

SỰ PHỐI HỢP THÌ – THE SEQUENCE OF TENSES

Exercise 1: Chia dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc

1. When I (come) _____, she was cleaning the door.
2. When I (come) _____, she will be cleaning the door.
3. When he went home, his mother (cook) _____ dinner, so he took off his coat to help her.
4. When he went home, his mother (cook) _____. so he had a delicious meal,
5. When he went home, he (cook) _____ because his wife was busy.
6. When he goes home, he (cook) _____ dinner because he wants to make his wife surprised.
7. When he goes home, his mother (cook) _____ because she always wants her son to have a delicious meal after a hard workday.
8. When I moved here, I (live) _____ in a remote area for 5 years.
9. When she receives the letter, she (call) _____ you.
10. When I was young, I (harbor) _____ the dream of a famous doctor.
11. When I grow up, I (get) _____ married you.
12. When he grew up, he (join) _____ the army.
13. When I see him, I (remind) _____ him to call you.
14. When I saw him, I (remind) _____ him to call you.

Exercise 2: Chọn phương án đúng

1. I _____ your brother at Green Street yesterday afternoon.
A. meet B. met C. have met D. had met
2. He _____ a cigarette and _____ to the window.
A. light; walked B. lit; walks C. lighted; walked D. lights; walks
3. After she _____ for help, she _____ off her shoes and _____ in to save him.
A. shouted; took; jumped B. had shouted; took; jumped
C. had shouted; had taken; jumped D. shouted; had taken; jumped
4. I can't go with you because I _____ my homework yet.
A. haven't finished B. had finished C. finished D. finish
5. He _____ for London 2 years ago and since then I _____ him.
A. have left; didn't see B. left; haven't seen
C. eft; hadn't seen D. had left; have't seen
6. The performance _____ at 7 o'clock and _____ for 3 hours. We all _____ it very much.
A. had started; had lasted; enjoyed B. had started; lasted; enjoyed
C. started; had lasted; enjoyed D. started; lasted; enjoyed
7. Tell them to stop and take a rest. They _____ long enough.
A. have worked B. had worked C. have been working D. had been working
8. "You _____ here before?" □ "Yes, I _____ my holidays here last year."
A. have you been; spend B. have you been; spent

- C. had you been; spent D. were you; spent
9. We _____ our housework by tomorrow evening.
A. will finish B. will have finished
C. will be finishing D. are going to finish
10. "Your face is dirty, Tom." □ "All right, I _____ it."
A. am washing B. am going to wash C. will wash D. will have washed
11. Coming into the room, he _____ Mary where he _____ her.
A. see; left B. saw; had left C. had seen; left D. saw; was leaving
12. I _____ from him since he _____ two years ago.
A. hadn't heard; disappeared B. haven't heard; disappeared
C. didn't hear; has disappeared D. will not hear; disappears
13. After the guests _____ she _____ back into the living-room and _____ off the light.
A. left; went; turned B. had left; had gone; turned
C. have left; will got; turned D. had left; went; turned
14. By the time you finish cooking they _____ their homework.
A. will have finished B. will finish C. had finished D. have finished
15. "You have just missed the last train." □ "Never mind. I _____"
A. will be walking B. am going to walk C. will walk D. am walking
16. "I _____ the way to the Globe Theater." □ "OK. I _____ you."
A. don't know; will show B. won't know; will show
C. don't know; am showing D. don't know; am going to show
17. Come in, please. I _____ for you long.
A. have waited B. have been waiting
C. had been waiting D. have been waited
18. Who you _____ to the cinema with last night?
A. went B. did you go C. had gone D. did you went
19. Detective: I'm afraid I must ask both of you. What _____ at 10.20 p.m yesterday? Mr. X: I _____ chess with my wife.
Mr. Y: I _____ to a play on the radio.
A. were you doing; am playing; was listening B. did you do; played; listened
C. were you doing; am playing; am listening D. were you doing; was playing; was listening
20. You _____ my sister for a long time _____ come to see us tonight?
A. haven't seen; Will you B. won't see; Will you

