ENGLISH A2 · UNIT 12 · GRAMMAR

Name: _____ Date: _____

Future forms and goals

Focus: future forms review: will, going to, present continuous, might; hope to / plan to / be thinking of

FUTURE FORMS

Prediction, offer, decision: **will** (It'll be hard. I'll help. OK, I'll take it.)
Intention: **be going to** (I'm going to apply for the course.)
Arrangement: **present continuous** (I'm meeting Sara at six.) · Possible: **might**
Goals: **hope to, plan to, would like to** + verb · **be thinking of** + -ing
If I pass the exam, **I'll** apply. **When** I finish, **I'm going to** look for a job.

1 Choose the correct form.

Example: The phone's ringing. _____ answer it. (I'll / I'm going to) → I'll

1. Sorry, I've got an appointment. I _____ the dentist at 4.30. (might see / 'm seeing)
2. We _____ move abroad, but we haven't decided yet. (are going to / might)
3. I'm thinking _____ a cooking course. (to do / do / of doing)
4. She hopes _____ her own café one day. (opening / to open / open)
5. If I _____ the job, I'll move to Berlin. (get / will get / got)
6. When I _____ the course, I'll look for a new job. (will finish / finish)
7. Don't worry. I _____ finish the report for you. ('ll / 'm going to)
8. I'd like _____ a year abroad before I'm thirty. (spending / spend / to spend)
9. Nina _____ probably retire next year. (is going to / will)
10. Ken _____ his manager at ten tomorrow. It's in his diary. ('s meeting / might meet)
11. I'm sure you _____ pass. You've worked so hard. ('ll / might)
12. I've decided. I _____ apply for the B1 course in May. ('m going to / might)
13. I plan _____ my own business someday. (setting up / to set up)

2 Correct the mistake in each sentence.

Example: If I will pass the exam, I'll apply for the course. → If I pass the exam, I'll apply for the course.

1. I'm thinking to change my job next year.

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2. We hope move to a bigger flat someday.

   _____

3. She might to take a break from work in August.

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ANSWER KEY

1 1 'm seeing, 2 might, 3 of doing, 4 to open, 5 get, 6 finish, 7 'll, 8 to spend, 9 will, 10 's meeting, 11 'll, 12 'm going to, 13 to set up **2** 1 I'm thinking of changing my job next year. | 2 We hope to move to a bigger flat someday. | 3 She might take a break from work in August.

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