FUTURE CONTINUOUS

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Verbs – to be

Present	am, is, are
Past	was, were
Future	will, shall

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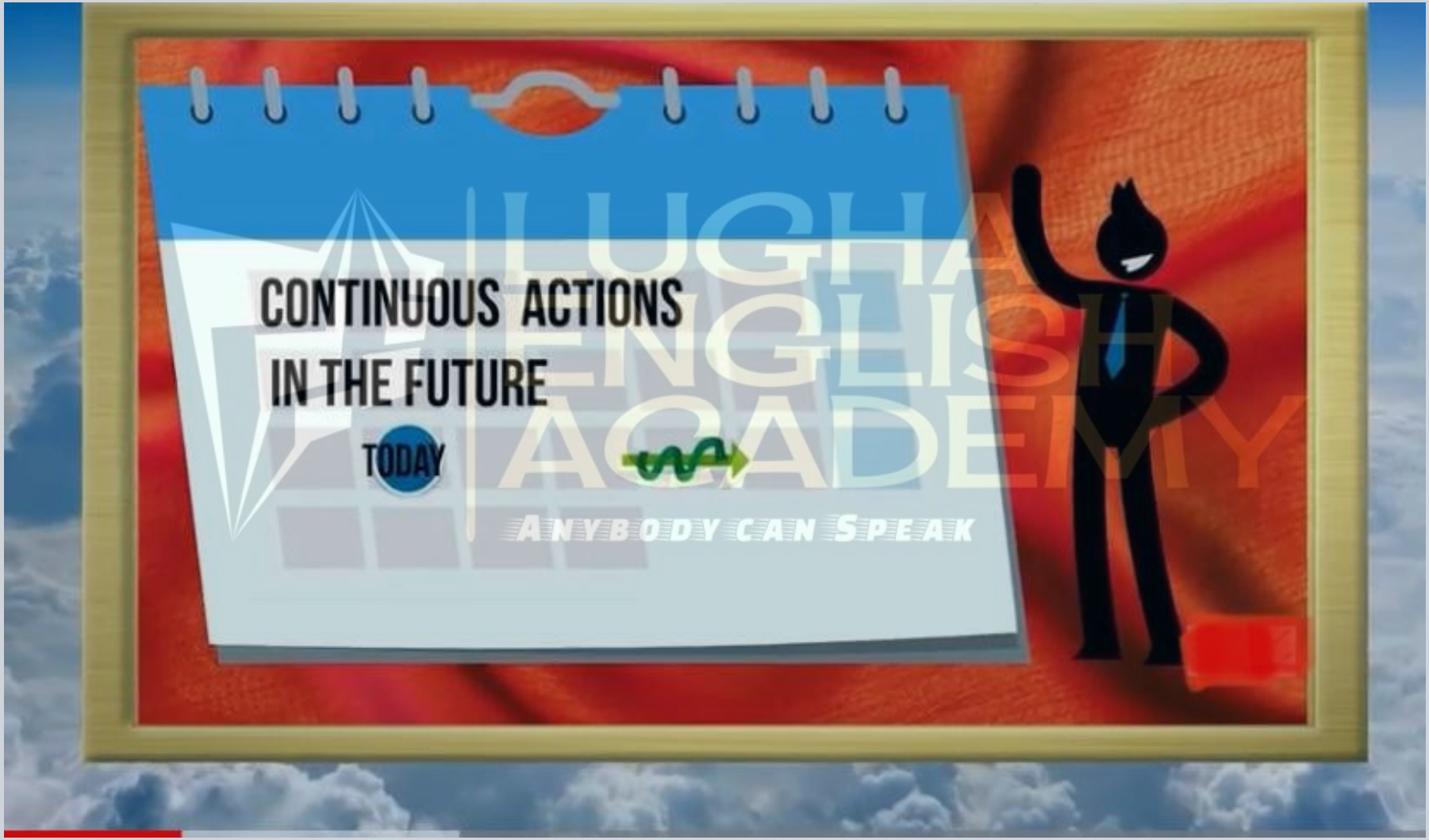
Future continuous tense



