

Lesson 13 Talking about the future

1 Match the sentences with their functions.

SENTENCES

- 1** We're watching a programme about the ISS in our next science lesson.
- 2** There might be a new manned mission to the moon soon.
- 3** I'm going to train as an astronaut when I finish university.
- 4** There will probably be people on Mars in twenty years from now.
- 5** The rocket launches at 09.45 on 20th December.

FUNCTIONS

- a** talking about a fixed arrangement
- b** talking about an arrangement
- c** talking about a plan
- d** making a prediction
- e** talking about a possibility

2 Put these sentences in the order of how certain it is that they will happen.

- 1** I'm definitely seeing Meera tomorrow morning.
- 2** I may see Meera tomorrow.
- 3** I'm almost certainly going to see Meera tomorrow.
- 4** I think I'll see Meera tomorrow.

POSSIBLE ← _____ → CERTAIN