



**Future Perfect:** is a verb tense used to describe an action that will be completed before a specific point in the future. It's formed by using the future tense of the auxiliary verb **"will"** combined with **"have"** and the **past participle** of the main verb.

### Structure:

**Subject + will + have + past participle**

### Examples:

- By 5 p.m., I will have finished my homework.
- They will have left by the time we arrive.
- By next year, she will have graduated from college.

### Use of the Future Perfect:

- To show that an action will be completed before a future time:
  - \* By the time you arrive, I will have completed the project.
- To indicate the result of an action at a specific future moment:
  - \*By next week, they will have repaired the car.

In the future perfect tense, the negative and interrogative forms are constructed slightly differently from the affirmative form. Let's go through both.

### Negative Form (Future Perfect)

To make a future perfect sentence negative, we add **"not"** after **"will"**. The structure becomes:



## **Subject + will + not + have + past participle**

Alternatively, "**will not**" can be contracted to "**won't**" for more natural speech.

### **Examples (Negative):**

- I will not have finished my work by 8 p.m.
1. (I will not complete my work by that time.)
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- She won't have arrived by the time we leave.
2. (She will not arrive before we leave.)
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- They will not have read the book by tomorrow.
3. (They will not have completed reading the book by that specific future time.)

To form a question in the future perfect tense, the basic structure is as follows:

### **Future Perfect Question Structure:**

**Will + Subject + Have + Past Participle?**

### **Examples of Future Perfect Questions:**

- Will you have completed the assignment by tomorrow?
- Will she have graduated by next year?
- Will they have finished their work by 5 p.m.?
- Will we have traveled to five countries by the end of the year?
- Will I have seen that movie by the time you arrive?



### Negative Future Perfect Question Structure:

To make the question negative, simply add **"not"** after **"will"**, or use the contraction **"won't"**.

**Will + Subject + Not + Have + Past Participle?**

or

**Won't + Subject + Have + Past Participle?**

### Examples of Negative Future Perfect Questions:

1. Won't you have finished by 8 p.m.?
2. Will she not have completed the task by next week?
3. Will he not have done the project by then?

### Future Perfect Homework Exercise:

**Part 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in the future perfect tense.**

1. By the time you get home, I \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) my work.
2. By next summer, they \_\_\_\_\_ (move) to a new city.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ (see) that movie by the time you arrive.
4. In two years, I \_\_\_\_\_ (save) enough money to buy a car.
5. By this time next week, she \_\_\_\_\_ (complete) her training.

**Part 2: Change the following sentences into questions.**

1. She will have finished her dinner by 7 p.m.
2. They will have completed the project by Friday.
3. I will have read that book by tomorrow.
4. He will have arrived at the airport by 10 a.m.
5. We will have met all the clients by the end of the day.



### Part 3: Write negative sentences using the future perfect tense.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/complete) the assignment by tomorrow.
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not/finish) the presentation before the meeting.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not/arrive) by 5 p.m.
4. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not/read) the report by next week.
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ (not/finish) his lunch by the time the meeting starts.

**Future Perfect Continuous:** is used to describe an action that **will have been ongoing** up until a certain point in the future. This tense emphasizes the duration of an activity that will be in progress before a specific time or event in the future.

#### Structure of the Future Perfect Continuous:

**Subject + will + have + been + present participle (verb + ing)**

#### Examples:

- By next year, I will have been studying for five years.
- She will have been working at the company for 10 years by the end of this month.
- By the time we arrive, they will have been waiting for over an hour.

#### Negative Form of the Future Perfect Continuous:

To make the future perfect continuous negative, you simply add "**not**" after "**will**", or use the contraction "**won't**".

**Subject + will + not + have + been + present participle**

- I will not have been working by the time you arrive.
- She won't have been studying for long when you meet her.



- We will not have been waiting for long when you arrive.

### Question Form of the Future Perfect Continuous:

For questions, invert "**will**" and the subject.

#### **Will + subject + have + been + present participle?**

- **Will you have been studying** for two hours by the time we meet?
- **Will they have been living** here for five years next month?
- **Will she have been working** for more than 10 hours by the time you arrive?

### Future Perfect Continuous Homework Exercise:

**Part 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in the future perfect continuous tense.**

1. By next week, I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) for three months for this exam.
2. By 5 p.m., she \_\_\_\_\_ (work) on the report for over 6 hours.
3. By the time they arrive, we \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for almost an hour.
4. In a few months, they \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in this city for 10 years.
5. By the time you get home, I \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) for the party.

**Part 2: Change the following sentences into questions.**

1. He will have been reading for an hour by the time the meeting starts.
2. They will have been traveling for 3 days by the time they reach Paris.
3. I will have been working on this project for two weeks by the end of this month.
4. We will have been waiting for you for an hour by the time you get here.
5. She will have been playing tennis for two hours by the time we arrive.



**Part 3: Write negative sentences using the future perfect continuous tense.**

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/finish) my homework by 10 p.m.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ (not/learn) Spanish for long by the time he travels to Madrid.
3. They \_\_\_\_\_ (not/work) on the new project by next month.
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not/drive) for 12 hours by the time we stop for a break.
5. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not/travel) to Australia for a year by the end of this year.