**Monday May 18, 2020**

**Future Be Going To**

The future simple **be going to** has two functions:

1. To describe the future intentions or plans.
2. To make predictions

We use **be going to** when we describe something we intend to do.

We also use **be going to** when making predictions about the near future that are based on present evidence rather than our opinion. When we talk about things that we are less certain about, we generally use **will**, not **be going to**.

**Affirmative:**

**Subject + simple present form of be + going to + verb in basic (present) + complement + .**

Verb **to be** in present simple:

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| I | **am** | going to study for the English evaluation. |
| HeSheIt | **is** | going to study for the English evaluation. |
| YouWeThey | **are** | going to study for the English evaluation. |

**Examples:**

1. Shakira/sing

Shakira is going to sing in a virtual concert.

1. We/wash

We are going to wash our hands more often.

**Practice:**

Use the examples and the formulas to write your own affirmative sentences in the future simple be going to. You can either write them in the computer or in your notebook.

1. The dog/bark

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1. Children/play

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1. Birds/fly

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1. I/eat

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1. Ben/call

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