

# Future Tense with *Will*—Yes-No and *Wh* Questions with Short Answers

Use *will* in questions to ask about the future.

Yes-No Questions				Short Answers
Will	you	be home tonight?		<b>Correct:</b> Yes, I will. No, I won't. <b>Incorrect:</b> Yes, I'll.
Wh Questions				Short Answers
Where	will	you	be?	At a party.
Who	will	you	go with?	My friends.
How	will	you	get there?	By bus.
Why	will	you	take the bus?	Because we don't want to walk.
When	will	the party	start?	About 8:00.
What time	will	you	come home?	Around 11:00.

Special WHO Question—Use “*Who will + verb*” when you want to know *WHO* will do something. In these sentences, *who* is the subject.

**Who will** drive?    **Who will** be there?    **Who will** make dinner?



**A** Katie and Jamie are asking their mother for permission to go to a party. Listen to the conversation and fill in the blanks with the words you hear.



- Katie: Mom, can we go to a party on Saturday night?  
 Mom: (1.) Where will..... it be?  
 Katie: At Sara's house.  
 Mom: (2.) ..... it be?  
 Katie: I think it'll be around 7:30 or 8:00 to midnight.  
 Mom: (3.) ..... there?  
 Jamie: Our friends from school.  
 Mom: (4.) ..... Sara's parents be home?  
 Katie: Uh-huh.  
 Mom: Well, you and Jamie can go, but you need to be home by 11:00.  
 Jamie: But mom...the party won't be over!  
 Mom: Midnight is too late. (5.) ..... you get there?  
 Jamie: We'll take the bus.  
 Mom: OK. But remember—you need to be home by 11:00!

**B** Write each set of words in the correct order to make a question. Then use your imagination to answer the questions.

1. take/what/you/party/the/will/to Q: What will you take to the party?  
A: I'll take flowers.
2. do/party/at/you/what/the/will Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_
3. birthday/be/will/it/a/party Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_
4. be/who/party/the/will/at Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_
5. dinner/eat/you/there/will Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_
6. me/party/to/will/take/you/the Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_
7. home/when/come/will/you Q: \_\_\_\_\_  
A: \_\_\_\_\_



### C Chant

#### Party Plans

Who'll be at the party?  
I don't know.

Will Jill be there?  
I think so.

Will you bring Jack?  
Yes, I will.

Will you come with us?  
No, we're riding with Bill.

Will Mary be there?  
I think she will.  
She'll probably come with her boyfriend Phil.

What will you wear?  
A sweater and jeans.  
It's St. Patrick's Day  
We'll all be in green.