C. hadn't seen; Would you

D. haven't seen; Are you going

Exercise 3: Tìm và sửa lỗi sai trong câu

1. This is the most beautiful place I ever visit.

2. This time next week they will sit in the train on their way to Paris.

3. The radio has been played since 7a.m, I wish someone would turn it off.

4. I came late to class. When I entered the teacher writing something on the blackboard.

5. They will have English from nine to ten in this room. Don't annoy them then.

6. I made cakes. That's why my hands are covered with flour.

7. I got a sore throat because I have been speaking for 3 hours.

8. It is raining hard. We can't do anything until it stopped.

9. She had got into her shoes, put on her coat and went to the door.

10. What tune had they played when we came in?

11. That evening we stayed up to talk about the town, where he has lived for a long time.

12. I have lived in this city for 15 years. My family had moved here when I was 10 years old.

13. We are very tired. We have walk for three hours.

14. I haven't seen her since we leaved school.

15. I have been thought about you a lot lately and I have come to conclusion that I won't

be able to live without you.

16. Coming into his room, he found that someone broke into it.

17. It always rains when they had just cleaned the windows.

18. The last time I saw him, he wore a black suit.

19. By the first of next July I had worked for this company for 20 years.

20. This is the talking between two friends who had just met up each other.

Exercise 4: Chia dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc

1. Last night, we (watch) _____ television when the power (fail) _____
2. We (be) _____ in this class for 4 years next September.
3. When we came in, they (prepare) _____ the meal for us.
4. There (be) _____ many changes in our village in the past few year.
5. Think carefully. I'm sure you (remember) _____ his name.
6. After ancient Greek athletes had won a race in the Olympics, they (receive) _____ a simple crown of olive leaves.
7. They (build) _____ that bridge when I (be) _____ there last year, they (not finish) _____ it yet.
8. As soon as my parents came, we (go) _____ out for dinner.
9. I (search) _____ everywhere for the pen I (lose) _____ yesterday.
10. "What you (do) _____ at the moment, Ann?" "I (pack) _____. I (catch) _____ a plane to London tomorrow morning."
11. Since I left Venezuela six years ago, I (return) _____ to visit friends and family several times.
12. When my parents (arrive) _____ for a visit tomorrow, they will see our baby for the first time.
13. Don't worry. I (finish) _____ the report by 10 o'clock.
14. I'll return Bob's pen to him next time I (see) _____ him.
15. "I (go) _____ out to buy a morning newspaper." "But it (rain) _____ now. Why don't you wait until the rain (stop) _____?"
16. Whenever I travel abroad, I (forget) _____ something I need.
17. Hurry up or you (be) _____ late for class.
18. He (be) _____ to the theater three times this month.

19. Hurry up or the film (be) _____ over before we (get) _____ home.
20. Before I (start) _____ the car, all passengers had buckled their seat belts.

Exercise 5: Chia dạng đúng của động từ trong ngoặc

1. I'm going out for a walk. I (read) _____ too long.
2. I (do) _____ my homework when my mother (send) me to the chemist's with the prescription the doctor (give) _____ her.
3. By the end of this week I (read) _____ 200 pages of my new novel.
4. He (do) _____ the experiment when the light (go) _____ out.
5. At this time next week, we (live) _____ in USA.
6. He (work) _____ on the report at this time tomorrow.
7. Go on the next test as soon as you (finish) _____ this one.
8. When I (look) _____ at my suitcase, I could see that somebody (try) _____ to open it.
9. We (be) _____ a few minutes late, so the film (start) _____ when we (get) _____ to the cinema.
10. I'm going to bed now. I (work) _____ for hours and I'm very tired.
11. I think she is the nicest person I (meet) _____.
12. He (come) _____ into the room after he (stand) _____ outside for a moment.
13. After the telephone (buzz) _____ for a minute, the doctor (answer) _____ it.
14. He (have) _____ a bad fall while he (repair) _____ the roof.
15. Yesterday, when I (see) _____ Tom he (sit) _____ in a corner with a book. I (tell) _____ him that he (read) _____ in very bad light.
16. James (weed) _____ while Alex (cut) _____ the grass in the garden this time yesterday.
17. Susan (wait) _____ for you at 9 o'clock tomorrow.
18. By next summer, she (finish) _____ her 3rd novel.
19. This is the first time we (see) _____ the Statue of Liberty.
20. By the time Anne graduated from high school, she (attend) _____ seven different schools because her parents moved frequently.