



the future: plans and intentions

1 Decide if the sentences show an arrangement (A), an intention or plan (I) or something on a timetable / schedule (T).

- 1 We're having dinner at 7.30 this evening.
- 2 The test starts at 9.15.
- 3 The bus stops here in half an hour.
- 4 They're building a new science lab over there in September.
- 5 I'm going to learn some Italian before our summer holiday.
- 6 Danny is performing in the school play next weekend.

2 **4.1** Listen to the voicemail and tick the activities the girl mentions.

- 1 a journey by coach ☐
- 2 a break in a café ☐
- 3 a visit to an exhibition ☐
- 4 a walk round gardens ☐
- 5 eating sandwiches by the river ☐
- 6 a science talk ☐
- 7 a school project ☐
- 8 a school test ☐

3 **4.2** Listen to the voicemail again and complete the sentences.

- 1 The coach school at 8.30.
- 2 We round the new robotics exhibition in a group in the morning.
- 3 We all sandwiches.
- 4 We somewhere outside by the river.
- 5 Amy and Ben the workshop on designing robots.
- 6 Miss Manners us a mini project.
- 7 The coach back to school at 5.15.

4 Form new similar sentences using the words in brackets.

- 1 I'm going to watch TV this evening. (my sister)
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- 2 The new shopping centre opens on 16th August. (not)
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- 3 I'm meeting Beth after school at the café. (you ?)
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- 4 The new maths teacher starts next Monday. (When ?)
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- 5 I'm going to stay in bed late tomorrow. (not)
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- 6 We're having a geography test later today. (not)
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5 Read the blog and decide if each sentence is an arrangement, an intention or part of a schedule. Then complete each gap with the present simple, present continuous or *going to* form of the verb in brackets.

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Some of you have asked me about school while I'm making a film. OK. Well – it's hard! Child actors like me must have 15 hours school a week, but when you're filming you can't go to normal school! I have a private teacher who teaches me on location. Like today, for example. They ¹..... (film) one of the scenes I'm in after breakfast this morning. That usually lasts an hour or maybe an hour and a half. Then, according to my study timetable, at 11.00 I ²..... (have) a lesson in my room. I ³..... (ask) my studio teacher to check through some questions I've got about yesterday's lessons. We've got less than half an hour before filming ⁴..... (start) again at 11.20! We ⁵..... (stop) for lunch at 12.30, like every day. Then if I'm not too tired, my parents ⁶..... (drive) me to another studio in town to audition for another film. That ⁷..... (start) filming next year! My studio teacher ⁸..... (come round) again this evening at some point and give me a maths lesson. After that I ⁹..... (do) some revising because I know I ¹⁰..... (have) a test early tomorrow morning – that's before I ¹¹..... (go) into make-up at 8.00! Every day is different! But I love this life! I ¹²..... (not / do) it forever but it's fun right now!

