

## Unit 1

### Lessons 2, 3 and 4

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## GRAMMAR

### The Present Continuous for future events

● We can use **the Present Continuous** to talk about events in the future that **have already been planned**.

-Next Monday we are celebrating my brother's graduation.

-They are buying a new house this year.

### The Present Simple for timetabled future events

● We can use **the Present Simple** to talk about events in the future that will happen **at a stated time**.

-The festival starts on 20th October.

-The bus leaves at 8 pm.

### "Going to" for intentions

● We use **going to + the infinitive** to talk about **intentions** (things that have already been

decided). We are all going to attend the ceremony. --I'm going to buy a cake for my friend tonight.

### **“Going to” for predictions**

● We can use **going to + the infinitive** when we predict what will happen, based on **evidence**.

-Look at the crowds! It's going to be a lot of fun.

-There are lots of clouds. It's going to rain.

### **“Will” for spontaneous decisions**

● We use **will + the infinitive** to talk about a decision made at the moment of speaking.

-I think I'll have pasta for lunch.

-You look tired. I'll stay at home and help you.