

3.2 Future forms including the Future Perfect Continuous

1 Complete the sentences with the Future Continuous, Future Perfect Simple or Future Perfect Continuous of the underlined verbs.

0 plan for the three upcoming years (2020–2023): study at university

a In the next three upcoming years I will be studying at university.

b By the end of next year I will have been studying for a year.

c By the end of 2023 I will have studied for three years.

1 plan for Saturday: clean the whole house, start at 10 a.m., finish at 1 p.m.

a From 10 a.m. till 1 p.m. this Saturday I _____ the house.

b By 1 p.m. I _____ the whole house.

c By noon, I _____ for two hours.

2 plan for 2021: travel round the world for the whole year.

a By July 2021 I _____ for six months.

b By the end of 2021 I _____ around the world.

c In 2021 I _____ around the world.

3 plan for Sunday afternoon: watch six episodes of my favourite TV show, 2 p.m.–5 p.m.

a On Sunday afternoon I _____ my favourite TV show.

b By 3.30 p.m. I _____ the show for ninety minutes.

c By 5 p.m. I _____ six episodes.

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2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Future Continuous, Future Perfect Simple or Future Perfect Continuous.

0 Tomorrow at noon we will be taking (take) a test.

1 _____ (you / join) us at the party this weekend?

2 This time next year I _____ (not work) in this company anymore!

3 In ten minutes' time we _____ (drive) for five hours. I need to stop and stretch my legs.

4 By 10 o'clock he _____ (sleep) for fourteen hours! Shouldn't we wake him up?

5 By the end of this cup I _____ (drink) a full litre of coffee today!

6 If he finishes this last mile, he _____ (walk) a marathon!

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