



Read the texts and choose the correct tense form.

### WORRYING ABOUT THE SON

The call from Mr. Hill came when John was taking a shower. John's wife Laura answered it. When John \_\_\_\_\_ **1** the room a minute later, she \_\_\_\_\_ **2** . "The doctor says Tommy \_\_\_\_\_ **3** a good sleep last night," Mr. Hill said.

"He \_\_\_\_\_ **4** worse today than he was yesterday. But please \_\_\_\_\_ **5** too much. The doctor \_\_\_\_\_ **6** what he is doing".

"Yes," said Laura, "good..." and then \_\_\_\_\_ **7** because John \_\_\_\_\_ **8** to tell her something.

"If you \_\_\_\_\_ **9** on a plane this morning, you \_\_\_\_\_ **10** there in the evening," he said.

"Yes," she replied. "Please thank your wife for helping Tommy. Goodbye".

She put down the telephone and looked round the room.

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| 1.  | 1. <i>was entering</i>      | 2. <i>had entered</i>    | 3. <i>entered</i>            | 4. <i>has entered</i>  |
| 2.  | 1. <i>is still speaking</i> | 2. <i>still spoke</i>    | 3. <i>was still speaking</i> | 4. <i>still speaks</i> |
| 3.  | 1. <i>does not have</i>     | 2. <i>did not have</i>   | 3. <i>had not had</i>        | 4. <i>has not had</i>  |
| 4.  | 1. <i>is</i>                | 2. <i>was</i>            | 3. <i>has been</i>           | 4. <i>had been</i>     |
| 5.  | 1. <i>are not worrying</i>  | 2. <i>will not worry</i> | 3. <i>does not worry</i>     | 4. <i>do not worry</i> |
| 6.  | 1. <i>will know</i>         | 2. <i>knew</i>           | 3. <i>knows</i>              | 4. <i>know</i>         |
| 7.  | 1. <i>had stopped</i>       | 2. <i>stopped</i>        | 3. <i>has stopped</i>        | 4. <i>stops</i>        |
| 8.  | 1. <i>was trying</i>        | 2. <i>is trying</i>      | 3. <i>has tried</i>          | 4. <i>had tried</i>    |
| 9.  | 1. <i>are getting</i>       | 2. <i>is getting</i>     | 3. <i>will get</i>           | 4. <i>get</i>          |
| 10. | 1. <i>is arriving</i>       | 2. <i>arrive</i>         | 3. <i>will arrive</i>        | 4. <i>are arriving</i> |

