

The FutureHomework1. Simple Future Tense:-Positive sentence

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3. I will meet him later.
4. It will rain tomorrow.
5. They will cook dinner.
6. I will visit your cafe.
7. I shall listen to Neha Kakkar.
8. I will ~~surely~~ help you in the recovery of your child.
9. We will paint our house next week.
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Negative sentence

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Interrogative sentence

1. Shall we go to our aunt's home next week?
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a. Future Continuous Tense:-

Positive sentence

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2. Shehan will be singing this song next week.
3. She will be wearing her pink shirt for the interview.
4. You will be staying with them when you come here.
5. My mother will be working in school this time tomorrow.
6. Michael will be running a marathon this ~~Saturday~~ ^{Saturday}.
7. They will be watching TV.

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8. She will be using the car.
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Negative sentence

1. Arjam will not be working for his hometown sometime next week if he receives the confirmation.
2. Sohan will not be singing this song next week.
3. She will not be wearing her pink shirt for the interview.
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5. My mother will ^{not} be working in school this time tomorrow.
6. Michael will not be running a marathon this Saturday.
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Interrogative sentence

1. Will Arjam be working for his hometown sometime next week if he ~~re~~ receives the confirmation?

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Manav might apply for this course in your college.

I would like to watch a movie or go for a walk.

- using present tense.

Examples:

They are going to meet the principal after lunch.

We are leaving for the airport at 4 o'clock.

Rakshanda is about to board the train to Nagpur.

He is to report to the officer latest by tomorrow.

- using verbs such as *plan, want, mean, hope* and *expect* in present tense, followed by the preposition *to*.

Examples:

The band plans to go on a world tour.

She means to join yoga classes in her neighbourhood only.

We expect you to do your job with sincerity and honesty.

1. Identify the tense of the underlined verbs in the following sentences. Write PA, PR and F for past, present and future tenses, respectively.

(a) Radha had visited the bank to enquire about the draft transfer.

PA

(b) Shanaya will suggest the team to make the required changes.

F

(c) Katherine Bouman has provided the world with the first picture of the black hole.

PR

(d) During our next journey, we are to research on the traditional culture of Manipur.

F

(e) Asha has gone to the nearby laboratory to get her blood tests done.

PR

(f) Sameer and Meera did not fly to New York as they forgot to carry their passports.

PA, PA

(g) Gulzar has been writing amazing lyrics and stories since the beginning of his career.

PR

(h) If the applications for PhD are open, Manav might apply this year.

F

Look at the following sentences.

The CEO will arrive very soon.

He will play computer games with Arnab.

My roommates will leave for the party in the evening.

The Future Continuous tense is used to talk about actions that will occur in the future and will be in progress till a certain point of time in future.

It has the following structure:

will/shall + be + present participle form of the verb

Examples:

Sohail will be dancing on this song with his sister tomorrow. (will + be + present participle form of dance)

Major Singh will be leading us in the parade next month. (will + be + present participle form of lead)

He will be wearing his blue shirt for the interview. (will + be + present participle form of wear)

The Future Continuous tense is also used

- to talk about a planned event or action that will take place at a particular time in the future. (Karenna will be participating in the drawing competition on Tuesday.)
- to make predictions about the present, i.e. actions that might be happening at the moment. (She will be sleeping right now. Don't call her.)
- in interrogative form to politely ask for information. (Will you be staying with them when you come here?)
- with 'still', to refer to events that are happening at present and are expected to continue for some time in the future. (He will still be preparing for his exams next month.)

2/ Complete the dialogue with appropriate forms of verbs given in brackets. One has been done for you.

Alisha: Hey, I heard you will be leaving (will leave / will be leaving) for the Netherlands in September.

Sana: Yes, Actually, I might need (might need / might need) your help to plan my accommodation.

Alisha: Of course, but I thought the university will provide (will provide / shall be providing) accommodation for the international students.

