

We use the future simple tense...

...to **offer** to do something for someone.

Examples: **I will** carry that bag for you. It looks heavy.

I will teach you to play the guitar.

...to **promise** to do something.

Examples: **I will** (I promise to) be really careful with your car.

I won't (I promise not to) open the present before my birthday.

...to make a spontaneous **decision** at the time of speaking. Before we speak, there is no plan or decision to do something.

Examples: **I will** have the tomato soup, please.

It just started raining. **I will** get an umbrella.



A. Write 'O' for offer, 'P' for promise, or 'D' for decision next to each statement.

1. I will answer the door. I'm closer to it than you are.
2. I will always love you.
3. I will wash the dishes after dinner. You relax.
4. I didn't know that you were having a problem. I will help you.
5. It's getting hot outside. I will get us some lemonade when I go in the house.
6. I will finish painting this room by tonight.

B. Complete the offers, promises and decisions with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. You look tired. I..... (make) the dinner if you want.
2. It looks very cold outside. I..... (put) on a warm jacket.
3. My gym just increased its prices. I..... (not join) again.
4. I'm sorry for breaking the window. I..... (be) more careful from now on.
5. Would you like tea or coffee? I..... (have) a cup of coffee, please.
6. I..... (walk) the dog every day while you are away.
7. Yes, mum. I.....(not get) my new shoes dirty. I promise.
8. Thanks for the loan. I..... (pay) you back next week.