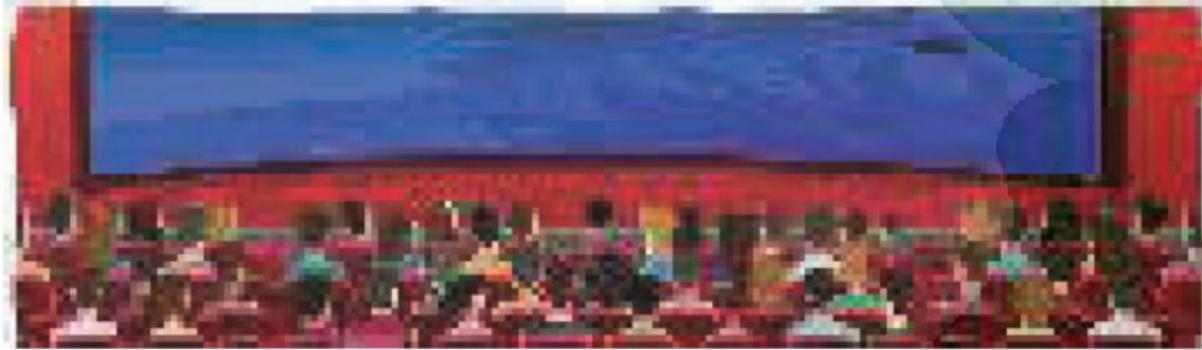


TÌNH HUỐNG







half an hour from now

three hours from now

These people are standing in a queue to get into the cinema.

* Half an hour from now, the cinema will be full. Everyone will be watching the film.

Three hours from now, the cinema will be empty. The film will have finished. Everyone will have gone home.

B

WILL BE DOING – THÌ TƯƠNG LAI TIẾP DIỄN

- ❖ I will be doing something (future continuous) = I will be in the middle of doing it:
 - EX1: This time next week I'll be on holiday. I'll be lying on the beach or swimming in the sea.
 - EX2: You have no chance of getting the job. You'll be wasting your time if you apply.
- Compare will be (do)ing and will (do):
 - EX3: Don't phone between 7 and 8. We'll be eating.
 - EX4: Let's wait for Liz to arrive and then we'll eat.

Compare:

- EX5: At 10 o'clock yesterday, Tina was in her off ice. She was working. (past continuous)
- EX6: It's 10 o'clock now. She is in her off ice. She is working. (present continuous)
- EX7: At 10 o'clock tomorrow, she will be in her office. She will be working. (future continuous)

C

WILL BE DOING FOR COMPLETE ACTION IN THE FUTURE

- ❖ We also use will be -ing to talk about complete actions in the future.
 - EX8: The government will be making a statement about the crisis later today.
 - EX9: Later in the program, I'll be talking to the Minister of Education.
 - EX10: The team's star player is injured and won't be playing in the game on Saturday.

When we use it in this way, will be (doing) is similar to will (do) and going to (do).

Later in the programme, I'll be talking to ...





WILL BE DOING v.s WILL HAVE DONE

D

- ❖ I will have done something (future perfect) = it will be complete before a time in the future.
 - EX11: Sally always leaves for work at 8.30 in the morning. She won't be at home at 9 o'clock she'll have gone to work.
 - EX12: We're late. The film will already have started by the time we get to the cinema.

Compare:

- EX13: Ted and Amy have been married for 24 years. (present perfect)
- EX14: Next year they will have been married for 25 years. (future perfect)
- EX15: When their son was born, they had been married for three years. (past perfect)



BÀI TẬP NHANH

Select the option which best completes the sentences below:

Sarah will meet you at the station. She ____ for you when you arrive.

- A. will wait
- B. will have waited
- C. is waiting
- D.) will be waiting



TÓM TẮT

- 1. Thì tương lai tiếp diễn (future continuous) diễn tả một hành động sẽ đang xảy ra tại một thời điểm trong tương lai This time next week I'll be on holiday. I'll be lying on the beach or swimming in the sea.
- 2. Cấu trúc thì tương lai tiếp diễn là Subject + will be + V -ing
- 3. Khi nói về những hành động tại những thời điểm **không xác định trong tương lai**, chúng ta có thể dùng thì tương lai tiếp diễn, tương lai thường, hoặc am/is/are going to Don't worry! She'll be coming soon
- 4. Thì tương lai hoàn thành (future perfect) diễn tả một hành động sẽ được hoàn thành trước một thời điểm hoặc một sự kiện trong tương lai We're late. The film will already have started by the time we get to the cinema.
- 5. Cấu trúc thì tương lai hoàn thành là Subject + will have + past participle