Sana: The university will be allocating (will allocate / will be allocating) the rooms only after the first month of the course.

Alisha: Oh dear. shall (Shall / Shall be) I speaks (speak / speaking) to my aunt? She will (will / shall be) surely accomo (accommodate/accommodating) you.

Sana: Yes, please. I will reach (will reach / will be reaching) Amsterdam on 5th August. I will be working (will work / will be working) as an intern for a sustainable development project by an NGO.

Alisha: I will inform (will inform / will be informing) her about it. The internship sounds fascinating! It will be (will be / will) definitely equipping (equipping/equip) you for your research.

Sana: I hope (will hope / hope) to acquire knowledge that will be helping (will help / will be helping) me find better solutions for resource conservation.

Look at the following sentences.

He *will have approved* the proposal before 5 p.m.

They *will have distributed* the certificates by the end of this week.

Shubhi *will have cooked* dinner before we reach her house.

In these sentences, the three forms of the verbs (in red) show that the actions will be completed by or before a certain time in the future. In the first sentence, the action of approving the proposal will be completed before another point of time in the future, i.e. 5 p.m. In the second sentence, the action of distributing the certificates will be completed before the end of the week. In the third sentence, the action of preparing dinner will be completed before another action in the future, that of the speaker reaching Shubhi's house. Such verbs are said to be in the **Future Perfect tense**.

The Future Perfect tense is used to talk about actions that will be completed by or before a certain time (or another action) in the future. It is commonly used with a time expression.

It has the following structure:

will/shall + have + past participle form of the verb

Examples:

The company *will have launched* the new product by Wednesday. (will + have + past participle form of launch)

Paul *will have worked* here for ten years next month. (will + have + past participle form of work)

My sister *will have completed* her graduation by the time I turn fifteen. (will + have + past participle form of complete)

Now, look at the following sentences.

Leena *will have been handling* the marketing department for two years in 2021.

The architects *will have been discussing* the new design for several days.

You *will have been participating* in the competition for three years in 2020.

In the sentences above, the three forms of the verbs denote actions that started before and will continue through a longer period of time in the future. Such verbs are said to be in the Future Perfect Continuous tense.

The Future Perfect Continuous tense is used to talk about actions which started before and will continue through a longer period of time in the future. It is often used with a time expression.

It has the following structure:

will/shall + have been + present participle form of the verb

Examples:

The athletes *will have been running* for an hour by the time they reach here. (will + have been + present participle form of run)

The coach *will have been training* the team for several months. (will + have been + present participle form of train)

By the time you reach, he *will have been waiting* for you at the airport for four hours. (will + have been + present participle form of wait)

3. Identify the tense of the underlined verbs in the following sentences. Write SF for Simple Future, FC for Future Continuous tense, FP for Future Perfect and FPC for Future Perfect Continuous tense.

(a) Manasi will draft the invitations for the workshop.

(b) The organisation will be working on equal food distribution.

(c) The farmers will have protested for a year by January 2020.

(d) We will have been debating on pay parity for an hour by the time the principal arrives.

(e) I will not require the detailed documentation as I will be transferring the resources only in the next month.

(f) Hetal will have been supplying the raw materials since 2004 but we will need another partner to meet the demands of the market.

SF

FC

FP

FPC

SF, FC

FPC, SF

(g) Bhaskar will purchase a new television only if the store offers a heavy discount for Diwali.

SF

(h) Samuel and his family will reach Srinagar tomorrow and will be staying in a houseboat.

SF, FC

4. Choose the correct verbs from the box and complete the following sentences with their suitable future tense forms.

practise

sign

address

conduct

meet

receive

agree

visit

will

(a) Gyanvi agree for the discussion only if all the team members are present.

(b) By next week, Dhani will receive all the offer letters.

(c) Pragati will address the gathering during the seminar tomorrow.

(d) The production team will meet at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

(e) Antara will visit all the regional offices next week.