Future continuous tense
(progressive / imperfect)

– sentences
- negative sentences
- questions

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Subject	singular	Plural
First person	I	We
Second person	You	You
Third person	He, She, It, Name (ex: Sam)	They

a) Sentences – future continuous

Subject	to be + +be+verb+ing	+ object
I, We	shall be playing	football
You, They, He, She, It, Sam	will be playing	football

Example:

i) I shall be playing football.
ii) You will be playing football.
iii) We shall be playing football.
iv) They will be playing football.
v) He will be playing football.
vi) She will be playing football.
vii) It will be playing football.
viii) Sam will be playing football.

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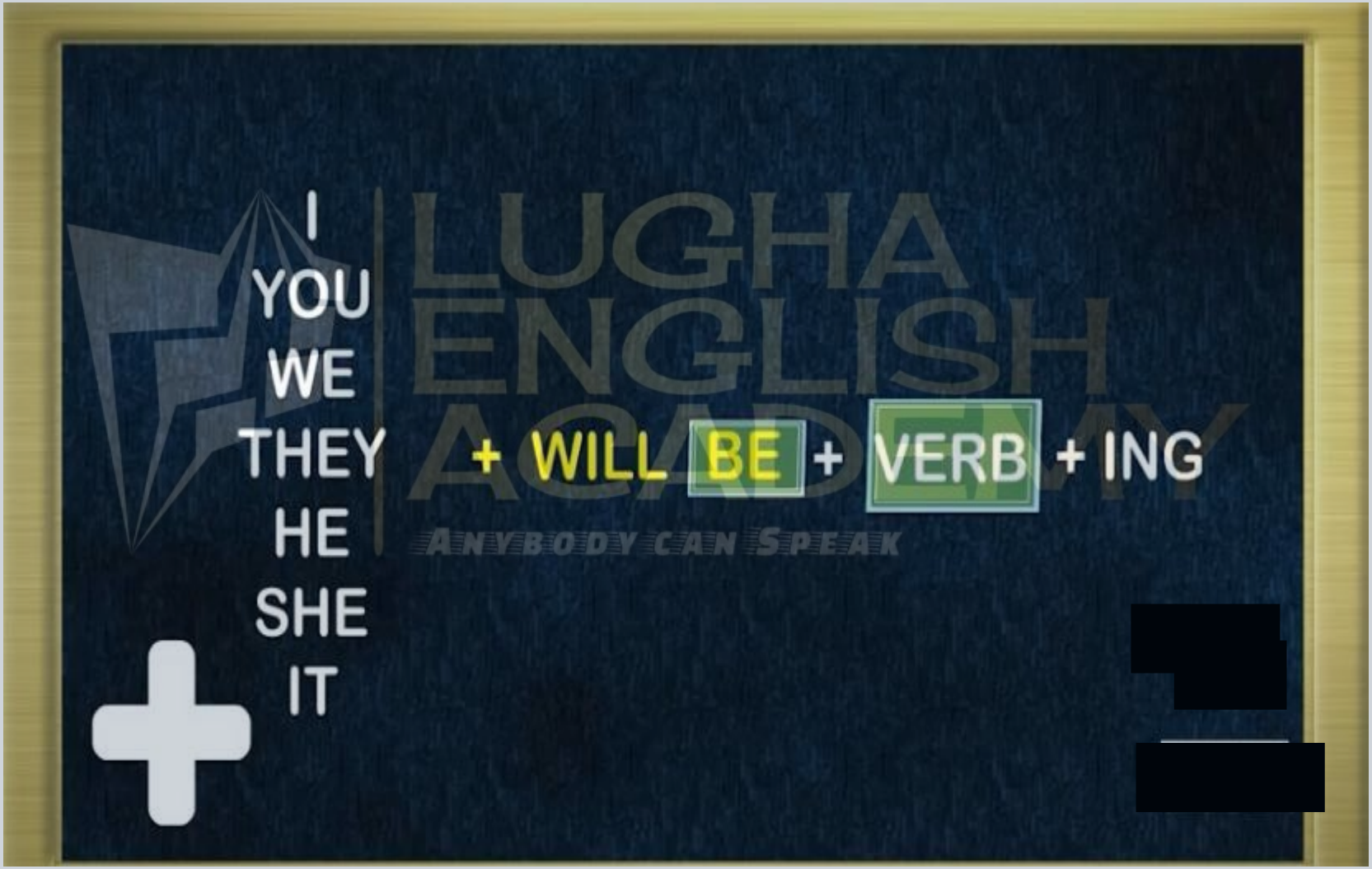

Future Continuous

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I will be talking with you tomorrow.

