

## LESSON Nº 2

**Objectives: Revision of: Present Simple, Past Simple and learn FUTURE SIMPLE**

| FUTURE SIMPLE NEGATIVE      |           |                     |               |
|-----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|---------------|
| Singular                    | I         | will not<br>(won't) | come          |
|                             | you       |                     | write         |
|                             | he        |                     | study         |
|                             | she<br>it |                     | bring<br>wash |
| Plural                      | you       |                     | say           |
|                             | we        |                     | clean         |
|                             | they      |                     | speak         |
| subject + will + not + verb |           |                     |               |

### Simple Future Tense

I am so sleepy and tired.

I will get you some coffee..

Functions of the simple future tense. The simple future refers to a time later than now, and expresses facts or certainty.

### A. Look at the pictures and Choose:

1. Last year, Ed Sheeran had a big and slow computer but next month, he **will buy / won't buy** a better laptop.



2 Selena Gomez has a J2 Samsung, She **will buy / won't buy** an i-phone.



3. Thor doesn't have Internet at home. He **will buy / won't have** a computer because he doesn't need one.



4. In the future computers **will be / won't be** smaller and more expensive.



### B. Put the verbs into the correct form (future I simple). Use will.

For example: You **will earn** (earn) a lot of money.

You **won't earn** (not/ earn) a lot of money.

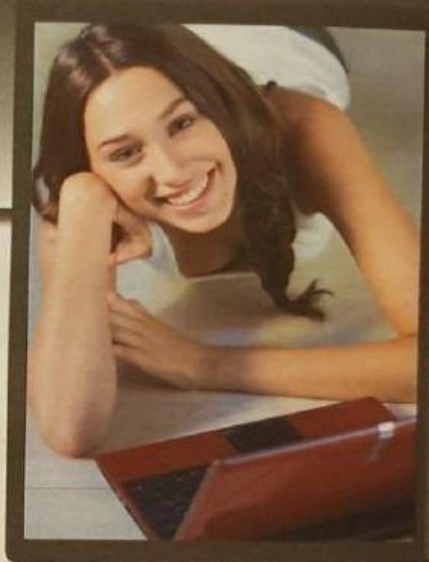
You .....(travel) around the world.

You..... (meet) lots of interesting people.

Everybody .....(adore) you.

You .....(not / have) any problems.

**C. Read this online magazine article and fill in the gaps with the correct form of the verb in brackets: (Exercise 2- page 6)**



# COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY:

## YESTERDAY, TODAY AND TOMORROW

### YESTERDAY

About twenty-five years ago computers <sup>(1)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very big and slow and only a few people <sup>(2)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) one. There <sup>(3)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) Internet access for everybody and most people <sup>(4)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (use) computers to play games, send emails or just to type out documents.

### TODAY

Technology <sup>(5)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (improve) very fast these days. At present computers <sup>(6)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) better performance, bigger data storage capacity and they are smaller and not really expensive. Consequently, most people <sup>(7)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have)

their own PCs, notebooks, netbooks or tablets with Internet access. Computers <sup>(8)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) now an indispensable tool to work, communicate, do homework, book plane tickets and hotel rooms or find anything we need: maps, dictionaries, music, videos, and much more...

### TOMORROW

We cannot imagine what the future of technology <sup>(9)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (bring), but scientists at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) <sup>(10)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (think) that soon computers <sup>(11)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (recognise) human emotions and respond to them.

<sup>(12)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) you angry, bored, happy or tired? In the near future, computers <sup>(13)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (detect) your mood and respond to it on screen. This area of investigation is called *Affective Computing*.

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**D. Circle the correct option to give your predictions about computer technology in 2030 (Activity 3-page 6)**

- Computers **will** / **won't** read about our emotions.
- People **Will** / **won't** have a computer microchip under their skin.
- We **will** / **won't** use our fingerprints as passwords
- People **will** / **won't** be unhappy without internet access