

LANGUAGE IN ACTION

Present continuous for future

1 ✖ Match 1-6 with a-f.

- 1 My mum's working on Saturday.
- 2 Are you watching the match tomorrow?
- 3 Mario isn't playing tennis after school.
- 4 Are your cousins arriving soon?
- 5 We're going on a school trip tomorrow.
- 6 How are you getting to the sports centre?

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- a We're visiting a museum.
- b My dad's driving me.
- c ~~She's going to a meeting.~~
- d He's going to the dentist.
- e No, I'm not. I'm studying.
- f Yes, they are. On Sunday.

2 ✖✖ Write sentences with the present continuous.

- 1 We / go / to the beach / at the weekend
We're going to the beach at the weekend.
- 2 Debra / not have / a birthday party / this year
- 3 My grandparents / fly / to Italy / in August
- 4 You / have / lunch / at a restaurant / on Sunday / ?
- 5 We / not do / anything special / this weekend
- 6 How / she / get / to work / today / ?

3 ✖✖ Complete the conversation with the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

CARLA What ¹ *are you doing* (you / do) in the summer?

NICO In July I ² _____ (go) to a summer camp in the mountains.

CARLA That sounds fun! ³ _____ (you / sleep) in a tent?

NICO No, I ⁴ _____ (not camp). We ⁵ _____ (stay) in chalets.

CARLA What ⁶ _____ (your parents / do)?

NICO They ⁷ _____ (start) their holidays in August. They ⁸ _____ (meet) me at the summer camp and we ⁹ _____ (drive) across the country in a camper van.

be going to

4 ✖ Underline and correct one mistake in each sentence.

- 1 We going to visit the water park. *We're going.*
- 2 Are you going see the new film? _____
- 3 I'm not go to buy a camera. _____
- 4 They're going living in the country. _____
- 5 Mia isn't to go swimming after school. _____
- 6 Leo going to learn to skateboard. _____

5 ✖✖✖ Write questions with the present continuous or be going to. Then write answers for you.

- 1 What / do / this weekend? (present continuous)
What are you doing this weekend?
- 2 What / do / tonight? (present continuous)
- 3 What TV programmes / watch / this week? (be going to)
- 4 How / celebrate / your birthday / this year? (be going to)

