Future Simple:
Will: Questions & Short Answers

Fill in the blank with the correct option.

1. ___ you help me with this box?
   a) Will
   c) Are
   b) Do
   d) Have

2. ___ she come to the meeting tomorrow?
   a) Does
   c) Is
   b) Will
   d) Has

3. ___ the last train to London leave at 10:45?
   a) Will
   c) Is
   b) Does
   d) Did

4. Will you be at home tonight? — Yes, I ___.
   a) am
   c) have
   b) do
   d) will

5. Will they join us for dinner? — No, they ___.
   a) won't
   c) aren't
   b) don't
   d) haven't

6. What ___ you do after graduation?
   a) do
   c) are
   b) will
   d) have

7. ___ she going to apply for the scholarship this year?
   a) Will
   c) Does
   b) Is
   d) Has

8. When ___ the concert start?
   a) will
   c) is
   b) was
   d) has

9. ___ your brother coming to the wedding? He told me he'd already booked a flight.
   a) Will
   c) Is
   b) Does
   d) Has

10. The roads will be closed tomorrow. How ___ we get to the airport?
    a) was
    c) will
    b) are
    d) were

11. Will it rain tomorrow? — I think it ___.
    a) will
    c) is
    b) does
    d) has

12. Will your parents be angry? — No, they ___.
   a) don't   b) won't
   c) aren't   d) haven't

13. ___ he finish the project on time?
   a) Does   b) Is
   c) Has   d) Will

14. ___ you going to tell your boss that you're looking for a new job?
   a) Will   b) Are
   c) Do   d) Have

15. Why ___ she leave so early tomorrow?
   a) will   b) does
   c) is   d) has

16. Will the shop be open? — Yes, it ___.
   a) does   b) is
   c) will   d) has

17. According to the timetable, ___ the next express bus arrive at 14:20 or 14:40?
   a) will   b) does
   c) is   d) did

18. Will you remember to call me? — Of course I ___.
   a) do   b) am
   c) have   d) will

19. What time ___ the guests arrive tomorrow?
   a) do   b) are
   c) will   d) have

20. Will he pass the test? — Yes, I'm sure he ___.
   a) will   b) does
   c) is   d) has

Answers

1. a) Will

2. b) Will

3. b) Does

4. d) will

5. a) won't

6. b) will

7. b) Is

8. a) will

9. c) Is

10. c) will

11. a) will

12. b) won't

13. d) Will

14. b) Are

15. a) will

16. c) will

17. b) does

18. d) will

19. c) will

20. a) will

Explanations

1. "Will" (a)
Start Yes/No questions with 'Will' + subject + base verb.

2. "Will" (b)
Use 'Will' at the beginning to form future questions.

3. "Does" (b)
For fixed transport timetables, use present simple, not 'will'. Departure times are scheduled facts, not predictions — so 'Does ... leave' is correct.

4. "will" (d)
Short answers with 'will' use: Yes, + subject + will.

5. "won't" (a)
Negative short answers use: No, + subject + won't.

6. "will" (b)
Wh-questions: Wh-word + will + subject + base verb.

7. "Is" (b)
Use 'Is ... going to' when asking about a pre-existing plan or intention. Compare: 'Will she apply?' (prediction/on-the-spot) vs 'Is she going to apply?' (asking about a plan she already has).

8. "will" (a)
Use 'will' after 'When' to ask about future events: When will + subject + base verb.

9. "Is" (c)
Use present continuous ('Is ... coming') for confirmed personal arrangements. A booked flight signals a fixed plan — present continuous is more natural than 'will' for arrangements already in place.

10. "will" (c)
Use 'will' in How-questions about future actions. The future context (tomorrow) makes 'will' the correct choice.

11. "will" (a)
Use 'will' in the answer when confirming a future prediction.

12. "won't" (b)
Use 'won't' for negative short answers to will-questions.

13. "Will" (d)
Start future Yes/No questions with 'Will'.

14. "Are" (b)
Use 'Are you going to' to ask about someone's intention or existing plan. Compare: 'Will you tell him?' (a request) vs 'Are you going to tell him?' (asking about a decision they've already made).

15. "will" (a)
Use 'will' after 'Why' for questions about future reasons. The word 'tomorrow' makes the future context clear.

16. "will" (c)
Short affirmative answers: Yes, + subject + will.

17. "does" (b)
For scheduled times listed in a timetable, use present simple. 'According to the timetable' signals these are fixed facts, not predictions — so 'does ... arrive' is correct.

18. "will" (d)
Use 'will' to confirm a future promise or action.

19. "will" (c)
Use 'will' in questions about specific future times. 'Tomorrow' clearly establishes the future context.

20. "will" (a)
Use 'will' to give a confident affirmation in response to a 'Will...?' question: Yes, I'm sure he will.