

Be Going To – Worksheet 1

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Exercise 1: Complete the sentences

Complete each sentence with the correct form of *be going to* and the verb in brackets.

Example: They ___ (travel) by train. → are going to travel

1. I _____ (visit) my grandparents this weekend.
2. Sara _____ (start) a new job in May.
3. We _____ (not / watch) TV tonight.
4. What _____ (you / do) after school?
5. My brother _____ (not / sell) his bike.
6. Be careful! You _____ (drop) those plates.
7. _____ (it / snow) tomorrow?

Exercise 2: Plans and predictions

Complete the sentences with a verb from the box. There are two extra verbs.

WORD BOX

rain miss fall buy learn have win paint

8. Look at those dark clouds. It's going to _____.
9. Hurry up! We're going to _____ the bus.
10. Tom has saved a lot of money. He's going to _____ a new laptop.
11. Be careful on that chair! You're going to _____.
12. Lena is going to _____ Spanish next year. She's already got the books.
13. The walls are very old. We're going to _____ them blue.

Exercise 3: Negatives and questions

Rewrite each sentence as a negative or a question, as shown in brackets.

Example: He is going to swim. (question) → Is he going to swim?

14. She is going to call you tonight. (negative)

15. They are going to move house. (question)

16. I am going to eat meat. (negative)

17. Ben is going to play football on Saturday. (question)

18. We are going to stay at a hotel. (negative)

19. You are going to wear that dress. (question)

20. It is going to be hot today. (question)

Exercise 4: Find the mistake

Each sentence has one mistake. Write the correct sentence.

Example: She going to read. → She is going to read.

21. I going to visit Paris next summer.

22. She is going to studies tonight.

23. Are going you to help me?

24. We not are going to come to the party.

25. He is going buy a new phone.

26. Is they going to take the train?

27. My parents is going to cook pasta.

Exercise 5: Put the words in order

Put the words in the correct order to make sentences or questions.

Example: going / he / to / is / sleep → He is going to sleep.

28. going / to / I / am / tennis / play / tomorrow

29. you / are / going / what / to / wear / ?

30. isn't / she / to / going / drive

31. going / they / to / are / get married / ?

32. where / going / we / to / are / stay / ?

33. not / going / I'm / to / give up

Exercise 6: What is going to happen?

Match each situation with the best sentence from the box. There is one extra sentence.

WORD BOX

It's going to rain. I'm going to paint my room. She's going to fly to Rome. It's going to fall.
I'm going to make a sandwich. He's going to go for a run. They're going to win the match.

34. The sky is very dark. → _____

35. I've bought some paint and brushes. → _____

36. Maria is at the airport with her suitcase and a ticket to Italy. → _____

37. The glass is at the edge of the table. → _____

38. I'm really hungry. → _____

39. Leo is putting on his running shoes. → _____

Answer key – Be Going To – Worksheet 1

Exercise 1: Complete the sentences

1. am going to visit

With I we use am + going to + base verb.

2. is going to start

With he, she and it we use is + going to + base verb.

3. are not going to watch

In the negative, we put not after are: are not / aren't going to.

4. are you going to do

In questions, are comes before the subject: are you going to + verb.

5. is not going to sell

The negative with he is is not / isn't going to.

6. are going to drop

We use be going to for a prediction when we can see something is about to happen.

7. Is it going to snow

In questions, is comes before it: Is it going to + verb?

Exercise 2: Plans and predictions

8. rain

Dark clouds are evidence, so we predict rain.

9. miss

We are late, so we predict that we will miss the bus.

10. buy

This is Tom's plan: he is going to buy a laptop.

11. fall

We can see the danger, so we predict a fall.

12. learn

This is Lena's plan for next year.

13. paint

This is a plan: we are going to paint the walls.

Exercise 3: Negatives and questions

14. She isn't going to call you tonight.

Put not after is: is not / isn't going to.

15. Are they going to move house?

Put are before the subject to make a question.

16. I'm not going to eat meat.

With I, the negative is am not / 'm not going to.

17. Is Ben going to play football on Saturday?

Put is before Ben to make a question.

18. We aren't going to stay at a hotel.

Put not after are: are not / aren't going to.

19. Are you going to wear that dress?

Put are before you to make a question.

20. Is it going to be hot today?

Put is before it to make a question.

Exercise 4: Find the mistake

21. I'm going to visit Paris next summer.

We need the verb be: I am / I'm going to.

22. She is going to study tonight.

After going to we use the base verb without -s.

23. Are you going to help me?

In questions, the subject comes straight after are.

24. We are not going to come to the party.

Not comes after are, not before it.

25. He is going to buy a new phone.

Don't forget to before the verb: going to buy.

26. Are they going to take the train?

With they we use are, not is.

27. My parents are going to cook pasta.

My parents is plural, so we use are.

Exercise 5: Put the words in order

28. I am going to play tennis tomorrow.

Subject + am + going to + verb + object + time.

29. What are you going to wear?

Question word + are + subject + going to + verb.

30. She isn't going to drive.

Subject + isn't + going to + verb.

31. Are they going to get married?

In a yes/no question, are comes first.

32. Where are we going to stay?

Question word + are + subject + going to + verb.

33. I'm not going to give up.

I'm + not + going to + verb.

Exercise 6: What is going to happen?

34. It's going to rain.

Dark sky is evidence for a prediction about rain.

35. I'm going to paint my room.

The paint shows the speaker's plan.

36. She's going to fly to Rome.

The airport and ticket show what she is going to do.

37. It's going to fall.

We can see the glass is about to fall.

38. I'm going to make a sandwich.

Being hungry leads to a plan to make food.

39. He's going to go for a run.

Running shoes show what Leo is going to do.

Notes for teachers: Start by showing a picture of dark clouds and asking what will happen next, then elicit 'It's going to rain.' Write the form on the board: am/is/are + going to + base verb. Common mistakes are leaving out the verb be (I going to...), adding -s or -ing to the main verb, leaving out 'to', and putting words in the wrong order in questions. As a follow-up, learners can interview a partner about their plans for the weekend and then tell the class.