



**CONVERSATION ON THE FUTURE**

- 1.- Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future of the world? Give reasons to support your point of view.
- 2.- Place yourself in 25 years' time. What will the world be like? What will have changed?
- 3.- In ten years' time you will probably do different things from now. List at least three things you won't do **any longer**.
- 4.- What are the threats our children or grandchildren will have to face if we don't take any action right away?
- 5.- Do you believe in fate?
- 6.- "Due to progress and technology, we are happier than our grandparents". Discuss.
- 7.- You're very optimistic about the future; in fact, you think all the problems we have in the world will be history in no more than 20 years. Express with future structures what will have changed, what problems will have disappeared and what problems will no longer hurt mankind.

Here are some words that may help you.

**THE FUTURE**

- Fate
- To Guess
- Prediction/ to predict
- To foresee / foreseeable
- Omen / premonition
- Lucky charm
- Curse / To put a curse on sb
- Palmistry
- Prophecy
- Jinx
- Aftermath (sg)=consecuencias.
- In the near future
- In the short run / in the long run
- In the short / medium/long term
- to be predestined for sth
- hunch.
- In all likelihood
- To turn into
- To prevent somebody/something from
- To develop
- To turn to / to resort to
- To take responsibility for