New Year Future Continuous/ State Verbs
Worksheet 1 - Writing, listening and speaking

Fill in at least half the sentences below with something true for you:

This time next year I'll

be thinking about________________________________________

be worrying about_______________________________________

be living in _____________________________________________

be planning to _________________________________

be wearing _______________________________________

weigh _____________________________________

be feeling _________________________________

have _______________________________________

want _______________________________________

belong to ___________________________________

look ________________________________________

be practising ______________________________________

be preparing for _____________________________________

(If you have no ideas for what exactly will be happening, you can use vague language like:
“almost exactly the same as now” or “something completely different to now”)

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Worksheet 2- State Verbs Grammar Presentation

Some of the verbs on Worksheet 1 were not used in the Future Perfect Continuous because they are State Verbs that cannot take –ing. Without looking back at Worksheet 1, cross out the forms below that are not correct because the –ing form is impossible (the Will + Infinitive form is always okay)

I’ll think about/ I’ll be thinking about________________________________________

I’ll worry about/ I’ll be worrying about________________________________________

I’ll live in/ I’ll be living in ___________________________________

I’ll plan to/ I’ll be planning to _________________________________

I’ll wear/ I’ll be wearing ____________________________________

I’ll weigh/ I’ll be wearing _____________________________________

I’ll feel/ I’ll be feeling _________________________________

I’ll have/ I’ll be having _______________________________________

I’ll want/ I’ll be wanting _______________________________________

I’ll belong to/ I’ll be belonging to ___________________________________

I’ll look/ I’ll be looking ________________________________________

I’ll practice/ I’ll be practising _______________________________________

I’ll prepare/ I’ll be preparing for ___________________________________

Check your answers with Worksheet 1. If there is no –ing form on Worksheet 1 it is incorrect for that meaning of the verb and should be crossed out on Worksheet 2 (but see alternative meanings below)

What is the difference in meaning between the following verbs?

I’ll have two cats/ I’ll be having a shower
I’ll look quite a lot older/ I’ll be looking at the Eiffel Tower