

UNIT 7: LIFE PLAN (FUTURE)

1. Will

We use "will" when:

- Making **predictions** (things we believe or guess about the future):
 - *It will rain tomorrow.*
 - *He will win the game.*
- Making **quick decisions** at the moment of speaking (no prior plan):
 - *I'm hungry! I'll order pizza.*
 - *The phone is ringing. I'll answer it.*
- Making **promises, offers, or threats**:
 - *I will help you with your homework.*
 - *I will never forget your kindness.*

2. Going to

We use "going to" when:

- Talking about **plans or intentions** (things you already decided to do):
 - *I'm going to visit my grandmother next week.*
 - *They're going to buy a new car soon.*
- Making predictions based on **present evidence** (you see or know something now):
 - *Look at those clouds. It's going to rain.*
 - *He's going to fall if he keeps climbing like that.*

Quick Comparison:

Situation	Example with "will"	Example with "going to"
A decision made now	<i>I'll call her right away.</i>	<i>(Not used)</i>
A planned action	<i>(Not natural)</i>	<i>I'm going to call her tomorrow.</i>
Prediction (based on evidence) (General guess) <i>It will be sunny later. Look! It's going to be sunny soon.</i>		

Example:

1. **Prediction:** *I think he _____ (win) the race.*
 - Answer: *will win*
2. **Plan:** *We _____ (visit) the zoo on Saturday.*
 - Answer: *are going to visit*
3. **Decision:** *I'm thirsty. I _____ (get) some water.*
 - Answer: *will get*

Exercise: Choose the best answer. (Items 1-20)

1. Quick Decisions

1. It's cold in here! I _____ the window.
 - will close
 - am going to close
 - closes

2. Oh no! I forgot my wallet. Don't worry, I _____ for you.

- a) will pay
- b) am going to pay
- c) pays

2. Predictions (without evidence)

- 3. I think she _____ be a great doctor one day.

 - a) will
 - b) is going to
 - c) does

- 4. I'm sure you _____ love the movie.

 - a) will
 - b) are going to
 - c) loving

3. Predictions (based on evidence)

- 5. Look at the dark clouds! It _____ rain soon.

 - a) will
 - b) is going to
 - c) shall

- 6. He is running too fast! He _____ fall.

 - a) will
 - b) is going to
 - c) does

4. Plans & Intentions

- 7. We _____ visit our grandparents next weekend.

 - a) will
 - b) are going to
 - c) visits

- 8. They _____ buy a new house next year.

 - a) will
 - b) are going to
 - c) buys

5. Promises, Offers, & Threats

- 9. I promise I _____ call you later.

 - a) will
 - b) am going to
 - c) calls

- 10. I _____ never tell your secret!

 - a) will
 - b) am going to
 - c) shall

11. If you don't stop, I _____ tell the teacher!

- a) will
- b) am going to
- c) telling

6. Mixed Questions

12. Watch out! You _____ drop your phone!

- a) will
- b) are going to
- c) shall

13. He is too tired. I think he _____ go to bed early tonight.

- a) will
- b) is going to
- c) does

14. This box is too heavy for you. I _____ help you carry it.

- a) will
- b) am going to
- c) helps

15. We _____ travel to Spain this summer. It's our plan!

- a) will
- b) are going to
- c) shall

16. Don't worry! Everything _____ be okay.

- a) will
- b) is going to
- c) does

17. She is saving money because she _____ buy a new phone.

- a) will
- b) is going to
- c) shall

18. Oh no! I spilled my drink. I _____ clean it up.

- a) will
- b) am going to
- c) cleans

19. They just got engaged! They _____ get married next year.

- a) will
- b) are going to
- c) shall

20. You forgot your jacket? I _____ lend you mine.

- a) will
- b) am going to
- c) lends