

Future Perfect

(subject + will + have + past participle)

An action that will happen before another action in the future

- He _____ by the time he leaves the house. (prepare)
- His wife _____ dinner by the time he returns. (make)
- I _____ my book before we leave tonight. (finish)
- By the time he gets home, I _____ my homework. (do)
- Before you leave, I _____ my essay. (write)
- By the time you wake up, the thief _____ everything. (steal)

An action that will happen before a specific time in the future

- By tomorrow, he _____ well. (sleep)
- By midnight they _____ too much too drink. (have)
- They _____ their renovations by May (finish)
- He _____ for us for 10 years next August. (work)
- Martin _____ his car by next Sunday. (sell)
- My mother _____ the whole house by lunchtime. (clean)

A state that will continue up to sometime in the future

- Tomorrow he _____ sick for 2 weeks. (be)
- Next month my father _____ a widower for two years. (be)
- By 2020 I _____ alone for five years. (be)