



Lesson B2-04 | High Intermediate | CEFR B1

Was going to

Use the words in the Grammar Challenge to complete the gaps.

Conversation 1

Man: How was your lunch?

Woman: Good. I _____ at the new taco truck.

Man: Really? I was going to go there, but I got _____. How is it?

Woman: Good, but it is a bit _____.

Man: Oh, really?

Woman: Yeah, I was gonna _____ tacos but at 7 bucks apiece, I just had one.

Man: Wow, that is pricey!

Conversation 2

Man: Hey, check out my new car!

Woman: Oh, this is the one that was for _____?

Man: Yeah, the guy sold it to us _____.

Woman: Really? Is there something wrong with it?

Man: No, it is just old. I wasn't going to _____ it at first, but after driving it, I love it.

Woman: Well, as long as it runs. So, can I get a ride home?

Man: I was just going to _____ you one.

Conversation 3

Woman: Hey, what a surprise! I was just going to _____ you.

Man: Oh, yeah? What's up?

Woman: I was going to _____ if you are still coming to the party.

Man: Yes, of course. I am really looking forward to it.

Woman: That's great. I am so glad you can make it.

Man: Are you still planning on having it _____?

Woman: We were going to, but it looks like it is going to rain.

Man: No worries. I _____ indoor parties anyway.

Conversation 4

Woman: Hey, why are you here? I thought you were going to _____ futsal.

Man: I was, but we had to _____.

Woman: Oh, yeah? What happened?

Man: Bob was going to _____ us, but he got called in to work.

Woman: Oh, he was your only ride?

Quiz

- 1) What was the man going to do?
 - a) Call a Mexican restaurant
 - b) Buy some food for lunch
- 2) What was the man going to do?
 - a) Sell his car.
 - b) Offer her a ride
- 3) What was the man just going to do?
 - a) Go outdoors
 - b) Give the woman a call
- 4) What was Bob going to do?
 - a) Cancel the game
 - b) Take people to the game

Grammar Challenge

Use the words below to complete each conversation.

Con #1	Con #2	Con #3	Con #4
have two	sale	prefer	cancel
ate	buy	ask	play
pricey	cheap	outside	say
busy	offer	call	drive

Speaking Challenge

Match the answers with the questions.

- 1) What are your plans for the evening?
- 2) How are you getting to the airport?
- 3) When are you moving to your new apartment?
- 4) Are you inviting your neighbours to the party?
- 5) Have you finished work for the day?

- (_) I was going to move in next week, but it isn't ready yet.
 (_) Almost done! I was just going to send my last email.
 (_) I was going to take a taxi to the airport.
 (_) I was going to watch a movie, but I have to work late.
 (_) We were going to invite them, but they are on holiday.

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Man: I was just going to _____ that!



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Woman: Good, but it is a bit **pricey**.

Man: Oh, really?

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Man: Hey, check out my new car!

Woman: Oh, this is the one that was for **sale**?

Man: Yeah, the guy sold it to us **cheap**.

Woman: Really? Is there something wrong with it?

Man: No, it is just old. I wasn't going to **buy** it at first, but after driving it, I love it.

Woman: Well, as long as it runs. So, can I get a ride home?

Man: I was just going to **offer** you one.

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Woman: Hey, what a surprise! I was just going to **call** you.

Man: Oh, yeah? What's up?

Woman: I was going to **ask** if you are still coming to the party.

Man: Yes, of course. I am really looking forward to it.

Woman: That's great. I am so glad you can make it.

Man: Are you still planning on having it **outside**?

Woman: We were going to, but it looks like it is going to rain.

Man: No worries. I **prefer** indoor parties anyway.

Conversation 4

Woman: Hey, why are you here? I thought you were going to **play** futsal.

Man: I was, but we had to **cancel**.

Woman: Oh, yeah? What happened?

Man: Bob was going to **drive** us, but he got called in to work.

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Man: Sadly, yes.

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Man: I was just going to **say** that!