

SIMPLE FUTURE TENSE

The simple future tense uses **will** + **the simple form of the verb**. It is used to express:

A prediction based on an opinion	I think the Maple Leafs won't win the game.
A rapid decision	I'm thirsty. I think I will buy a drink.
An offer	That looks heavy. I will help you with it.
A promise	Don't worry, I won't tell anyone.
A threat	If you don't stop, I will tell your mother.
A refusal	She won't listen to anything I say.
Yes/No Question	Will it rain tomorrow? Won't they meet us at the restaurant at 5 pm?
Information Question	What will you do on Sunday? Why won't you come with us?

I	I
You	You
He	He
She will cook.	She won't cook.
It	It
We	We
They	They
I	Yes, I will . No, I won't .
you	Yes, you will . No, you won't .
he	Yes, he will . No, he won't .
Will/ she cook?	Yes, she will . No, she won't .
Won't it	Yes, it will . No, it won't .
we	Yes, we will . No, we won't .
they	Yes, they will . No, they won't .

Won't = will not

I'll = I will

You'll = You will

He'll = He will

She'll = She will

It'll = It will

We'll = We will

They'll = They will

Note: don't use a contraction with 'will' in a short answer.

Example:

✓ Yes, I will.

✗ Yes, I'll.

PRACTICE 1: Select the correct word to fill in the blanks.

- I think it _____ sunny tomorrow.
- The movie _____ until 7:30 pm.
- _____ your friend be at the game?
- What time _____ your flight _____?
- I _____ a cheesburger and fries.

PRACTICE 2: Fill in the blanks using the simple future tense of the verb in parentheses.

1. Peter _____ (not, be) at work today because he is sick.
2. What time _____ the sun _____ (rise) tomorrow morning?
3. My sister thinks robots _____ (replace) teachers by the year 2075.
4. I _____ (watch) the hockey game with my brother.
5. Flight A37 _____ (depart) from Gate D in twenty minutes.
6. My brother _____ (not, speak) to me because he's very angry!
7. A: _____ you _____ (eat) breakfast tomorrow morning?
B: Yes, I _____.
8. We _____ (have) a math test next Tuesday.
9. Maybe it _____ (rain) tomorrow.
10. A: _____ he _____ (be) a millionaire?
B: No, he _____.
11. John _____ (make) tea.
12. Where _____ he _____ (run) tomorrow?
13. She _____ (not, travel).
14. Matt and Natalie _____ (go) to the grocery store tomorrow.
15. _____ we _____ (not, arrive) tonight?