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Work sheet 5

Future Tense

We can use the following structures to indicate ‘future’.

1. Simple future tense – Simple predictions/ intentions

will + (base) verb - will come

Eg. **I will give the book tomorrow.**

The children will come here in a few minutes.

We can use ‘shall’ instead of ‘will’ to indicate future with ‘I’ and ‘we’ in question form for suggestions and offers.

Eg. **Shall we go to the playground?**

The bag looks heavy. Shall I carry it for you?

2. Simple present tense – Time tabled events/ fixed programmes

Eg. **The train leaves in five minutes.**

3. Present continuous tense – To indicate plans or arrangements in future.

is/ are +ing - is singing

Eg. **He is singing at the concert tonight.**

They are playing for the match tomorrow.

4. ‘going to’ – events will happen immediately/ plans or arrangements

am/is/ are + going to + (base) verb - is going to buy

Eg. **I am going to buy a car next month.**

They are going to organize a trip to Jaffna.

Task 1 Study the table and form sentences.

I		play	a cartoon film	
She		watch	at the strangers	in the evening.
He		water	dinner for us	tonight.
They		sing	the classroom	tomorrow.
You		write	the garden	next week
The girls		read	a song	next month.
The children	will	go	a letter	next year.
Chamath		bark	a car	next weekend.
Sithumi		eat	the plants	next Monday.
It		fly	for the exam	day after tomorrow.
The bird		cook	in the sky	in ten minutes.
The dogs		drive	story books	in a few minutes time.
We		study	cricket	in two hours.
My mother		sweep	to the temple	
			pizza	

Task 2 Fill in the blanks with suitable phrases.

(will pass will buy will paint will visit will study will meet will go)

- Supun to his grandmother's house next Sunday.
- I with my friends at the library in the evening.
- My father a new car next year.
- Gayuki a friend tomorrow.
- I Australia one day.
- We our house next month.
- My brother the O/L exam for sure.

2a. Write 5 suggestions of offers using 'shall'.

Eg. Shall we go to the canteen?

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2b. Fill in the blanks using the future tense.

I (1) (get up) at 6 o' clock tomorrow morning. Then I (2) (take) a shower and I (3) (do) household work. I (4) (have) lunch at 1 o' clock. In the afternoon I (5) (do) gardening with my sister. I (6) (play) badminton with my friends in the evening. I (7) (watch) TV after having my dinner. I (8) (go) to bed at 9 p.m.

Task 3 3a. Underline the correct preposition.

1. My best friend will wait for me _____ (at/ by/ out) the bus stop.
2. Mr. Perera will teach you English _____ (since/ for/ from) next term.
3. I will go to the party _____ (by/ with/ at) my friends.
4. The pilot will fly his plane _____ (over/ in /on) the mountain.
5. My brother will come home _____ (by/ along/ through) the train Udarata Manike.

3b. Fill in the blanks with suitable pronouns.

(she it their we our they)

Senuri will be the editor of (1.) school magazine. (2.) will make sure that the magazine comes out on time every month. Reporters will get (3.) assignments from Senuri. (4.) will hand over their articles during the third week of every month to print. (5.) hope that the magazine will be a big success. Everyone in our school will read (6.)

Task 4 Read the dialogue.

Arun : Hurrah! Only two weeks for the holidays.

Nuwan: Yes Arun.

Arun : What are you going to do during the holidays?

Nuwan: I hope to visit my grandparents. What about you?

Arun : We're planning to go on a trip to Jaffna.

Nuwan: Wow!

Arun : We will visit Nallur Kovil, Jaffna Dutch Fort, Nilavarai Well and the museum. Why don't you join our trip Nuwan?

Nuwan: Oh I love it! It's nice of you.

Arun : We'll ask Ravi to join us too.

Nuwan: OK. I'll write a note to him.

Now write the note that Nuwan would write.

Task 5

Match the questions with the responses.

Questions

1. How will you go to school tomorrow?
2. Are you going to Colombo next week?
3. Will you come with me to go to the library next Sunday?
4. What are you going to do after O/L s?
5. Will there be a lot of people for the concert tonight?

Responses

- Yes, there will be a big crowd.
Sure, I will be able to come on Sunday.
I will go by my father's car.
No, I'm not going next week.
I'm going to follow a computer course.

Task 6

Read the text and answer.

Sheran will be five years old next Saturday. His parents are going to have a birthday party. The party will begin at 5 o' clock in the evening on Saturday. Many people will be there at the party. Sheran will be happy. Sheran's mother is going to prepare fried rice and his grandmother is going to bring ice cream. Sheran's aunt is going to bake a cake. It will be a chocolate cake. Sheran will love her cake. All his relatives will bring him presents. Sheran will open the presents after lunch. It will be a wonderful birthday.

1. How old will Sheran be on Saturday?
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2. When will the party begin?
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3. Who is going to bake the cake?
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4. What will his relatives bring?
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5. Fill in the blank of the following sentence.
Sheran will his aunt's cake very much. (hate/ like/ give)

Task 7

Read the passage and fill in the blanks using the words given in the box.

almost, going, , is, into, make, record, space, station, they, time, travel, watch, will, to
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Peter is an astronaut. Tomorrow, he will (1)..... into outer space. At noon his (2)..... shuttle is going to launch (3)..... space. Peter and other astronauts are (4).....to travel to the international space (5)..... They will stay in space for (6).....six months. Their crew is going (7)..... continue research at the space station. (8).....will do some experiments. They will (9)..... their data. They are also going to (10)..... some repairs on the space station. Peter (11)..... learn a lot in space. He (12)..... going to make videos of his (13).....spent on the space station. His family will (14)..... the videos on the internet. They will see what Peter is doing in space.

Task 8

The following are the things people will do next Sunday. Write sentences about the pictures.

1.



Kasun will play basketball with his friend next Sunday.

2. Mr. Perera



3. Savith



4. Rusiru



5. Mahen



6. Ganesh



Task 9 Read the note Sachini sent to Maleeka about their project.

Maleeka,

Hi! How about our project? I will be able to finish the section assigned to me by next Friday. I will bring it when I visit you next Saturday evening. What about your part? Will you be able to complete it before Saturday?

Sachini

Imagine that you are Maleeka and write a note of reply to Sachini. Include

- whether you will be at home
- when you will be able to complete
- what else you have to do