

## Future – Will

| Uses:                                                                                                                                                |                                                                       |
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| <b>Rapid decision</b><br>(decisión rápida)                                                                                                           | I'm thirsty. I think I <b>will buy</b> a drink.                       |
| <b>Offer</b><br>(ofrecer)                                                                                                                            | That looks heavy. I <b>will help</b> you with it.                     |
| <b>Promise</b><br>(promesa)                                                                                                                          | Don't worry, I <b>won't tell</b> anyone.                              |
| <b>Threat</b><br>(amenaza)                                                                                                                           | If you don't stop, I <b>will tell</b> your mother.                    |
| <b>Refusal</b><br>(rechazo)                                                                                                                          | <b>won't = will not</b><br>She <b>won't listen</b> to anything I say. |
| Signal words<br>(palabras claves)                                                                                                                    |                                                                       |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Next year, next week, next ...</li> <li>• I think...</li> <li>• I believe...</li> <li>• Tomorrow</li> </ul> |                                                                       |

| AFFIRMATIVE                                                                                                |                                                                                                |
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| <b>Structure:</b><br>Subject + will + verb + complement.                                                   | <b>Example:</b><br>I will cook spaghetti tonight.                                              |
| NEGATIVE                                                                                                   |                                                                                                |
| <b>Structure:</b><br>Subject + will not + verb + complement.<br>Or<br>Subject + won't + verb + complement. | <b>Example:</b><br>I will not cook spaghetti tonight.<br>Or<br>I won't cook spaghetti tonight. |
| QUESTION                                                                                                   |                                                                                                |
| <b>Structure:</b><br>Will / Won't + subject + verb + complement?                                           | <b>Example:</b><br>Will you cook spaghetti tonight?<br>or<br>Won't you come to class tomorrow? |
| SHORT ANSWERS                                                                                              |                                                                                                |
| <b>Structure:</b><br>Yes, subject will.<br>No, subject won't.                                              | <b>Example:</b><br>Yes, I will.<br>No, he won't.                                               |