

Name _____

Progressive Tense Verbs

Fill in the blank with the progressive tense verb (not the letter) to match the tense in parentheses.

1. They _____ in Freeland for more than 10 years.
(present progressive)

a. is living b. are living c. did living d. am living

2. By morning, it _____ over 12 hours. (future progressive)

a. is snowing b. be snowing c. will be snowing d. were snowing

3. My friends _____ me more than once. (past progressive)

a. did calling b. were calling c. is calling d. do calling

4. Chris _____ more than one puzzle.
(present progressive)

a. is solving b. will be solving c. was solving d. am solving

5. Gaby _____ by the time I got there.
(past progressive)

a. is eating b. was eating c. will be eating d. are eating

6. 5th graders _____ 100 books by the end of the year.
(future progressive)

a. is reading b. will be reading c. are reading d. am reading

7. I _____ to go to the movie, but my dad wouldn't drive me there. (past progressive)

- a. did wanting
- b. are wanting
- c. was wanting
- d. am wanting

8. Mari _____ soccer for 8 years. (present progressive)

- a. am playing
- b. is playing
- c. will be playing
- d. are playing

9. The campfire _____ out by the morning.
(future progressive)

- a. are burning
- b. is burning
- c. will be burning
- d. am burning

10. The teacher _____ all of the chairs with new ones. (past progressive)

- a. were replacing
- b. is replacing
- c. am replacing
- d. was replacing

11. Ian _____ up to chapter 19 in his novel. (present progressive)

- a. were reading
- b. is reading
- c. was reading
- d. did reading

12. The paper towel _____ all of the spilled milk.
(present progressive)

- a. was absorbing
- b. were absorbing
- c. am absorbing
- d. is absorbing