Future Continuous Tense

We will be writing out examination tomorrow.

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I will be attending a marriage tomorrow.

Future Continuous Tense

I will be attending this seminar next week.

I will be running in the marathon race tomorrow.

Future Continuous TENSE EXERCISE

1	I _____ my goal.	*reach*
2	The peacock _____ in the garden.	*dance*
3	Ryan and Tom _____ an agreement.	*sign*
4	Why will you _____ me?	*tease*
5	He _____ lectures on Mathematics.	*attend*
6	She _____ from a grocery shop.	*buy*
7	They _____ football tomorrow.	*play*
8	I _____ hard to achieve the target.	*work*
9	I _____ a book.	*not, read*
10	He _____ until then.	*sleep*
11	The chef _____ a pie.	*bake*
12	Tom _____ a burger.	*eat*
13	They _____ the journey.	*plan*
14	The passengers _____ the railway bridge.	*pass*
15	Peter _____ with me.	*go*

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Future continuous tense

b) Negative sentences – future continuous

Subject	to be + not + be+verb+ing	+ object
I, We	shall not (shan't) be going	to school
You, They, He, She, It, Sam	will not (won't) be going	to school

Example :	
i) I shall be going to school.	i) I shall not be going to school.
ii) You will be going to school.	ii) You will not be going to school.
iii) We shall be going to school.	iii) We shall not be going to school.
iv) They will be going to school.	iv) They will not be going to school.
v) He will be going to school.	v) He will not be going to school.
vi) She will be going to school.	vi) She will not be going to school.
vii) It will be going to school.	vii) It will not be going to school.
viii) Sam will be going to school.	viii) Sam will not be going to school.

