



Future Continuous: Negative Sentences

Fill in the blank with the correct option.

- I ___ TV at 10 pm. I'll be asleep.
a) won't be watching
b) am not watching
c) won't watch
d) don't watch
- At 8 pm tomorrow, she ___ at the party. She has other plans.
a) doesn't come
b) won't be coming
c) hasn't come
d) didn't come
- This time on Saturday, they ___ the house. They'll be on holiday.
a) don't clean
b) didn't clean
c) won't be cleaning
d) haven't cleaned
- We ___ in the meeting at 3 pm. We have a doctor's appointment.
a) won't sit
b) don't sit
c) aren't sitting
d) won't be sitting
- At 8 am tomorrow, he ___ his car. It's at the garage.
a) won't be driving
b) doesn't drive
c) hasn't driven
d) didn't drive
- At midnight, the children ___. They'll be fast asleep.
a) don't play
b) won't be playing
c) aren't playing
d) won't play
- At dinner time this evening, I ___ coffee. I need to sleep well tonight.
a) am not drinking
b) don't drink
c) won't be drinking
d) didn't drink
- The shop ___ at 9 pm. It closes at 8 pm.
a) doesn't operate
b) won't operate
c) isn't operating
d) won't be operating
- While the exam is in progress, I ___ my phone.
a) won't be using
b) am not using
c) haven't used
d) don't use
- At this time next Monday, the workers ___ on the site. It's a public holiday.
a) don't work
b) won't be working
c) haven't worked
d) didn't work
- At noon tomorrow, I ___ lunch at the office. I have a meeting outside.
a) don't eat
b) am not eating
c) won't be eating
d) won't eat

12. While we're flying, the baby ____ . She loves planes!
a) doesn't cry
b) hasn't cried
c) didn't cry
d) won't be crying
13. This time next week, we ____ in the cold. We'll be on a tropical island!
a) won't be shivering
b) don't shiver
c) aren't shivering
d) won't shiver
14. He ____ the report at 5 pm. He finishes work at 4 pm.
a) doesn't write
b) won't be writing
c) isn't writing
d) won't write
15. This time next winter, the birds ____ here. They migrate south.
a) didn't sing
b) haven't sung
c) won't be singing
d) hadn't sung
16. While the presentation is going on, I ____ my email.
a) didn't check
b) don't check
c) am not checking
d) won't be checking
17. At this time in July, the students ____ classes. It's the summer break.
a) won't be attending
b) haven't attended
c) didn't attend
d) hadn't attended
18. At 6 am, most people ____ . They'll still be in bed.
a) don't exercise
b) won't be exercising
c) aren't exercising
d) won't exercise
19. At this time next month, the factory ____ anything. It's closing for renovations.
a) hasn't produced
b) doesn't produce
c) won't be producing
d) didn't produce
20. Don't call at 2 pm. I ____ any calls then.
a) don't take
b) am not taking
c) won't take
d) won't be taking



Answers

1. a) won't be watching
2. b) won't be coming
3. c) won't be cleaning
4. d) won't be sitting
5. a) won't be driving
6. b) won't be playing
7. c) won't be drinking
8. d) won't be operating
9. a) won't be using
10. b) won't be working
11. c) won't be eating
12. d) won't be crying
13. a) won't be shivering
14. b) won't be writing
15. c) won't be singing
16. d) won't be checking
17. a) won't be attending
18. b) won't be exercising
19. c) won't be producing
20. d) won't be taking



Explanations

1. “won't be watching” (a)

Use 'won't be + -ing' for a negative Future Continuous. The action of watching TV will NOT be happening at 10 pm.

2. “won't be coming” (b)

'At 8 pm tomorrow' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be coming' (Future Continuous negative) shows the action will not be in progress at that time.

3. “won't be cleaning” (c)

'This time on Saturday' points to a specific future moment. 'Won't be cleaning' (Future Continuous negative) shows cleaning will not be in progress then.

4. “won't be sitting” (d)

Future Continuous negative: they will not be in the meeting at that time.

5. “won't be driving” (a)

'At 8 am tomorrow' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be driving' (Future Continuous negative) shows driving will not be in progress at that time.

6. “won't be playing” (b)

At midnight, playing will not be in progress; sleep will be.

7. “won't be drinking” (c)

'At dinner time this evening' specifies a future moment. 'Won't be drinking' (Future Continuous negative) shows coffee drinking will not be in progress at that time.

8. “won't be operating” (d)

By 9 pm, the shop will not be operating because it closes earlier.

9. “won't be using” (a)

'While the exam is in progress' describes an ongoing future period. 'Won't be using' (Future Continuous negative) shows phone use will not be happening during that time.

10. “won't be working” (b)

'At this time next Monday' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be working' (Future Continuous negative) shows work will not be in progress then.

11. “won't be eating” (c)

Eating at the office won't be happening because of the outside meeting.

12. “won't be crying” (d)

'While we're flying' describes an ongoing future period. 'Won't be crying' (Future Continuous negative) shows crying will not be in progress during that time.

13. “won't be shivering” (a)

Shivering will not be happening because they'll be somewhere warm.

14. “won't be writing” (b)

By 5 pm, he will have left work, so writing won't be in progress.

15. “won't be singing” (c)

'This time next winter' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be singing' (Future Continuous negative) shows the birds will not be singing here at that point because they migrate.

16. “won't be checking” (d)

'While the presentation is going on' describes an ongoing future period. 'Won't be checking' (Future Continuous negative) shows email checking will not be in progress during that time.

17. “won't be attending” (a)

'At this time in July' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be attending' (Future Continuous negative) shows class attendance will not be in progress during the summer break.

18. “won't be exercising” (b)

At 6 am, exercising won't be happening for most people.

19. “won't be producing” (c)

'At this time next month' specifies a precise future moment. 'Won't be producing' (Future Continuous negative) shows production will not be in progress during renovations.

20. “won't be taking” (d)

Taking calls will not be possible at 2 pm.