

The future is of concern to everyone. Except Arabic students because it's so easy!

Technically there isn't a future tense in Arabic - all you have to do is add a single word or letter to any present tense verb you want to put in the future. It just depends on how formal you want to be and what dialect you're using.

In **فصحى**, simply add a **سـ** to the verb you want to put in the future.

I will go	سأذهب
You will go	ستذهبين
They will go	سيذهبون

If you want to be extra fancy, use the word **سُوفَ** instead of just a **سـ** (the **سـ** is short for **سُوفَ**)

I will go	سوف أذهب
You will go	سوف تذهبين
They will go	سوف يذهبون

In **مصري** a **حـ** or **هـ** is used

I will go	حأروح
You will go	حتروحي
They will go	حيروحوا

In **شامي** a **راح** or **رح** in front of the word is used

I will go	راح أروح
You will go	راح تروحي
They will go	راح يروحوا

In some other Gulf dialects, a **ع/عا** or **عـ** in front of the word is used (sometimes it attaches directly to the word and sometimes it does not - it's a matter of regional dialect and personal preference)

I will go	عا أروح
You will go	ع تروحي
They will go	عيروحووا

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fjRI-qjSQ2U&list=PLBv6B6E0luHgw7symFQKGdqaWgS5yYP31&index=31>