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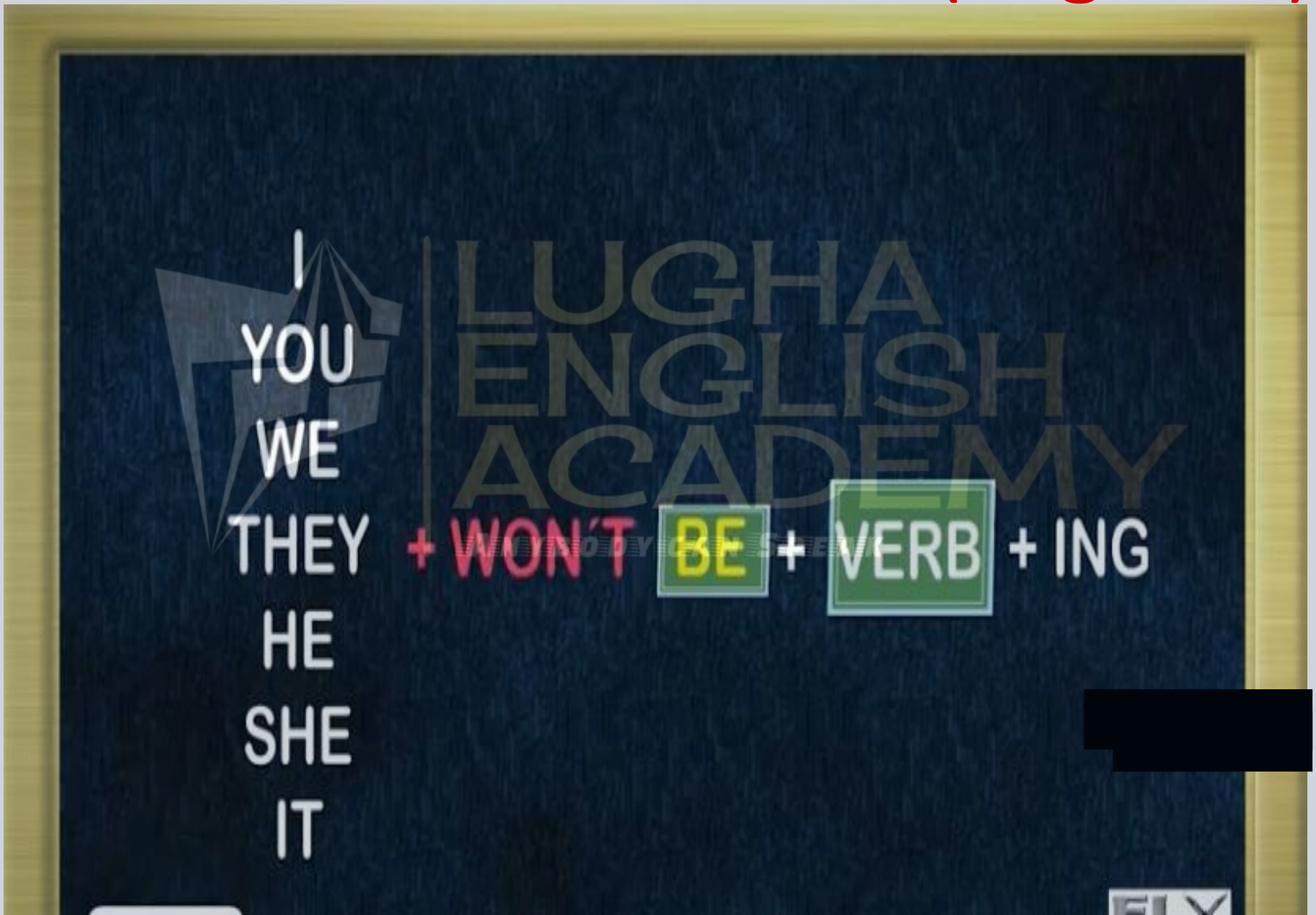
Future continuous tense(negative)



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Future Continuous Tense

Positive/ Negative

Write these sentences with the negative form of the future continuous tense. Use 'won't be + (verb)+ing' (won't be walking)

1 I _____ (walk) to school tomorrow.

2 I _____ (watch) TV this evening.

3 We _____ (go) on holiday next week.

4 This time next week, we _____(do) exams.

5 They _____(help) us to tidy up.

6 My friend _____(come) to my graduation party

Answer these questions in the negative form of the future continuous. Use the alternative options to frame the positive future continuous sentence.

For example, No, I won't be playing golf, I'll be playing tennis

1 Will you be playing golf this weekend, Haitham? (golf / tennis)

2 Will you be going to the library after school, Jassim? (library / beach)

3 Will you be taking any important exams this year? (this year / next year)

4 Will you be watching the football match on Saturday? (football match / new film)

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c) Questions – future continuous

To be + subject + be	verb+ing	+ object
Shall I be, Shall We be	singing	song?
Will you be, Will they be, Will he be, Will she be, Will it be	singing	song?

