

Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

GRAMMAR

- Write affirmative (+) or negative (-) sentences, and questions (?). Use *will* or *won't*.
 - people / meet face-to-face in the future (-)
People won't meet face-to-face in the future.
 - they / make phone calls (+)
They'll/They will make phone calls.
 - we / understand other languages. (+)
We'll/We will understand other languages.
 - students / have school online (?)
Will students have school online?
 - things / be the same (-)
Things won't be the same.
 - we / use video chat. (+)
We'll/We will use video chat.
 - I / become famous (?)
Will I become famous?
 - Children / go to school in the summer (+)
Children will go to school in the summer.
 - Gus / be come for lunch today (-)
Gus won't come for lunch today.
 - Sandra / call us later (?)
Will Sandra call us later?

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- Complete the sentences with the correct form of *be going to*.
 - Maria 's/is going to take guitar lessons.
 - Our school 's/is going to use virtual communication in the future.
 - My brothers are going to cook.
 - I 'm/am going to use emojis.
 - Tim and Ava are going to text us later.
 - They 're/ are going to talk with the teacher face-to-face.
 - You 're/are going to meet me here at 3 p.m.
 - She 's/is going to play the piano at the concert.
 - He 's/is going to bring pizza to the party.
 - The teacher 's/is going to collect our tests.

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VOCABULARY

- Circle the correct option.
 - I prefer video / language chat, when people can see me.
 - Many people prefer face-to-face / call communication.
 - We can't make phone calls / texts at school.
 - There are many options for virtual communication / message.
 - Let's hang out tomorrow. I'll *communicate* / text you after school.
 - I left you a *language* / message on your desk.
 - Teresa can write in three languages / emojis.
 - You can use *face-to-face* / emojis to show emotions.
 - How do you prefer to communicate / language?
 - Let's have a video chat / text tomorrow.

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- Complete the sentences with the words below.

debate describe explain say speak
spoke tell told translate translated

- What did you say? Could you repeat that, please?
- The teacher told us the exam is tomorrow.
- They spoke in German. I didn't understand them.
- Could you translate this message into English for me, please?
- I won't debate this topic with you. I need to know more about it.
- Give details. Use adjectives to describe the object.
- Please explain your opinion. Give reasons.
- He translated the poem into Portuguese for us.
- My aunt can speak Chinese very well.
- I can't tell you the plan. It's a surprise!

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READING

5 Read the article.

Cars of the Future

Many people need cars to travel. Will this change in the future?

No Pollution!

Most people's cars use gasoline. Millions of these cars cause a lot of pollution. Cars of the future won't pollute the environment. They'll use electricity from solar energy.

No Driver?

Cars without a driver already exist, but in the future, they will be common. In their cars, people will watch movies, read the news, or eat breakfast on their way to work! Buses, trains, and taxis won't have drivers.

"Talking" Cars

Some cars have the ability to communicate with other cars. This is not common today, but it will be! Cars will connect with other cars around them to avoid accidents. But cars won't talk like people do. They'll give information about their speed and direction. Travel will be a lot safer.

How will these things change our lives?

Match (1–5) with (a–e).

- 1 Right now, most cars c
- 2 Cars of the future d
- 3 Buses, trains and taxis won't e
- 4 Cars will send information a
- 5 Cars will be safer, but b

- a to other cars around them.
- b they won't talk like people do.
- c cause a lot of pollution.
- d will use solar energy.
- e need drivers.

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6 Write T (true) or F (false) next to the statements.

- 1 Today, most people's cars use solar energy. F
- 2 There will be more electric cars in the future. T
- 3 Cars without drivers will be common in the future. T
- 4 Right now, lots of cars can communicate with other cars. F
- 5 In the future, there won't be as many car accidents as today. T

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WRITING

7 Read the opinion paragraph.

Will communication be different in ten years?

In my opinion, communication won't be very different ten years from now. **Here is the reason.**

We will use better technology, but we will do the same things. People will still make calls, send texts, and write emails. They will upload photos, send messages and write blog posts like we do now.

To conclude, people's communication habits won't be very different ten years from now. We'll only have better technology.

Circle the correct option.

The writer thinks ...

- 1 communication *will* / *won't* be very different in the future.
- 2 technology will be *better* / *worse* in the future.
- 3 people *will* / *won't* do the same things.

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8 Write an opinion paragraph with the title: *Will communication be different in 25 years?*

Remember to ...

- introduce your opinion
- give a reason and examples to support your opinion
- write a closing sentence, rephrasing your opinion
- use the phrases **in bold** in the text in Exercise 7.

Students' own answers

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