

Language focus

The future tense

We use the **future tense** to talk about what is going to happen.

The future tense is made up of two words.

The first word is often **will**.

I/We		wait	for the rain to stop.
You/They	will	wear	a sunhat.
He/She/It		be	cloudy today.

Sometimes you can use **is/are going to** instead of **will**.

Examples: It **will** rain this afternoon.

It **is going to rain** this afternoon.

1. Copy and complete the sentences using the correct tense in brackets.
 - (a) Tomorrow it (**is/was/will be**) sunny.
 - (b) Yesterday it (**is/was/will be**) windy.
 - (c) Today it (**is/was/will be**) cloudy.
 - (d) This afternoon it (**is raining/rained/will rain**).
 - (e) It (**is/was/will be**) sunny at the moment.
 - (f) It (**is/was/is going**) to be hot later on.
 - (g) We (**are/were/ are going**) to wait for the rain to stop.

Countable and uncountable nouns

Countable nouns are things we **can count** easily. For example: **map, sunhat**.

Uncountable nouns are things we **cannot count**. For example: **sunlight, rain**.

Uncountable nouns do not use **a** or **an**.

You can use **the** or **some** with uncountable nouns.

2. Three of the sentences below are not correct. Rewrite them correctly.
 - (a) There is a weather map in the newspaper today.
 - (b) A rain started last night.
 - (c) I bought a sunhat.
 - (d) I enjoy lying in a sunlight.
 - (e) This is an empty bottle.
 - (f) There is a water in the glass.