

will or going to

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2. Next summer I **am going to**/ **will** backpack around Europe.
3. Ring! Ring! **I am going to**/ **I'll** answer it.
4. I think our team **is going to**/ **will** win the match.
5. In 2055 robots **are going to**/ **will** be our teachers.
6. Tonight we **are going to have**/ **will have** a birthday party for my brother.
7. Sponge Bob **is going to**/ **will work** at the Crabby Patty tonight.
8. My friends **are going to**/ **will go** to the movies tonight.
9. I doubt that he **is going to**/ **will** pass the English test.
10. He **is going to**/ **will study** for the test tomorrow.
11. Be careful! You **are going to**/ **will drop** the dishes.
12. During summer vacation we **are going to**/ **will go** swimming every day.
13. I'm sure that you **are going to**/ **will find** your lost ring.
14. **I am going to**/ **will help** you carry your books.
15. Look out! That dog **is going to**/ **will bite** you if you get near him.



Fill in **will** or the correct form of **be going to**

1. Next Saturday we _____ (attend) an NBA game.
2. I think the game _____ (be) at the Olympic arena.
3. My father _____ (buy) tickets tonight.
4. _____ the Miami Heat _____ (win) the championship?
5. The weather _____ (be) dreadful tomorrow. But I doubt that it _____ (snow) in June.
6. We use the word(s) _____ when we want to talk about predictions.
7. In 300 years people _____ (travel) with flying cars instead of airplanes.
8. We use the word(s) _____ when we offer to help someone.
9. I _____ (lift) that heavy box for you.
10. I think that schools _____ (not/use) _____ books- they _____ (give) every child a tablet computer.
11. When we speak about plans we use _____.
12. Later I _____ (read) a science fiction book on my e-reader.

Yes or no

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2. **will** is used for predictions _____
3. **am going to** is used for plans _____
4. **will** is used for offers of help _____
5. **will** is used for something likely to happen _____
6. **am going to** is used after I think _____
7. **will** is used for decisions I make now _____

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Note: There are a lot of sentences with **will**. Generally we use **am going to** for the future, but in special cases we use **will**. Students should be aware of these special cases.

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