

## **FUTURE FORM:** Future continuous, Future perfect, and Future perfect continuous:

### **Exercise 1: Choose the correct forms of the future continuous or Future perfect**

1. When we arrive in Paris we'll need to rest because we ..... about 500 miles.  
a. will be driving                      b. will have driven                      c. will drive
2. Please, come at 8. By that time, I .....my homework and we can go out.  
a. will finish                      b. will be finishing                      c. will have finished
3. When you get off the train, we .....for you on the platform.  
a. 'll wait                      b. 'll be waiting                      c. 'll have waited
4. In two months' time, I ..... my computer for 10 years. I think I will change it.  
a. will use                      b. will be using                      c. will have been using
5. Don't phone between 7 and 8. We ..... dinner by then.  
a. 'll be having                      b. 'll have had                      c. 'll be had
6. Do you think you ..... the same job in ten years' time?  
a. will still have done                      b. will have still done                      c. will still be doing
7. Tomorrow afternoon we're going to play tennis from 3 o'clock until 4: 30. So at 4 o'clock, we ..... tennis.  
a. 'll be playing                      b. 'll be played                      c. 'll have played
8. You can phone me after 4 o'clock. I ..... my assignment by then.  
a. will complete                      b. will have completed                      c. will be completing
9. I'm sure when you call him, he ..... TV. He's always in front of the TV!  
a. will watch                      b. will be watching                      c. will have watched
10. By the end of this month, she ..... English for two years.  
a. will be learning                      b. will be learnt                      c. will have been learning

### **Exercise 2: Complete the article with the future continuous or the future perfect of the verbs in brackets. DO NOT use the contracted form.**

Technology is advancing so fast that by the year 2050 who knows what new technologies we (invent) ..... It is quite likely that by 2050 we (use up) ..... most of the earth's natural resources and so we (rely)..... on wind and solar power. As there will be a shortage of energy. It is quite likely that at that time scientists (try)..... to find a way for us to live outside the earth. Before the end of the next century, it's possible that people (live) .....in cities on the Moon or perhaps in cities on the seabed. By 2050 it's possible that scientists (already/discover)..... how to cure diseases such as cancer and, due to the advancement of genetic engineering, maybe hereditary diseases passed down from generation to generation (disappear) .....forever. It is quite possible that by 2050 life expectancy (increase) ..... to 100 and that we (enjoy) ..... a healthier existence.

Another area likely to have been affected by technology in the year 2050 is education. Almost all students (study) ..... online from their homes.