FUTURE IN ENGLISH
SIMPLIFIED

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Common ways to express future in English are:
1. Present continuous
2. Present simple
3. Be + going to
4. Be + to + infinitive
5. Will + infinitive
6. Will + be + -ing
7. Will + have + past participle

(Murphy, 2012)
Present continuous

- We use the present continuous to express future in English.

  - *I'm leaving Baghdad to Amman next week.* (I will leave to Amman next week but I am not there now)
Present simple

- Present simple is also used to express future in English.

  - *I leave Baghdad to Amman next week.* (I am not leaving at present but I will leave next week, a time in future)
Be + going to

- Another form to express future is using (be) + going to.
  - *I am going to leave Baghdad to Amman next week.*
Be + to + infinitive

- This is another form to express future.
  - I am to leave Baghdad to Amman next week.
Will + infinitive

- This is one of the most common ways to express future in English.
  - *I will leave Baghdad to Amman next week.*
Will + be + -ing

- Another form to express future in English is this one as shown in the example below.

  - *I will be leaving Baghdad to Amman next week.*
Will + have + past participle

- This form is used to refer to actions that will be completed before a certain time in the future.

- I will have left Baghdad to Amman by next week.

(Murphy, 2012)