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Exercise 8

Review of Simple Future Tense

Fill in the spaces with the correct form of the verb in parentheses in simple future tense.

Note: In this exercise, all three ways of forming the simple future tense are used. Watch for negatives and adverbs, too.

Thomas (graduate) _____⁽¹⁾ from college next month. He is trying to study for final exams, but he is thinking a lot about his vacation plans.

He (travel) _____⁽²⁾ to England for a month this summer. His plane (leave) _____⁽³⁾ on June 14th, and (fly) _____⁽⁴⁾ from Boston to Gatwick International Airport in London.

Thomas decides that he (quickly, call) _____⁽⁵⁾ his mother, Joan.

Thomas: Hi, Mom.

Joan: Thomas! Hi! I thought you would be busy with finals.

Thomas: Well, I am, but I want to talk to you a little about England.

Joan: Sure, okay.

Thomas: Before I go sightseeing in London, I (visit) _____
_____⁽⁶⁾ the town of Edenbridge, where my cousins live.

Joan: Great! That (be) _____⁽⁷⁾ fun. It (not, be) _____⁽⁸⁾ hard to get to Edenbridge. It is southeast of London. From the airport, you (ride) _____
_____⁽⁹⁾ a British Rail train to Victoria Station. Another train (take) _____
_____⁽¹⁰⁾ you to Edenbridge.

Thomas: That sounds easy. I looked at the town's website. Edenbridge is called "The Garden of Kent." I (stay) _____⁽¹¹⁾ in an old manor house which has been made into an inn. The gardens there are beautiful, and there is a pool.

Joan: Perfect. I bet that you (swim) _____⁽¹²⁾ in that pool! Have you contacted your cousin, Will?

Thomas: Yes, we plan to meet early on Saturday. Then, we (tour) _____
_____⁽¹³⁾ Hever Castle, the Great Stone Bridge, and the ancient Parish Church.

Joan: What fun. This is a trip that you (never, forget) _____⁽¹⁴⁾ !
Now, You had better go study so you (not, fail) _____⁽¹⁵⁾ your exams.

