

Grammar

Modal verbs *will, may might*: future predictions

1 Scegli l'alternativa corretta: a, b o c.

The volcano might erupt in the next 100 years, but scientists aren't sure.

a will b won't **c might**

1 My friends _____ be at the beach this afternoon – it's cold and cloudy.

a might not b won't c will

2 The teacher sometimes gives us a test on Fridays, so we _____ have one this week.

a won't b may c might not

3 Mandy _____ be at choir practice because she isn't very well. But she'll try to come.

a might not b will c might

4 The other team are much better than us. I'm sure they _____ win the match.

a won't b may c will

5 I'll try to call Jason, but he _____ answer his phone because he's angry with me.

a will b may not c might

6 I don't know what Liam is doing today, but he _____ be at the gym. He often goes there on Saturdays.

a won't b may not c might

2 Scegli l'alternativa corretta per completare il dialogo.

Lucia I'm sure you *may not* ⁽¹⁾ have a great time on holiday in Jamaica. It's got great beaches and beautiful mountains.

Franco Yes – I'm really excited about going. We ¹ *will/won't* spend a lot of time at the beach because our hotel is next to a beautiful bay. But we ² *might not/might* visit the mountains, too.

Lucia The mountains are amazing, and you ³ *may/won't* see some beautiful birds there.

Franco Well, I hope my dad takes us there. He's a bit lazy sometimes so he ⁴ *will/might* not want to leave the beach and drive us there!

Lucia Well, the beach is great and the weather ⁵ *will/may* be hot. I think July is the hottest month of the year there.

Franco Cool. I ⁶ *might not/might* have diving lessons when I'm there, but I don't know how much they cost. They probably ⁷ *will/won't* be very cheap.

Lucia Yes, they ⁸ *may/won't* be quite expensive. But there are lots of other things to do on the beach. You ⁹ *may/won't* be bored!

Franco No, I probably ¹⁰ *will/won't* want to come home!

Modifying adverbs: *maybe, perhaps, probably, definitely, certainly*

3 Scegli l'avverbio corretto per completare i mini-dialoghi.

1 **Jack** I'll *definitely/probably* come to the picnic, but I can't promise.
Perhaps/Certainly my grandma will visit us this weekend – she hasn't told us yet.

Mark I hope you can come – we'll *perhaps/certainly* have fun. We always do.

2 **Heidi** *Maybe/Definitely* it'll rain next week. It sometimes rains in June.

Lee No, it *probably/maybe* won't rain. I checked on the Internet, and it's going to be nice all week.

3 **Zoe** *Perhaps/Definitely* Gary will come to the party – I'm not sure.

Claire I'll tell him that you're going. I know he fancies you so he'll *definitely/maybe* come!

Zero conditional and 1st conditional4 Riordina le parole per formare le frasi allo Zero o al 1st conditional. Inizia con *If* o *Unless*.

pollute factories the die if rivers fish

If factories pollute the rivers, fish die.

1 lose animals their habitats destroy people forests if

2 bottle that it go will landfill into you unless recycle

3 everyone the for if energy uses less good it's environment

4 global stops weather the change will warming unless

5 we'll they nuclear power station a move another to area if here build

6 under water one day the melt Venice if will polar ice caps be

7 you feel healthier if eat will you organic food

8 we if help don't endangered species won't survive they

5 Scegli l'alternativa corretta per completare il poster di una campagna ambientale.

Environmental meeting – Launton Square, 8 p.m. tonight

Did you know that the local government want to build a landfill site in Pingle Wood? If we ~~don't do~~ *won't do* something now, it ¹*will be/be* too late.

A landfill site is always bad for the environment because if rubbish from landfill ²*gets/will get* into a river, it often kills everything in the river. And if a landfill site is near houses, it usually ³*will smell/smells* very bad, too.

If the government ⁴*will build/builds* this landfill site, we will also lose all the trees in Pingle Wood. Our village will change forever.

Governments never listen to people unless they ⁵*organise/will organise* meetings and protest. So come to our meeting tonight and say 'No!' to the Pingle landfill site. We ⁶*don't stop/won't stop* this landfill site unless we all fight it together.

6 Completa le frasi usando lo Zero o il 1st conditional e le coppie di verbi tra parentesi.

If dad arrives home early, he usually takes the dog for a walk. (take/arrive)

- If we _____ late for class today, the teacher _____ angry with us. (be/get)
- Most people _____ ill when they _____ too much food. (feel/eat)
- I always _____ all my homework if it _____ really difficult. (do/not be)
- I _____ you my new boyfriend's name if you _____ to keep it a secret. (not tell/not promise)
- Hurry up! If we _____ now, we _____ the bus. (not leave/miss)
- We usually _____ in the park after school unless it _____. (meet/rain)
- Sally _____ her Geography exam unless she _____ hard. (fail/study)
- I always _____ off my phone when I _____ to bed. (turn/go)

Vocabulary

Geographical features

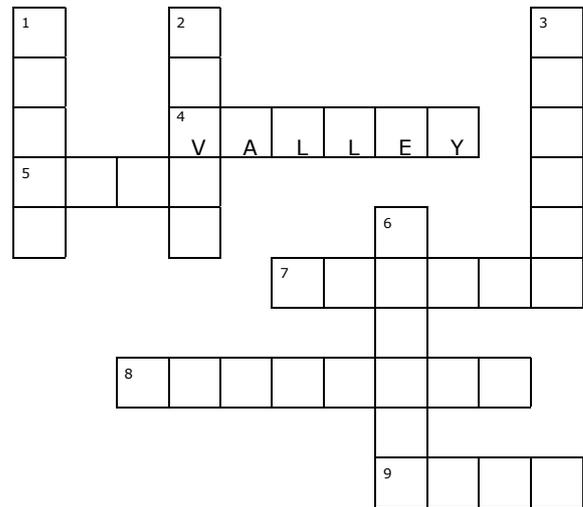
7 Leggi le definizioni e completa il cruciverba.

Across >

- Grandma's village is down there in the valley.
- There's a hole over there – I think it's the entrance to a _____.
- It never rains in the _____.
- That _____ is 3,000 metres high.
- A _____ is a hill of sand.

Down v

- In the summer, we swim in the sea and sunbathe on the _____.
- The _____ Tiber goes through Rome.
- There are millions of trees in this _____.
- The _____ of Jamaica is in the Caribbean sea.



The environment

8 Completa le frasi con le parole date.

endangered species ~~pollution~~ deforestation
recycling conservation organic food fossil fuel

Pollution from factories goes into the air.

- _____ is a big problem. People are cutting down trees all over the world.
- Don't throw that bottle away! Remember what the teacher told us about _____ things?
- This farm grows _____. They never use pesticides.
- Snow leopards are an _____. There aren't many in the world now.
- Oil is an important _____, like coal.
- The school _____ club wants to build a nature area behind the science classrooms.