EXPRESSING THE FUTURE

Part 1. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of *be going to + verb* to express the future.
Examples:   Mary (walk) is going to walk to the bus stop.
I (do) am going to do laundry tomorrow.

1. Mary (clean) **is going to clean** her house this weekend.

2. Ali and Alberto (go) **is going to go** home after school.

3. I (move) **is going to move** to a new apartment this weekend.

Part 2. Fill in the blanks with the present continuous to express the future.
Examples:   Mary (walk) **is walking** to the bus stop this afternoon.
I (do) am **doing** laundry tomorrow.

1. My friend (take) **is taking** his driver’s test tomorrow.

2. The girls (go) **is going** to the store with their mother on Saturday.

3. I (start) **is starting** a new job on Monday.

Part 3. Circle the letter of the most appropriate future form.

1. I don’t know if I __________ ready to take the exam tomorrow.
   a. will be
   b. am being

2. She won’t be in class tomorrow because she ________________ to the doctor.
   a. will go
   b. is going

3. Look at those dark clouds. It looks like it ________________.
   a. will rain
   b. is going to rain

4. The 3rd quarter __________ on January 7 next year.
   a. begins
   b. is beginning

Part 4. SURPRISE – Pay careful attention to the directions.