



12. The children are going to grandma's house this afternoon. They \_\_\_\_ a great time! (prediction)
- a) have  
b) will have  
c) had  
d) will be having
13. "\_\_\_\_ you be attending the conference next week?"
- a) Will  
b) Do  
c) Are  
d) Have
14. In an hour's time, it \_\_\_\_ heavily. Look at those dark clouds.
- a) rains  
b) will be raining  
c) has rained  
d) rained
15. "Will you be \_\_\_\_ the report by email or in person?"
- a) send  
b) sent  
c) sending  
d) sends
16. The restaurant is closed. The staff \_\_\_\_ home by now.
- a) go  
b) are going  
c) will go  
d) will be going
17. "Will you be \_\_\_\_ any time off next month?"
- a) taking  
b) take  
c) took  
d) taken
18. If you call Dad this afternoon, he \_\_\_\_ in the garden. (prediction about ongoing activity)
- a) works  
b) will be working  
c) has worked  
d) worked
19. "I \_\_\_\_ in the area tomorrow. Shall we meet for coffee?"
- a) work  
b) have worked  
c) will be working  
d) will work
20. It's exam season. The students \_\_\_\_ hard at this very moment, I'm sure.
- a) will study  
b) study  
c) have studied  
d) will be studying



## Answers

1. a) Will
2. b) will be sleeping
3. c) going
4. d) will be sitting
5. a) using
6. b) will be putting
7. c) Will
8. d) will be asking
9. a) passing
10. b) will be sleeping
11. c) coming
12. d) will be having
13. a) Will
14. b) will be raining
15. c) sending
16. d) will be going
17. a) taking
18. b) will be working
19. c) will be working
20. d) will be studying



# Explanations

## 1. “Will” (a)

Future Continuous questions with 'Will you be...?' are used for polite inquiries about someone's plans.

## 2. “will be sleeping” (b)

We use Future Continuous to predict what someone is probably doing based on the time.

## 3. “going” (c)

Polite inquiry about planned route: Will you be going past...?

## 4. “will be sitting” (d)

Predicting what someone is probably doing right now.

## 5. “using” (a)

A polite way to ask about someone's plans before making a request.

## 6. “will be putting” (b)

'At 8 pm' points to a specific future time. 'Will be putting' (Future Continuous) predicts an expected activity that will be in progress at that moment.

## 7. “Will” (c)

'Will you be needing...?' is a polite way to offer assistance.

## 8. “will be asking” (d)

'When we walk in late' sets a specific future moment. 'Will be asking' (Future Continuous) describes the action that will be in progress at that point.

## 9. “passing” (a)

Polite inquiry before making a small request.

## 10. “will be sleeping” (b)

We use Future Continuous to predict what people are doing based on the time zone.

## 11. “coming” (c)

A polite way to ask about someone's evening plans.

## 12. “will be having” (d)

Future Continuous 'will be having' is used to predict an activity that will be in progress this afternoon. The children haven't arrived yet, so we predict what will be happening.

## 13. “Will” (a)

Polite inquiry about future plans.

## 14. “will be raining” (b)

'In an hour's time' specifies a future moment when the rain will be in progress. 'Will be raining' (Future Continuous) describes the ongoing action at that point.

## 15. “sending” (c)

Polite inquiry about how something will be done.

## 16. “will be going” (d)

Predicting what the staff are probably doing right now.

**17. “taking” (a)**

Polite inquiry about vacation plans.

**18. “will be working” (b)**

'If you call this afternoon' sets a future time frame. 'Will be working' (Future Continuous) predicts an activity that will be in progress at that time.

**19. “will be working” (c)**

Future Continuous 'will be working' is used to mention a plan already in progress as background context for a suggestion. It sounds natural and polite.

**20. “will be studying” (d)**

Future Continuous 'will be studying' is used to predict what is probably happening right now based on context. The speaker is making a confident prediction about an ongoing activity at this moment.