



Writing poems about the future

1 Think about the writing style. Find other examples in the poems on page 70.

1 Begin with these words:
In the future...

2 Write what you think will happen: Airplanes will be faster.

3 Write what you think won't happen:
We won't go to school.

4 Use "But" in the last line:
But we won't be happier.

5 Write your name and your age:
Sam Lewis, age 10

2 Work it out.

Look at the example:

We won't have teachers, but we will miss them!

Do we use *but* when we introduce an opposite idea or when we introduce a similar idea?

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3 Make notes about your own poem.

- 1 How does your poem begin?
- 2 What do you think will happen?
- 3 What do you think won't happen?
- 4 Which will be your last line?

4 Write your poem using your notes from Activity 3 and your Writing File Worksheet.

