

Grammar

Future with will

Affirmative				Negative			
My mother She	will 'll	watch	the kids.	Frank They	will not won't	go	to the PTO meeting.

1 PRACTICE

A Complete the sentences. Use *will* for the future.

- Anwar will work the evening shift this week.
(work)
He changed his schedule.
- Laura _____ on the soccer team next year.
(play)
- The PTO _____ a bake sale in October.
(have)
- Raphael _____ home until 5:30. He gets help with his homework after school.
(not / be)
- The Technology Club _____ this week because Monday is a holiday.
(not / meet)
- Andre _____ late for dinner. He has football practice today.
(be)
- The kids _____ school on Friday because the teacher has a conference all day.
(not / have)

Grammar Watch

- Use *will* + the base form of a verb.
- *won't* = *will not*.
- Use contractions with *will* for speaking and informal writing.

B Complete the conversation. Use *will* for the future and the words in the box. Use contractions if possible.

play go ~~be~~ check

- A: Can you go to Jimmy's baseball game this Thursday night?
 B: I'm sorry, I can't. I have to work.
 A: That's too bad. Jimmy will be sad. He wanted you to come.
 B: Well, they _____ again next week, right?
 A: I think there's a game next Friday. I _____ the schedule.
 B: OK. I _____ to the next game. I promise.



2 PRACTICE

Complete the e-mail. Use the future with *will* and the words in parentheses.

invitation

To: jane@abc.com
Subject: Invitation

Hi Jane,

Thank you for inviting us to Sue's school play next Friday night. Unfortunately, Jack has a class, so he won't be there. But the kids and I . I usually get out of work at around 6:30, but I early if I can. The kids and I a quick dinner, and we to the school around 8:00. Don't worry—we late! I'm going out now, so I you tonight. I you on Sunday, and we some more then.

Anita

Show what you know! Make plans for school events

STEP 1. GROUPS OF 5. Look at the pictures. Choose one event. Look at the event tasks in the chart. Decide who will do each task. Complete the chart.

A: Who wants to get permission from the school?

B: I'll call the principal tomorrow.

Event:	
Event task	Group member
get permission from the school	
design a flyer	
decide who will bring what	
set up before the event	
clean up after the event	



a school bake sale



an international party

STEP 2. Tell the class about your plans.

Can you...make plans for school events?