



# FUTURES- will, be going to, simple present, present continuous

## WRITE THE CORRECT FUTURE TENSE FOR THE VERB GIVEN IN BRACKETS

1. I don't think Christine.....(dance) at the party
2. We .....(tidy up) when the meeting is over
3. Unless Danielle .....(recover) soon, she won't go to the mountains
4. Terry..... (cook) for her 10 guests all day!
5. I'll be happy when my boss .....(retire)
6. I don't know if Claudia..... (train) tomorrow
7. I .....(call) a taxi as soon as I .....(get) out at the station
8. ....(You leave) by train or plane next week?

Helen has written a text for a competition called The world in 20 years choose the correct alternative

Everybody wants to know what the future **will look/looks** like, and it's curious because we generally ignore what **is happening/happens/is going to happen** in the next five minutes. Yet, let's try to think about two things and let's see if they **change/will change/ are changing** or not.

My first topic is cars. **Are we having/Will we have/Do we have** flying cars as we see in most of the science fiction movies? Some great car industries **develop/are developing/is going to develop** more and more powerful engines and they often say they **are going to launch/are launching/launch** a flying car on the market, but I don't think they **will succeed/are succeeding/ are going to succeed/succeed** in doing it! It's too expensive!

My second topic is aliens. **Will we meet/Do we meet** aliens in the future? First of all we should know if aliens exist. And if Aliens **exist/will exist/are existing** will they want to meet us? If they come from a superior civilization, I don't think they **want/will want /are wanting** to meet us. And if their civilization is inferior to ours, how **will they get/are they getting/do they get** into contact with us? So, I don't think the world in 20 years will be very different from today!