

IL SIMPLE PRESENT E IL PRESENT CONTINUOUS CON VALORE DI FUTURO

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1 1 Alice isn't coming with us on Thursday. **2** What time do the matches begin? **3** I am taking an exam in October. **4** Susan is visiting her aunt on Sunday. **5** We aren't staying at home tonight. **6** What are you doing tomorrow evening? **7** The Spanish course starts on 15th January. **8** The plane for Montreal is taking off now.

2 1 leaves **2** is working **3** isn't having, is having
4 open **5** never gets **6** Is Darcey coming **7** start **8** is going

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3 1 is going **2** is having, is hanging **3** is assisting, are marking **4** is calling, is meeting **5** is driving, is going
6 is having, are shopping **7** are sleeping, is preparing **8** is taking

4 Free answer

5 Free answer

6 1 are you staying **2** am staying **3** start **4** Are you living **5** am sharing **6** stops **7** seems **8** am I having **9** are having **10** do the lessons begin

TRANSCRIPT 1.41

- ALICE Nicole, I am going to London next week for dance study at the London Bridge Studio. You went there last year, didn't you?
- NICOLE Yes, it was amazing! How long are you staying there?
- ALICE I am staying just for two months. I applied for the short programme because I must be back by the 9th September as my lessons at school start again on the 10th September!
- NICOLE Well, two months isn't long, but good all the same. Are you living in a flat?
- ALICE No, I am sharing a room with a Spanish girl in a residence near the school.
- NICOLE Well, I know it. It's in Southwark Street, in front of a bus stop. The bus stops there every 15 minutes, and you're near the Tube station of Southwark, too.
- ALICE It seems really perfect! How many hours of lessons am I having every day?
- NICOLE If I remember well, you are having six hours of lessons a day, three in the morning, then a short break and another three in the afternoon.
- ALICE What time do the lessons begin in the morning?
- NICOLE 10 a.m., so, don't worry, you can sleep more than when you go to school here!

12.2 Be GOING TO

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7 1 is going to fall
2 are going to kiss
3 are going to have
4 is going to fall
5 are going to have
6 is going to hit
7 are going to dive
8 are going to eat

8 1 intenzione **2** imminenza **3** deduzione **4** imminenza
5 imminenza / deduzione **6** intenzione / imminenza

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12.3 IL SIMPLE FUTURE

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- 11** **1** Come on, we'll miss the bus again! **2** It will snow in the mountains at the weekend. **3** Will they lose another match? **4** The boys will arrive in about 10 minutes. **5** Phil won't do anything to help you! **6** Shall I close the window in the kitchen? **7** He won't apologise for his behaviour. **8** Will Nora ever forgive her boyfriend?

- 12** **1** 'll, won't **2** won't, won't **3** will, 'll **4** will, won't **5** won't **6** will, will

- 13** **1** azione inevitabile **2** promessa **3** dubbio **4** richiesta formale **5** rifiuto **6** previsione soggettiva

- 14** *Free answers*

- 15** **1** we'll be **2** will be **3** shall we take **4** 'll definitely take **5** will you book **6** will be **7** shall we break **8** 'll be **9** 'll buy **10** will last

TRANSCRIPT 1.42

- NICKY OK, so let's plan our trip! Shall we leave early morning, say 8 o'clock?
 LUDO That means we'll be in the car during the hottest part of the day.
 NICKY Yes, but look at the weather forecast. It will be 22° in France tomorrow.
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 LUDO Sure, sounds good. Anywhere in mind?
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 LUDO Oh good, because the petrol and motorways in France are pricey!
 NICKY Yes, and in Switzerland we'll buy a motorway charge sticker. It's 40 Swiss Francs and it will last a year so we'll have it on the way back.
 LUDO Wow! This is an expensive trip!

