult, but she's looking forward to it. She [6] _____ read lots of books, but she loves that. Her lessons [7] _____ on Monday and I think she [8] _____ a little bit nervous on Sunday evening.

I [9] _____ her in her first term, but I know that other friends [10] _____ with her, too, so I expect I [11] _____ until the second term before going.

Grammar references 5.3 and 5.4, p166 in Student's Book

LIVEWORKSHEETS