(f) All the schools will have conducted the exams by the time elections begin in Hyderabad.

(g) By this time next year, Pankaj will practise law with this firm for five years.

(h) The businessman will sign the deal only if he is offered a ten percent discount.

5. Complete the following sentences using appropriate verbs in the tense given in brackets.

(a) Srija will have been studying in the school choir for five years next month. (Future Perfect Continuous)

(b) Shall we go the museums before lunch? (Simple Future)

(c) Anish will have visited to all his new colleagues by now. (Future Perfect)

(d) Deekshita will go to Assam next month for vacations. (Simple Future)

(e) Apoorva will be living for her hometown sometime next week if she receives the confirmation. (Future Continuous)

(f) When I graduate next year, my sister will have been studying in this school for nine years. (Future Perfect Continuous)

- (g) The dancers ~~arrive~~ ^{will arrive} at Ravindra Bharathi in the afternoon. They ^{will stay} at the guest house provided by the tourism ministry. (Simple Future, Future Continuous)
- (h) The conference ~~shift~~ ^{will shift} elsewhere as the university ^{will be preparing} for the examinations. (Simple Future, Future Continuous)

6. Identify the errors and rewrite the sentences correctly. One has been done for you.

(a) Amina will be brought souvenirs for her friends from Sikkim.
 Amina will be bringing souvenirs for her friends from Sikkim.

(b) The mails have been sending by the end of next week.
 The mails will be sent by the end of next week.

(c) Tomorrow, Roshan and I could be baked a cake for our parents' anniversary.
 Tomorrow, Roshan and I will be baking a cake for our parents' anniversary.

(d) Varsha shall be reading the book for hours now.
 Varsha will be reading the book for hours now.

(e) Please move back, they would opened the cage.
 Please move back, they will open the cage.

(f) By next December, she will be lived in Dehradun for five years.
 By next December, she will be living in Dehradun for five years.

(g) I was gone to show you only once how to access the online portal.
 I will go to show you only once how to access the online portal.

(h) Will the manager be inform them about the new deadline after the lunch break?
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7. Look at the following situations. Frame predictions based on them as per the instructions given in brackets. One has been done for you.

(a) The temperatures have already fallen to zero degrees in November. (Future Continuous, relocate)
 The family will be relocating to a warmer region next week.

(b) The batter for the cake is spoiled. (Future Continuous, prepare)
 We will be preparing a new cake.

(c) Jessy is studying the chapter on tenses. (Future Perfect, complete)
 Jessy will have completed the chapter by the end of the day.

(d) Rajan's stock of eggs is finished. (Simple Future, buy)
 Mohan, will you buy eggs from the market?

(e) Reshma is on the last page of the book. (Future Perfect Continuous, read)
 Reshma will have been reading the book for three years.

(f) Nikita's ballet shoes and dress have been kept on the bed. (Future Continuous, perform)
 Nikita will be performing at the programme tonight.

(g) Sameera has recently opened a cafe in Banjara Hills. (Simple Future, visit)
Jyotsana will visit Sameera's cafe in Banjara Hills.

(h) The company opened the career portal last month. (Future Perfect Continuous, hire)
The company will have been hiring for five weeks next month.

Recap

- Verbs are used in the future tense to express intention, predictions or plans for an action in the future. Depending on what we want to talk about, we can express the future in several ways.

Examples:

I will write about my college life in the book.

He is about to withdraw the money from the bank.

The administration might address the problem soon.

Akansha is going to marry Kunal this Friday.

- Verbs are used in the following tenses to express the future:

- Simple Future tense: *She will deliver a lecture in the college hall.*

- Future Continuous tense: *I will be travelling to my uncle's this time next week.*

- Future Perfect tense: *Nishita will have uploaded the song by now.*

- Future Perfect Continuous tense: *You will have been talking to her for an hour by the time dinner is served.*