

*Fill in the correct forms: PRESENT, PAST and PRESENT PERFECT – Simple and Progressive*

1. What \_\_\_\_\_ (*Helen, do*) for the last two hours ? - She \_\_\_\_\_ (*prepare*) for next week's meeting; she \_\_\_\_\_ (*dust*) the furniture now.
2. His sister \_\_\_\_\_ (*be*) in Australia six times and I \_\_\_\_\_ (*be*) there only twice.
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ (*live*) in Johannesburg since World War II and so far we \_\_\_\_\_ (*never, intend*) to leave the country, but the situation \_\_\_\_\_ (*recently turn*) so bad that we \_\_\_\_\_ (*decide*) to go back to Austria.
4. We must wake her . She \_\_\_\_\_ (*sleep*) for 15 hours.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ (*write*) a book about Japan. I \_\_\_\_\_ (*just, finish*).
6. How many customers \_\_\_\_\_ (*Sally, call*) last week ?
7. Some time ago Mr Pale \_\_\_\_\_ (*ask*) me to lend him some money.
8. Demonstrators \_\_\_\_\_ (*block*) the road for three hours.
9. When \_\_\_\_\_ (*you, switch*) on the light today ?
10. Could you go ? - I \_\_\_\_\_ (*not can*) answer the door because I \_\_\_\_\_ (*have*) a shower.
11. Who \_\_\_\_\_ (*break*) my ruler.
12. No, we \_\_\_\_\_ (*not be*) here before.
13. At present they \_\_\_\_\_ (*have*) no jobs.
14. Two men \_\_\_\_\_ (*chat*) in the middle of the road when suddenly a lorry \_\_\_\_\_ (*turn*) round the bend. The driver \_\_\_\_\_ (*stop*) in time.
15. The grass \_\_\_\_\_ (*look*) awful. I'm sure you \_\_\_\_\_ (*not cut*) it since June.
16. We \_\_\_\_\_ (*go*) to the circus yesterday. We \_\_\_\_\_ (*spend*) a wonderful time there. I \_\_\_\_\_ (*like*) the clowns best.
17. What \_\_\_\_\_ (*you, want*) me to do at our next meeting ?
18. \_\_\_\_\_ (*You, know*) how long these trees \_\_\_\_\_ (*be*) here ? - Yes, they \_\_\_\_\_ (*be*) here since the end of the war.
19. What shall we do ? - The people \_\_\_\_\_ (*get*) very impatient.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ (*You, not meet*) Mr Temple yesterday ? - Why \_\_\_\_\_ (*you think*) I \_\_\_\_\_ (*meet*) him ? - I \_\_\_\_\_ (*see*) him last Friday, but I \_\_\_\_\_ (*not see*) him since then.
21. Can you help me ? I \_\_\_\_\_ (*look*) for a job.
22. You have a nice dog. How long \_\_\_\_\_ (*you, have*) it ?