

WILL & GOING TO

WILL

INSTANT DECISION

I'm thirsty. I think I **will** buy a drink.

OFFER

-That looks heavy. I **will** help you to carry it.



PROMISE

-Don't worry. I **won't** tell anyone.

THREAT

-If you don't stop, I **will** tell your father.

REFUSAL

She **won't** listen to anything I say.



GOING TO

PRIOR PLAN

The decision was made before the moment of speaking.

- They're **going to** get married next year.
- I'm **going to** celebrate my birthday next month.



EVIDENCE / SIGNS

When there are signs that something is likely to happen.

- I don't feel well. I think I am **going to** vomit.
- The sky is getting dark. It's **going to** rain.

You can use both **will** and **going to** for making predictions.

I think it **will** rain tomorrow. = I think it is **going to** rain tomorrow.