12.4 Altri usi del *simple future*

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16 1 will build 2 is Lucio going to, will have 3 will move 4 doesn't want 5 are you going to do 6 get, I will call 7 are going to stay, want to paint 8 stops

17 1 we'll play 2 Will you have 3 We're going 4 she'll probably work 5 Sophia is going to apply 6 Simona is meeting 7 they'll understand 8 are your friends leaving

18 My Vocabulary in Progress – Work and Jobs

1 succeeds, will be 2 is going, will study, will work 3 is, will follow, will / shall we see 4 will buy, will spend 5 is applying / is going to apply, will have 6 will be, won't become, will act

architect = architetto

navy = marina *sailor* = marinaio *captain* = capitano

medicine = medicina *pediatrician* = pediatra *musician* = musicista *mechanic* =

meccanico *farm* = fattoria

lawyer = avvocato

judge = giudice

film star = star cinematografica

19 Free answers

12.5 Il futuro nelle frasi subordinate

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20. My Vocabulary in Progress – Hobbies and Leisure (

Variations possible) 1 The next time 2 unless 3 provided / provided that 4 In case 5 While 6 As soon as 7 till / until 8 When

barbecue = barbecue *charcoal* = carbonella *picnic* = picnic

club = club

member = socio

hang out = uscire a divertirsi

museum = museo

sightseeing tour = giro turistico

website = sito web

take pictures = fare foto *draw* = disegnare *campsite* =
campeggio

go on a cruise = andare in crociera *keep fit* = tenersi in forma fisica *go*

jogging = fare jogging

open-air sport = sport all'aria aperta

21 Free answers

22. 1 will be 2 will have 3 don't control 4 is going to introduce 5 Unless 6 say 7 shall I say 8 will find 9 'm going to sing 10 will like 11 as soon as 12 tell 13 keeps 14 Will I convince

23 Free answer

24. If the items arrive too late, we will send them back. 2 If you don't train hard, you won't win the race. 3 I don't know if my boss will give me a day off for my birthday. 4 As soon as Marina tells me if she is coming with us, I will call the travel agency and book the

flight. **5** Provided (that) you pay a deposit, you can hire a pair of skis for a week.

6 The chairman says he will not pay the players till / until they play better!

7 The next time you arrive late, I won't allow you to stay in the classroom and follow the lessons.

8 A The plumber is coming next week. **B** Next week? But it's Monday today!!! Dad will get angry when he knows that!

25.1 Può usare *Shall + I + forma base: Shall I mow the lawn?* **2** In inglese non si usa il doppio futuro quando si ha una principale e una subordinata (ipotetica o temporale). Il futuro si usa solo nella principale. Nella subordinata si usa il *simple present: I'll help you as soon as I get home. / You'll miss the bus if you don't hurry up.* **3** No, non ci va il futuro solo se *if* introduce una subordinata ipotetica *If you do it again, I'll punish you!*; se però introduce una dubitativa, allora ci va il *simple future: I wonder if you will ever forget him!*

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28.1 is going to happen **2** will change **3** Will we have **4** are developing **5** are going to launch **6** will succeed **7** Will we meet **8** exist **9** will want **10** will they get

29. TRANSCRIPT

HANNAH Hello, Giles. It's me, Hannah!

GILES Hi Hannah, what are you up to?

HANNAH Not much really, I'm studying for my Maths test next week.

GILES Really? When do you have it?

HANNAH Well, Mr Pollard says he is going to surprise us sometime next week.

GILES I see. I'm good at Maths. Do you want some help?

HANNAH Oh yes, please Giles! I'm not making any progress on my own.

GILES OK, I'll be round in about 15 minutes. I can't remember which house is yours.

HANNAH Thanks so much, Giles. I'll wait for you at the top of my road!

GILES Right, I'll see you in a bit!

30. 1 Look! The motorbike race is going to start!**2** Gloria is going to Dublin for an English course, but she doesn't know when. **3** I hope that doctors will find the right therapy to heal sclerosis. **4** Don't ask me to do it! I won't eat cabbage soup! **5** If you have some strawberries, I'll make a milkshake for you. **6 A** What time does the party begin? **B** It begins at 8 p.m., but I don't think everybody will arrive before 9 p.m. **7 A** I can't remember the phone number of the catering service. **B** I'll look it up on the Internet! **8 A** Shall we have dinner together tonight? **B** Yes, good idea! Will you pick me up? As soon as I get out of work, I'll call

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