



Use

- We use **will** and **won't** to make predictions and guesses about the future.

- **Will** Anna fail the test tomorrow?

- 'No, she **won't**. She'll pass the test easily. She's working hard today!'



- We often use **I think** or **I don't think** when we make predictions.

'It's very sunny this morning.

***I don't think** it **will** rain this afternoon.*

***I think** the weather **will** be nice.'*

Form

- We can use **will** to make positive predictions:
Subject + **will** + verb.

will (+)			
Subject	will	verb	
I			
You			
He / She / It	will	be	late for school.
We			
They			

Tip

In spoken English, we often use 'll, the short form of *will*, after pronouns (*I, you, he, she, it, we, they*):

*She will win the competition. → **She'll** win the competition.*

*They will be late. → **They'll** be late.*

- We can use **won't** to make negative predictions:
Subject + **won't** + verb.

won't (-)			
Subject	won't	verb	
I			
You			
He / She / It	won't	be	late for school.
We			
They			

Tip

Won't is the short form of *will not*.

We usually use the short form in spoken English, but we sometimes use the full form in writing.



Tip

The form of *will* and *won't* is the same for all subjects.
We don't add -s with *he / she / it*:

*The bus **will arrive** soon.*

(NOT ~~The bus wills arrive soon.~~)

We don't use *to* with the verb after *will* and *won't*:

*Sarah **won't be** late. (NOT ~~Sarah won't to be late.~~)*

- We form **yes / no questions with will** like this:

Will + subject + verb?

yes / no questions			
Will	subject	verb	
Will	I you he / she / it we they	be	late for school?

- We usually answer **yes / no questions** with short answers:

Short answers					
Positive (+)			Negative (-)		
Yes,	I you he / she / it we they	will.	No,	I you he / she / it we they	won't.

Tip

We don't use the short form of *will* in positive short answers:

'Will your sister be at home tomorrow?'

*'Yes, **she will.**' (NOT ~~'Yes, she'll.'~~)*

- We form **wh- questions with will** like this:

Question word + will + subject + verb?

Wh- questions			
Question word	will	subject	verb
When	will	I you he / she / it we they	arrive?