

Future continuous and future perfect

5 ★ Write sentences in the future continuous.

The holiday's finally here. I'm so excited. This time tomorrow ...

1 I / swim / in the sea

2 Sam / look for / shells on the beach

3 Mum / explore / the town

4 Dad / buy / food / at the local market

6 ★★ Complete the mini-dialogues with the verbs in the future perfect tense.

1 A We're late. They _____ everything by the time we get there. (eat)

B I'm sure they _____ something for us. (leave)

2 A Hi, Miriam. I thought you were coming round to my house this afternoon. Everybody's here.

B I am coming. I'll be there at six.

A But everybody _____ home by then. (go)

3 A Are you looking forward to the charity swimming event tomorrow?

B Yes. By this time tomorrow, we _____ across the Bosphorus from Asia to Europe. (swim)

4 A Have you got any plans for the future?

B Yes. By the time I'm thirty, I _____ around the world. (travel)

7 ★★ Choose the correct option to complete the mini-dialogues.

1 A Dad's plane lands at eight o'clock.

B It's 8.30 now. His plane
will be landing / will have landed.

2 A Hey, you're going to the Lake District this weekend, right?

B Yes, by this time on Saturday, I *will be sailing / will sail* across Lake Windermere.

3 A By the time I'm fifty, they *will be finding / will have found* a cure for cancer. I'm sure.

B I hope so.

4 A The show starts at 7 pm.

B Then I'm sorry, I can't come. I *will be eating / will eat* dinner with my family at that time.

5 A Mum, I'm going round to Matt's house.

B What about your homework?

A I *will have done / will do* it later.