

## UNIT 3, FUTURE AND DEFINING AND NONDEFINING RELATIVE CLAUSES.

### Planning personalities

You can tell a lot about people by the way they organize their social life. Here are four types of planners we probably all know.

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|  | <p>The <b>last-minute</b> planner is very easygoing, calls you ten minutes before an event, and is surprised when you can't come!</p>                              |  | <p>The <b>disorganized</b> planner never uses a calendar and often plans to do two things at the same time, sometimes forgetting both!</p> |
|  | <p>The <b>plan-ahead</b> planner is extremely organized and likes to make detailed plans a long time before the event, expecting everyone else to do the same.</p> |  | <p>The <b>unreliable</b> planner makes plans, but cancels just before you're going to meet and doesn't think this is a problem.</p>        |

**4 A**  3.3 Listen to four voicemail messages. Which type of planner is each person?

Ben \_\_\_\_\_ Zoe \_\_\_\_\_ Eva \_\_\_\_\_ Jack \_\_\_\_\_

**B**  3.3 Who said the sentences: Ben (B), Zoe (Z), Eva (E), or Jack (J)? Listen again and check.

- 1 I'm going to cook Japanese food for you. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 I'm going to stay at home and watch TV. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 How about coffee at 4 p.m. instead? I won't forget, I promise. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 I have my sister's car – I'll come and get you if you'd like. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 My friend's band is playing at 9:30. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 I'm having lunch with my brother tomorrow. \_\_\_\_\_

## 7 A Match text messages 1–5 with responses a–e.

1 I' \_\_\_\_\_ (go) away this weekend, but I can't take my dog with me. ☹️

2 Help! My tablet has a virus!

3 You ate all my chocolate! ☹️

4 I can't believe how terrible the band was last night.

5 I hear you' \_\_\_\_\_ (get) married next year. Congratulations! 😊

a I' \_\_\_\_\_ (come) over right away.

b Thanks! The wedding \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in the spring, but we don't have a date yet.

c Sorry! I \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) it again ...

d I' \_\_\_\_\_ (look) after him!

e I know. I'm never \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to see them again!

## 5 Read the Text builder. Rewrite the sentences from the text with the words in parentheses.

- I wanted to be my own person, so when I was a child I was pretty rebellious. (as)
- Parents usually pay more attention to their first child. That's why oldest children like me are normally confident. (since)
- Oldest children are often more responsible and reliable since they look after their younger siblings. (That's why)
- We tend to be hardworking and mature since we have our parents' full attention and support. (so)

## 3 Read the Skill box. Scan the text and find the information you need to match sentences 1–8 with the people.

Which person ...

- thinks the experience with her brothers helps with her job now? \_\_\_\_\_
- works hard and doesn't like making mistakes? \_\_\_\_\_
- is certain of his ability to do well and is good at making decisions? \_\_\_\_\_
- used to take care of younger family members, but worried about it? \_\_\_\_\_
- is good at making people agree with her, but can think about herself too much? \_\_\_\_\_
- didn't like people making decisions for her and became a rebel? \_\_\_\_\_
- thinks his parents' behavior made him calm, but bad at planning? \_\_\_\_\_
- is happy that her brothers and sisters received more attention than her? \_\_\_\_\_

**9 A** Choose two places, two objects, and two people that are very important to you.



Places

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_



Objects

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_



People

1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

**B** In pairs, talk about your choices. Ask your partner why each of his/her choices is important, and ask for more information. Use relative clauses in your answers.

A *Tell me about one of your places.*

B *It's Montevideo.*

A *Why is it so important to you?*

B *Because it's the place where I met my boyfriend.*

A *How did you meet him?*

B *We were both in college there.*