

Easy English Stories – Episode 11: *It Is Going To Be Sunny*

Target Level: Move 3 and up

Grammar: Future tense with *going to* (e.g., *I am going to meet my friend. It is going to be sunny.*)

Vocabulary: arrive, meet, park, coat, sunglasses, umbrella, scarf, T-shirt, boots, windy, rainy, sunny

Functions: Talking about future plans, describing weather and clothing

INTRODUCTION

C.S.: Hello, boys and girls! Welcome to Easy English Stories! We're going to listen to a super cool story today.

Echo: Hello.

C.S.: Hello, Echo!

Echo: Captain Story. I am very hungry.

C.S.: Hungry? What are you going to eat?

Echo: I am going to eat this microphone.

C.S.: No! No! No! Not the microphone!

MAIN STORY: It's Going to Be Sunny

C.S.: This is a story about a boy named Henry. He is very excited.

C.S.: "My friend Noah is going to come to my house today!" he says. "We are going to play in the park!"

Echo: We are going to play in the park.

C.S: Henry looks outside. It is a beautiful, sunny day.

C.S: "It is going to be sunny," says Henry. "I am going to wear my T-shirt and my cool hat."

C.S: He opens the door to go outside, and... Uh-oh! Suddenly, it's raining! Big, wet raindrops are falling everywhere!

C.S: "Oh, no! My cool hat is not going to help," says Henry.

C.S: He runs back inside to change his clothes.

C.S: "Okay," says Henry. "Now it is going to be rainy. I am going to put on my boots, and take my umbrella."

C.S: He opens the door... and WHOOSH! Suddenly, the rain is gone, but now the wind is blowing! His umbrella flies away like a yellow bird!

C.S: "Oh, no! My umbrella is going to fly to another city!" says Henry.

C.S: Henry is not happy.

C.S: "Okay, now it is going to be windy. I am going to wear my heavy coat so I don't fly away too!"

Echo: I'm going to wear my heavy coat.

C.S: He opens the door... and BOOM! Suddenly, the sun is back and it is very, VERY hot!

C.S: "Oh, no! Now I am going to be very hot in this coat!" says Henry.

C.S: Just then, his friend Noah arrives. He is wearing a T-shirt, a hat, big boots, and a heavy coat. He is holding his umbrella and wearing sunglasses. He looks very funny!

C.S: "Hello, Henry!" says Noah. "My mom said the weather is going to change a lot today!"

C.S: Henry laughs. "Your mom is very smart! Your clothes are going to work for any weather. "

C.S: So Henry puts on funny clothes too, like Noah. They look silly, but they are ready for anything! They are going to have a great day in the park!

PRACTICE

C.S: Time for practice! Please repeat after us!

C.S: We are going to play in the park.

Echo: We are going to play in the park.

C.S: It is going to be sunny.

Echo: It is going to be sunny.

C.S: I am going to wear a T-shirt.

Echo: I am going to wear a T-shirt.

C.S: They are going to have fun.

Echo: They are going to have fun.

Q&A + Fun Fact

C.S: Great! Now! Any questions, children?

Child 1: Captain Story. Why is 'orange' a color, but 'apple' is not?

C.S: Hmm... You're right! That isn't fair. Okay, from now on, 'apple' is a color!

Child 1: But apples are red, green, or yellow. Which one is the apple color?

C.S: La la la la la ! I can't hear you! Next question.

Child 2: Captain Story. Why does a pelican lift one leg?

C.S: Well, if it lifted two legs, it would fall down!

C.S: Echo, what's your fun fact today?

Echo: Did you know that a big, white cloud is heavier than 100 elephants?

C.S: Wow! That's amazing! Echo, how can a heavy cloud fly in the sky?

Echo: It's because the air below it is even stronger!

C.S: Fantastic! Well, boys and girls, that is all for today. We are going to see you next time for another...

C.S & Echo: Easy English Story!

C.S: Bye, everyone!

Echo: Goodbye!

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