Example :	
i) I shall be singing a song.	i) Shall I be singing a song?
ii) You will be singing a song.	ii) Will you be singing a song?
iii) We shall be singing a song.	iii) Shall we be singing a song?
iv) They will be singing a song.	iv) Will they be singing a song?
v) He will be singing a song.	v) Will he be singing a song?
vi) She will be singing a song.	vi) Will she be singing a song?
vii) It will be singing a song.	vii) Will it be singing a song?
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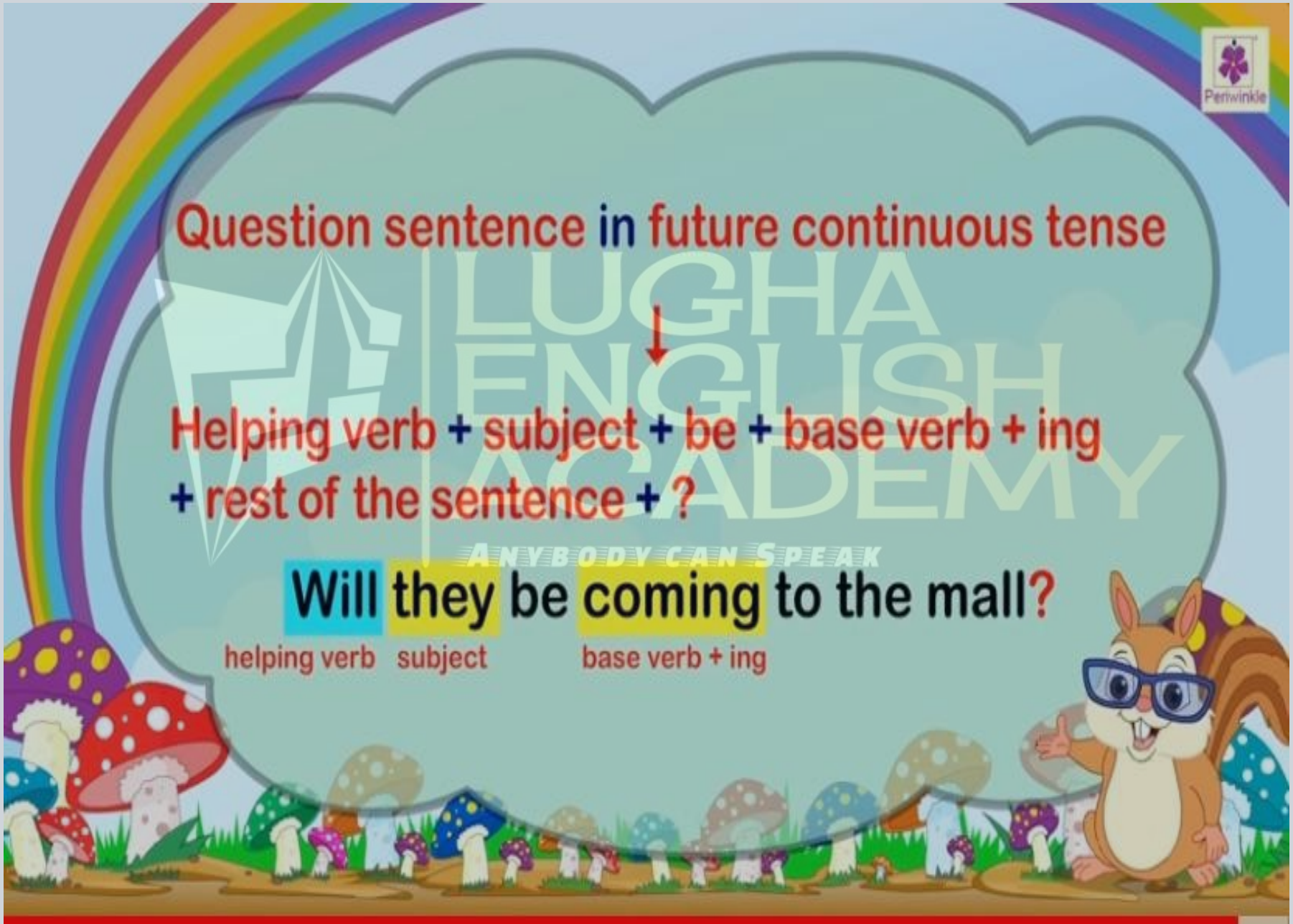
Future continuous tense(Interrogative)



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Underline the verb in each sentence and form question in future continuous tense

1. _____ (I/sit) here?

eg. shall I be sitting here?

2. _____ (John / use) the computer?

3. _____ (Ragu and Raja / discuss) the new project?

4. _____ (we / work) hard?

5. _____ (you / talk) on the telephone?

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Future continuous tense(Interrogative)

Underline the verb in each sentence and form question in future continuous tense

6. _____ (they / have) a meeting?

7. _____ (he / eat) lunch?

8. _____ (you / type) the letter?

9. _____ (he / make) coffee?

10. _____ (I / work) for hours together?

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