

Act. 3.07: Plan for the Future Q/A - SPEAK

Directions: Ask and answer these questions with your partners. Pick only one of the underlined words per question. Next time, pick a different underlined word to ask a new question.

1. What are you going to eat for breakfast / lunch / dinner tomorrow?
2. Are you going to cook anything after class / in the morning ?
If yes: What are you going to cook?
3. When are you going to get married / call your family ?
4. Are you going to exercise today / tomorrow / this weekend ?
If yes: Where or what kind of exercise are you going to do?
5. Is your friend going to visit / call you this weekend?

SPEAK - Time Phrases for Future Plans (Be + going to) Q/A

Directions: Select a phrase from the boxes to complete a future tense question. Ask your partner the question. Answer your partner's question. Next, pick a different phrase and ask a new question.

What are you going to do _____ ?

Ex: What are you going to do when you get home? I'm going to eat an apple when I get home.

after class	when you get home
tonight / tomorrow	when you go to work
this weekend	when you have free time
on Sunday	when you are hungry / thirsty
next Tuesday	this summer

PREPOSITIONS of TIME (Theme 2) **REVIEW before doing the next activities.****Act. 3.08: Fill in the blanks - Future (Be + going to and Prepositions of Time)**

Directions: Fill in the blanks with **Be + going to** and Prepositions of Time.

Example: The piano lesson (begin) is going to begin at 1:45 in the afternoon.

1. The meeting (be) _____ Monday _____ 2:30pm next week.
2. We (fly) _____ to Chicago _____ 2023.
3. Our boss (be) _____ away _____ Wednesday _____ Friday next week. (for 3 days)
4. She (travel) _____ to New Mexico _____ the winter.
5. We (stop) _____ at the store _____ 9:00 _____ the morning.
6. I (visit) _____ my native country _____ August.
7. They (get) _____ married _____ February 27th.
8. The students (study) _____ in the library _____ 3:00 _____ 5:00pm _____ Tuesday. (for 2 hours)

SPEAK - Q/A (Be + going to)

Directions: Ask and answer the questions with your partner. Use **Be + going to** in your answers.

1. What time are you going to go to sleep tonight?
2. When are you going to wake up tomorrow?
3. When and where are you going to buy groceries next?
4. When and what are you going to cook next?
5. When are you going to wash your clothes?
6. When are you next going to call your family or a friend?

Act. 3.09: Future (Be + going to) - WRITE

Directions: Write 4 sentences about what you (and people you know) **are** and **are not going to do** in the future. Share your sentences.

Example: *My husband and I are going to cook dinner together this evening, but we aren't going to go to the gym.*

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Note to the Teacher: [Review Future \(will\)](#) in Theme 2 before moving on to the next activities.

FUTURE: WILL vs. BE + going to

Sometimes we use **Will**, sometimes we use **Be + going to**; both mean the future.

Uses	Will	BE + going to
Forecast / Prediction	<i>I think it will rain tomorrow.</i>	Look at those clouds. It is going to rain today!
Plans	It looks like I will probably go to Seattle for work next month. <i>(new or uncertain plans)</i>	My brother is going to get married on October 21st. <i>(definite plans)</i>
Promise	I will be your friend forever.	x
Offer to Help	I'll carry those heavy books for you!	x

Act. 3.10: Practice - Will vs. Be + going to - Future

Directions: Circle the better choice to complete each sentence.

Example: I'm hungry. I think I will / am going to buy a burger. (new plans)

1. She will / is going to take a computer class next weekend at the library. (definite plans)
2. Oh, your hands are full! I will / am going to open the door for you. (offer to help)
3. It will / is going to snow this winter. (forecast)
4. We are out of milk! I will / am going to go to the grocery store in an hour. (plan)
5. Please write items on the shopping list. Aunt Carmen will / is going to go to the grocery store on Friday. (plan)
6. I will / am going to love you forever. (promise)

Act. 3.11: Practice - Will vs. Be + going to - Future

Directions: Complete the answers about each picture. Use the future with **be going to** or **will** plus the main verb in parenthesis. One sentence for each picture is affirmative and one sentence is negative.



Q: Is Yuri going to cook tonight?

A1: He _____(cook) tonight.

A2: He _____(eat) Chinese takeout food.



Q: Will they stay home tonight?

A1: They _____(watch) TV tonight.

A2: They _____(go) to the movies.