

# AS SOON AS WHILE-UNTIL BEFORE

## EXERCISE 1.

Underline the word or words that best complete(s) the sentence.

1. I *will polish / am polishing* the silver while you sweep the floor.
2. Before you *make / will make* a final decision, will you please discuss it with me?
3. Vicky would like to lose some weight before she *will buy / buys* a bathing suit.

4. As soon as they *get* / *they will get* paid, they'll pay the membership fee.
5. The doctor told me, "As soon as *you stop* / *you will stop* smoking, your health will improve."
6. She plans to write a book while she *will vacation* / *is vacationing* in Corsica.
7. We can't hang up any pictures until the paint on the walls *is drying* / *is dry*.
8. There won't be any watermelons in the supermarket until summer *comes* / *is coming*.
9. While you *are* / *will be* at the bank, I'll go get some nails from the hardware store.

## EXERCISE 2.

Fill in each gap with while, before, until, or as soon as.

1. You can't do the Group class \_\_\_\_\_ you complete all four lessons on the computer.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ putting the biscuits into the oven, you should pre-heat the oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit.
3. Driving \_\_\_\_\_ talking on your mobile phone is dangerous, and the police could make you pay a fine if they catch you.
4. Please call me \_\_\_\_\_ you arrive in Berlin, so that I know you arrived safely.
5. Cheryl will not know the gender of her baby \_\_\_\_\_ it is born.

6. Daniel always drinks a cup of black coffee \_\_\_\_\_ he's reading the morning paper.
7. Make sure you're well-informed about the different politicians \_\_\_\_\_ you vote for one of them!
8. \_\_\_\_\_ they finish studying, they'll go to Jackie's party.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ you give up, just try a few more times... you might succeed!