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Basics. The Future Perfect Tense

Medium | B1 | Intermediate | Auxiliary verb | Clause | Future tense | Modal verb | Negation | Participle | Questions | Verb | Verb tense | Perfect tense

1. Fill in the blanks to complete the procrastinating student's very optimistic promises to their roommate.

Don't worry, by midnight I _____ all twenty pages of this history essay.

And by the time you wake up tomorrow morning, I _____ it to the professor!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will write
- **B)** will have written
- **C)** would have written

Blank 2

- **A)** will submit
- **B)** will have submitted
- **C)** have submitted

2. Help the ambitious (but sleepy) student plan his all-nighter by choosing the correct verb form.

By the time the sun comes up tomorrow, I _____ my ten-page essay on the history of cheese!

Select one.

- **A)** will finish
- **B)** will have finished
- **C)** am finishing
- **D)** have finished

3. Help the procrastinating student make believable promises to their professor. Select ALL the phrases that correctly complete the sentence using the future perfect tense.

"I promise, Professor! By midnight on Sunday, I _____."

Select all that apply.

- **A)** will have written all ten pages of the essay
- **B)** will have submitted the final draft online
- **C)** will have writing the introduction
- **D)** will have finish my preliminary research
- **E)** will have read all the required books

4. Help the stressed movie director organize his shooting schedule for the alien invasion scene by dragging the correct verbs into the blanks.

By the time the actors arrive on set, the crew _____ the giant spaceship.

Before the sun sets, we _____ the big explosion so we can all go home early!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will build
- **B)** will have built
- **C)** have built

Blank 2

- **A)** will film
- **B)** will have filmed
- **C)** are filming

5. Select the correct verb forms to complete the frantic chef's kitchen schedule.

By the time the first guests arrive at 6 PM, we _____ the main course, and the pastry chef _____ decorating the five-tier cake.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will have prepared
- **B)** will prepare
- **C)** are preparing

Blank 2

- **A)** will finish
- **B)** will have finished
- **C)** finishes

6. Complete the sports commentator's wild predictions about the upcoming hot dog eating championship. Drag the correct verb forms to the gaps.

By minute ten of the competition, our reigning champion _____ at least forty hot dogs.

I confidently predict that before the final buzzer sounds, he _____ three gallons of water to wash it all down!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will eat
- **B)** will have eaten
- **C)** has eaten

Blank 2

- **A)** will drink
- **B)** will have drunk
- **C)** will be drinking

7. Complete the alien commander's confident report to the mothership.

Don't worry, Supreme Leader! By 2050, we _____ the Earthlings' secret recipe for chocolate chip cookies.

Select one.

- **A)** will have stolen
- **B)** will steal
- **C)** have stolen
- **D)** will be stealing

8. Complete the procrastinating student's ambitious (and probably unrealistic) study plan.

By the time the sun comes up tomorrow, I _____ the entire biology textbook, and my brain _____ into a puddle of pure exhaustion.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will have memorized
- **B)** will memorize
- **C)** am memorizing

Blank 2

- **A)** is melting
- **B)** will melt
- **C)** will have melted

9. Help the stressed event planner confirm the schedule for a massive pizza party. Select ALL the sentences that use the future perfect tense correctly.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** By the time the guests arrive, we will have baked 100 pizzas.
- **B)** We will have finished decorating the dining hall before 6:00 PM.
- **C)** At 6:00 PM, we will have bake 100 pizzas.
- **D)** By the time the guests arrive, we will had baked 100 pizzas.

10. Help the tour guide complete the itinerary for tomorrow's vacation to the year 3000.

By the end of our intergalactic tour tomorrow, we _____ three different galaxies, and you _____ enough alien souvenirs to completely fill a spaceship.

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** will visit
- **B)** visit
- **C)** will have visited

Blank 2

- **A)** will have bought
- **B)** will be buying
- **C)** have bought

11. Choose the correct phrase to complete the dramatic soap opera dialogue.

You can try to stop the wedding, Alejandro, but by the time you arrive at the church, Maria _____ someone else!

Select one.

- **A)** will marry
- **B)** has married
- **C)** would have married
- **D)** will have married

12. Review the astronaut's captain's log as she prepares for a mission to Mars. Select ALL the sentences that are grammatically correct.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** Will we have reached Mars by next Tuesday?
- **B)** I will not have eaten real food for six months by the time we land.
- **C)** We will have travel three million miles by tomorrow morning.
- **D)** By next year, the crew will has completed the main mission.