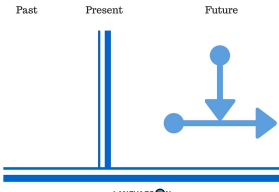
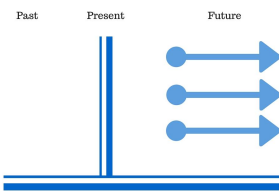


Future Simple vs. Future Continuous

FUTURE SIMPLE

	FORM	USE
WILL	<p>POSITIVE: Subject + WILL + V1**</p> <p>NEGATIVE: Subject + WILL + NOT + V1** (WON'T)</p> <p>** The VERB is always in the BASE FORM.</p>	<p>1. Voluntary action: I will get you a coffee.</p> <p>2. Promise: I will do my homework tonight. I promise!</p> <p>3. **Future Prediction: I think it will rain tomorrow.</p>
TO BE GOING TO	<p>I + AM GOING TO + V1 (AM NOT)</p> <p>He/She/It + IS GOING TO + V1 (IS NOT = ISN'T)</p> <p>They/We/You + ARE GOING TO + V1 (ARE NOT = AREN'T)</p>	<p>1. Future Plan: We are going to eat sushi tonight.</p> <p>2. **Future Prediction: My son is going to be the President someday.</p> <p>**Both WILL and BE GOING TO can be used for Future Predictions</p>

FUTURE CONTINUOUS

FORM: **Both WILL and BE GOING TO have the same meaning when used in the continuous form.	
<p>WILL FORM: POSITIVE: Subject + WILL + BE + (V1 + ING) NEGATIVE: Subject + WILL + NOT + BE + (V1 + ING)</p>	<p>BE GOING TO FORM: I + AM GOING TO + BE + (V1 + ING) He/She/It + IS GOING TO + BE + (V1 + ING) They/We/You + ARE GOING TO + BE + (V1 + ING)</p>
<p>1. To show a future action in progress during another shorter future action or a specific time.</p> 	<p>I am going to be sleeping when you arrive. She will be waiting for us when we arrive. Stacy is not going to be teaching next week. They won't be coming with us on vacation. He is going to be working at 9:00 tonight.</p>
<p>2. To describe multiple actions happening at the same time in the future.</p> 	<p>When you arrive at school tomorrow, Hunter is going to be using the copier, Denis is going to be making coffee, Amy is going to be talking with Alice, and Scott is going to be making a call.</p> <p>When you arrive at school tomorrow, Hunter will be using the copier, Denis will be making coffee, Amy will be talking with Alice, and Scott will be making a call.</p>

Future Simple vs Future Continuous Exercises and Practice

Complete the sentences with an appropriate future form. Choose between the Future Simple (will or be going to) and the Future Continuous. More than one answer may be correct.

1. You look hungry; I _____ (make) you a sandwich.
2. John and I probably _____ (not / come) to the party because it looks like it _____ (rain).
3. I can't have lunch at 2:00 because I _____ (have) an operation at that time.
4. You _____ (celebrate) your birthday at a beautiful restaurant and we _____ (fly) on a plane to Europe.
5. The class _____ (take) an exam at 9:00 tomorrow morning.
6. Promise me you _____ (not / call) before 10; I hate being woken up early!
7. Sarah and Frank _____ (go) to the gym after work today.
8. You guys _____ (have) a great time in the Bahamas!
9. I _____ (sleep) when you arrive so please try to be quiet.
10. When she arrives at the school tomorrow, Michael _____ (teach) the B2 class, Alex _____ (administer) a test, and Denis _____ (probably, talk) to a new student.