Future Tense Guide Plans, Predictions, and Schedules

1. Going to (Plans and Intentions)

Usage:

- Definite plans: "I'm going to buy a house"
- Future intentions: "I'm going to start exercising"
- Decisions made before speaking: "We're going to move next month"
- Evidence-based predictions: "Look at those clouds! It's going to rain"

2. Will (Predictions and Spontaneous Decisions)

Usage:

- · General predictions: "I think robots will replace some jobs"
- Spontaneous decisions: "I'll start my diet tomorrow"
- Promises: "I'll help you move"
- Future facts: "The sun will rise at 6 AM tomorrow"

3. Present Continuous (Fixed Arrangements)

Usage:

- Fixed arrangements: "I'm moving into my new apartment on the 15th"
- Scheduled events: "We're having a meeting at 2 PM"
- Personal arrangements: "I'm seeing the doctor next week"
- Travel plans: "We're flying to Paris next month"

Common Time Expressions:

tomorrow • next week • in the future • soon • later • tonight • next month • in [time period]

Listen and complete the sentences about the future.

Examples: PLAN: She is moving to a new place / going to find accommodation PREDICTION: I think she will rent an apartment SCHEDULE: I have to make a decision today



1. So I'ma new apartment.



2. I'm quite sure that people......work in 2050.



3. The deadline is tomorrow. I don't think.....



4. I retire in 10 years.



7. I'm going to.....



10. I'm quite sure robots......workers.



5. I.....soon.



8. into.....



11. my diet.....



6.probablyagain.



9. I'm definitely



12. I on the 22nd.