

FUTURE FORMS (2) FUTURE CONTINUOUS & FUTURE PERFECT

Future Continuous	
Use	- actions which will be in progress at a stated time in the future or another action. (This time tomorrow I will be flying to New York.)
Form	<u>Positive:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They will be sleeping . <u>Negative:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They won't be sleeping . <u>Question:</u> Will I/he/she/it/we/you/they be sleeping?
Expressions	this time tomorrow, in two years' time, next weekend, tonight, all day tomorrow, etc.
Future Perfect Simple	
Use	- actions that will be completed before a stated future time or another action. (I will have prepared everything by the time the guests <u>arrive</u> .)
Form	<u>Positive:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They will have prepared . <u>Negative:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They won't have prepared . <u>Question:</u> Will I/he/she/it/we/you/they have prepared?
Expressions	by the time ..., by next June, in ten minutes, before, when, etc.
Future Perfect Continuous	
Use	- actions that will be completed before a stated future time or another action with a focus on the duration. (By 9.00, I will have been waiting for the bus for exactly one hour.)
Form	<u>Positive:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They will have been preparing . <u>Negative:</u> I/He/She/It/We/You/They won't have been preparing . <u>Question:</u> Will I/he/she/it/we/you/they have been preparing?
Expressions	by 2:00 this afternoon, by the time, in ten minutes, before, when, etc.

Practice

A. Underline the correct form.

- We can't meet at ten because I **will be working/will have worked** until lunchtime.
- In ten minutes, she **will have played/will have been playing** computer games for five hours.
- The presenter **will be preparing/will have prepared** everything before the participants arrive.
- I can't borrow my father's car as he **will be using/will have been using** it all day tomorrow.
- Don't worry about the children. I **will look after/will have looked** after them until you get back.
- I hope I **will be buying/will have bought** my own house before I get married.

B. Put the verbs in brackets into the most appropriate future form.

- I (set) the table before the guests arrive.
- We can't meet at 4:00. I (help) mum with the housework all afternoon.
- I (wait) for you in front of the cinema at 5:00. Don't keep me waiting.
- By next summer, Karim (finish) secondary school.
- I hope I (fulfill) my dream of buying my own house before I'm forty.
- By 3:00 this afternoon, the police (look) for the missing boy for 48 hours.

Self-test

C. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct future form.

- When her next book comes out, she (write) twenty books.
- This time tomorrow I (take) the physics exam.
- In seven minutes, the police (chase) the run-away for three hours.
- By this time next week, she (finish) her second movie.
- My grandmother (be) ninety years old next week.
- By next Monday, the Wilsons (live) in Morocco for ten years.
- This time next week, we (sunbathe) on Martil beach.
- By the time we get back from the holiday, they (paint) the kitchen.

Future Forms 2: Future Continuous & Future Perfect

A.

1. will be working
2. will have been playing
3. will have prepared
4. will be using
5. will look after
6. will have bought

B.

1. will have set
2. will be helping
3. will be waiting
4. will have finished
5. will have fulfilled
6. will have been looking

C.

1. will have written
2. will be taking
3. will have been chasing
4. will have finished
5. will be
6. will have lived/will have been living
7. will be sunbathing
8. will have painted