Conversation How will you be paying?

Reading

Hiro continues talking to the desk clerk. Clerk: How will you be paying, sir?

Hiro: Excuse me?

Clerk: How will you pay? In cash or by credit card?

Hiro: By credit card.

Clerk: May I see your card, please?

Hiro: Here you are.

Clerk: Fine. Here's your key. You're in room 766. Let us know if there's

anything you need.

Hiro: I will. Thank you. Hmmm.. I like that .. " let us know if there's anything

you need..."I should remember that very useful phrase.

Focus on Grammar

The **future progressive** describes an action that will be in progress at a specific time in the future: "At 9:00, I will be watching TV" or when another action takes place: "I will be watching TV when you get home."

Future progressive tense is used to indicate action which will be taking place at some time in the future.

For example,

I will be singing at Symphony Hall next month.

The *future progressive tense* is formed by adding will be to the ?ing form of the main verb.

She will be coming around the mountain in a few minutes.

The *future progressive tense* is not as common as other tenses, and it can some-times be replaced *by simple future, present progressive or even simple present.*

I'll be leaving in a few minutes.

I'll leave in a few minutes.

I'm going to leave in a few minutes.

I'm leaving in a few minutes.

I leave in a few minutes.

