A. Choose a or b.

1. Nick and Jason **play / are playing** football every weekend.
2. Please be quiet. The baby **sleeps / is sleeping**.
3. **Do you go / Are you going** to James's party on Saturday?
4. Jackson can't come out to play right now; **he's having / he has** lunch.
5. Last, you **are adding / add** the eggs to the mixture and stir.
6. Water **boils / is boiling** at 100 degrees Celsius.
7. Daren **is always taking / always takes** my car without asking. It's so annoying!
8. Trudy rarely **is seeing / sees** her grandparents. They live far away.

B. Choose a, b, c or d to complete the dialogue.

Pete: Good morning, Claire! Isn't it a beautiful day today?

Claire: Yes, it is. The sun (1) _____ and there isn't a cloud in the sky.

Pete: I (2) _____ much happier when the weather is like this.

Claire: I (3) _____ everybody does. So, where (4) _____ ?

Pete: To pick up the kids from school. We (5) _____ a picnic in the park today.

Claire: Oh, what a lovely idea! But make sure you (6) _____ under a tree. The sun (7)_____ very strong at this time of day.

Pete: I know, Claire, don't worry. That's why I (8)_____ this silly hat!

Claire: It's not silly, Pete! I think it (9)_____ really nice!

Pete: Thank you, Claire. Oh look, the bus (10)_____ . I must go. Hope to see you again soon. Bye!

1	a. shines	b. does shine	c. is shining	d. to shine
2	a. am feeling	b. feel	c. feels	d. feeling
3	a. am supposing	b. am supposed	c. suppose	d. don't suppose

4	a. are you going	b. you are going	c. do you go	d. you go
5	a. have	b. are having	c. having	d. do have
6	a. are sitting	b. sit	c. will sit	d. aren't sitting
7	a. is being	b. is	c. must be	d. isn't
8	a. wear	b. are wearing	c. am wearing	d. wearing
9	a. is looking	b. doesn't look	c. looking	d. looks
10	a. comes	b. there comes	c. is coming	d. does come

C. Complete the sentences with the correct form of a verb from the list.

rain	**tell**	**try**	**close**
not/laugh	**mop**	**play**	**miss**

1. Maria _____ the door because it was cold.

2. _____ Tom _____ football when he broke his arm?

3. We didn't go swimming because it _____ .

4. I _____ with Helen's joke. It wasn't funny.

5. I was late for my tennis practice because I _____ the 8 o'clock bus.

6. I was washing the dishes while Kevin _____ the floor.

7. The teacher _____ my mum that I didn't do any homework.

8. I _____ to find my way to the museum when I met an old friend.

D. Choose the correct answer.

1. Rob **has just finished / had just finished** painting the living room. It's much brighter now.
2. My family **has lived / had lived** in this town from 1985 to 1993.
3. My family **has lived / had lived** in this town from 1985 to 1993. Then we moved to a bigger city and now we live in Athens.
4. By the time they got home, all the children **forgot / have forgotten / had forgotten** what their teacher had said.
5. Trevor **has never travelled / had never travelled** abroad and he **has never been / had never been** on a plane in his life.
6. Trevor **has never travelled / had never travelled** abroad and he **has never been / had never been** on a plane before this trip.
7. Catherine didn't expect to win, so she **didn't prepare / hadn't prepared** a speech.
8. Susan and I **have been friends / had been friends** since high school. She's still my best friend!
9. Susan and I **have been friends / had been friends** since high school. Unfortunately, last year we had a fight and we're not close anymore.
10. They **climbed / had climbed** to the top of the mountain when the weather started to change.
11. When John went to school, lessons **have already begun / had already begun**.
12. Loraine **has never been / had never been** to New York, so she's very excited about travelling there next month.
13. Loraine **has never been / had never been** to New York, so she was very excited when she planned a trip to New York the following month.
14. We left Sara's house after the party **has finished / had finished**.