

PREDICTIONS

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Weather forecast

Look at the pictures of weather conditions and check the predictions for the next days:



Next Monday will be a sunny day.



It will be a warm day tomorrow.



Next week we will have rainy days

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Predictions

When we make predictions about the future we often use "will". For example when there's no firm plan and we say what we think will happen.

Examples:

- It will rain tomorrow. (affirmative)
- I will have a good job in 5 years. (affirmative)
- People will not (won't) go to Jupiter before the 22nd century. (negative)
- What will he say next? (interrogative)



Predictions

These are some common words you can use when making predictions:

Prediction	Percentage of chance or probability	
It will definitely rain.	100% chance of rain	
It will probably rain.	80% chance of rain	
It will possibly rain.	50% chance of rain	
It probably won't rain.	20 % chance of rain	
It definitely won't rain.	0% chance of rain	

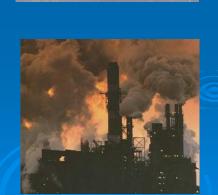
Note: Notice the position of these words, after will but before won't (will not)

Predictions

You can also use the expressions "I think... | I guess..." at the beginning of the sentence when making predictions about the future:

Examples:

- -I think it will snow next Christmas. (Creo que nevará la próxima Navidad)
- -I guess pollution will get worse in 10 years. (Supongo que la contaminación empeorará en 10 años)



Exercise

(Answer it on your notebook)

I. ¿What will your life be like in 2025?
Write 5 predictions about your life in 10 years.

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2		
3		
4.		
5.		



When you report your self-evaluation ask a teacher / counsellor to help you to check your answers.