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A recent report says that life (a) is going to change in the next twenty years mostly because of technology. People (b) will still live in a similar way: families and single people in houses and flats, although there (c) will be an increase in communal living arrangements. More people (d) is going to work all or part of the time from home using the Internet. The government has announced that it (e) is going to invest in public transport. The report says that as a result, many people (f) aren't going to use cars. The most noticeable changes are in entertainment and free time. With much improved home theatre in every home, films (g) will be available over the Internet, and most bands and musicians (h) are going to release albums to download. But most critics think that people (i) will never stop meeting in bars and restaurants: a chat on the Internet cannot replace a chat with friends

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 1

Next year, I'm going to visit my French penfriend. I think I will travel from London to Paris by train. I'm going to find a hostel in Paris for two nights and I'm going to do some sightseeing. After that, I'm going to catch the train to the south coast. My penfriend and her brother are going to meet me at the station and then we are going to drive to their house. I'm a bit nervous, I'm not going to speak English for two weeks!

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 2

1A Are you going to Rome next week? Do you know there's a train strike?

B Yes, I know. I'm going by car

2A Your hair is very long!

B Yes, I'm going to the hairdresser's at 4.30 this afternoon

3A Would you like to come to the cinema with me this evening?

B I'm sorry, I can't. I'm having dinner with a friend.

4A The computer isn't working. I can't pick up my emails.

B I know. I called the technician this morning. **He's fixing** tomorrow.

5A When are your colleagues coming for dinner? Tonight? But there's not food in the house!

B Don't panic! It's all under control. **I'm going to go** to the supermarket after work.

6A Have you sent the invitations?

B No, but **I'm going to send** them sometime this week.

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 3

1 Their flight to Paris **leaves** at 10.30 a.m.

2 They **arrive** in Paris at 12 noon.

3 Dinner on Day 1 **is** at 8 p.m.

4 On Day 2, they **have** a tour of Paris.

5 On Day 2 they **have** lunch at a special restaurant.

6 The musical on Day 2 **finishes** at 11 p.m.

7 On Day 3 they **are** free in the morning

8 The flight **lasts** 1 ½ hours.

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 4

1A What time **are we going to** leave tomorrow?

B Early. **The meeting starts** at 8.30 a.m.

2A What time **does the train leave**?

B In 15 minutes! I'm late!

3A **Will you go** on holiday in August?

B Yes, we always go to Rimini. In fact **we are going to book** the hotel this afternoon.

4A **The conference starts** on 22nd July.

B I know. I'm not going. I'm getting married on that day!

5A Alice's birthday will be next month.

B I know. She's decided she's having a party.

6A They are going to the cinema this evening.

B Yes, I know. But the film finishes at .30 p.m., so they are going to join us later.

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 5

1 Tomorrow morning I'm meeting Janet at 10.

2 Next Wednesday at 3 p.m. I'm having an appointment with Doctor Jones.

3 We are going to arrive 2 hours late this evening.

4 I'm not going to clean the house this evening. After dinner I'm going to read my book.

5 I won't go to school tomorrow. I feel ill.

6A When are you going on holiday?

B I leave on a flight to Paris at 8.30 tomorrow morning.

7 This course finishes in August. After that I'm going to sleep for a week!!

8 My mother is arriving today. I'm picking her up at 4.30 p.m. from the statio.

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 6

Annie: So Fiona, are you ready for your interview tomorrow?

Fiona: Well, I think so ... I'm a bit nervous ...

Annie: Don't worry. What time does it start?

Fiona: At 4. I'm taking the 3 o'clock train. I bought the ticket yesterday.

Annie: That was a good idea. How long does it take ?

Fiona: About half an hour. And then I'm going to get a taxi from the station.

Annie: Right. What time are you coming home?

Fiona: To be honest I don't know. I have no idea how long the interview last.

Annie: What are you doing tomorrow morning?

Fiona: Well, I'm having an appointment with ... my bed! I'm going to sleep all morning.

SUCCESS PAGINA 10 ESERCIZIO 7

1 My parents are leaving for Sharm el sheikh tomorrow. They are staying here for 3 weeks in a splendour hotel.

2 I'm not going to write her a letter.

3 I'm sorry, but I can't come to your marriage. I'm getting married the day after, too!

4 I will work next Sunday! There will be an important conference, but it finishes at 16.

5 Louisa and Joanna are taking the children to the zoo tomorrow. They are going to wake up early because the zoo opens at 8 o'clock.

6A What time does the concert start?

B It starts at 21 p.m., but I will get at 19 p.m.

