

Perfect Continuous Tenses

Exercise 1: complete each sentence with the correct form of the perfect continuous tense (present, past, or future).

- a) By the end of the month, she _____ (study) for 100 hours.
- b) They _____ (work) on the project for three hours before taking a break.
- c) I _____ (wait) for her for two hours before she finally arrived.
- d) By next year, he _____ (live) in this city for 5 years.
- e) We _____ (travel) for two hours and we're still not there yet.
- f) She _____ (paint) the walls for six hours and she's almost done.
- g) They _____ (save) up for their trip for six months by the end of the week.
- h) He _____ (play) the guitar for an hour every day and he's getting better.
- i) By the end of the day, we _____ (meet) with clients for 8 hours straight.
- j) She _____ (exercise) for an hour every day and she's getting stronger.

Exercise 2: Rewrite each sentence using the present perfect continuous, past perfect continuous, or future perfect continuous tense.

- a) She started learning Spanish three years ago, and she still isn't fluent.

- b) They began renovating their house last month, and they're still working on it.

- c) He started exercising two weeks ago, and he's already lost 10 pounds.

- d) They started working on the project last week, and they've made a lot of progress.

- e) She began writing her book last year, and she finished it two weeks ago.

f) They will have been traveling for 24 hours by the time they reach their destination.

g) By next year, they will have been married for 10 years.

h) We had been waiting for two hours before the concert finally started.

i) She will have been studying for 5 hours by the time she takes a break.

j) They have been practicing for the game for weeks, and they're ready to win.
