18a How wrong can you be?

Overview

Students complete famous predictions with *will* and an appropriate verb, then match the predictions to the people who made them.

Preparation

One copy of the worksheet for each student.

Procedure

1 Hand out copies of the worksheet. Individually or in pairs, ask students to complete the predictions in exercise 1 using *will* and the verbs in the box. Monitor, helping with vocabulary as necessary. Then check the answers with the class and explain any unfamiliar vocabulary.

2 Ask students to match the predictions with the people who made them in exercise 2. Monitor, helping with vocabulary as necessary.

3 Check the answers with the class and explain any unfamiliar vocabulary. Ask students if they know of any similar predictions.

Answers

Exercise 1
2 will (never) go   3 won't be able, will (soon) get
5 will (never) work   7 will be used   8 will (ever) be
10 will prove   11 will (never) be   13 will (forever) be
14 will (never) reach

Exercise 2
1 g   2 c   3 j   4 d   5 m   6 b   7 f   8 k   9 e
10 l   11 h   12 n   13 a   14 i