TENSES EXAM

Fill in the correct form verb – All Tenses

1. I _____ a great film yesterday. (see)
2. _____ a new car? (you ever buy)
3. I _____ him last Monday. (meet)
4. The band _____ while I _____ . (play, write)
5. She _____ the new car in 2005. (buy)
6. Her mother _____ in Victoria for the past five years. (live)
7. They _____ in Germany when we arrived a few days ago. (already be)
8. _____ to get married? (you plan)
9. I _____ so much fun since I was a kid. (have)
10. When I got up I _____ out of the window and _____ that it _____ . (look, see, rain)
11. Janet _____ for Smith and Brothers before she came to work for us. (work)
12. I _____ three movies so far this week. (see)
13. How long _____ for me? (you wait)
14. I _____ over Loch Ness last week. - _____ the Loch Ness monster? (fly, you see) 15. I'm afraid I'm not hungry. I _____ . (already eat)
16. Peter _____ football in the afternoon when he got the call. (play)
17. "What _____ between 9 and 12 yesterday morning", the detective said. (you do)
18. He kept looking at her, wondering where he _____ her before. (see)
19. The doctor's waiting room was full of people. Some _____ a magazine, a woman _____ and a child _____ with a doll. Suddenly the door _____ and a nurse _____ out. (read, knit, play, open, come)
20. Travelling _____ much easier and more comfortable in the past hundred years. (become)
21. I _____ cake. That's why my hands are full of flour. (bake)
22. When I first came to this house it _____ quite a noisy area. (be)
23. He twisted his ankle while he _____ . (ski)
24. _____ the doors before you leave the house? (you ever lock)
25. My best friend and I _____ each other for 15 years. (know)
26. Jack usually _____ but he _____ when his father comes. (smoke, not smoke)
27. _____ breakfast yet? – Yes I had it together with Sue at 7. (you have)
28. I _____ this kind of work when I was a small boy. (do)
29. He _____ the paper when his wife came home. (read)
30. He _____ for an hour now. I'll be finished soon. (speak)
31. How long _____ John and Maria?- We met the couple over thirteen years ago. (you know)

32. He _____ in Oxford for two years and when his mother died he moved to London. (live)
33. After Harry _____ his work he _____ Jude from the office. (finish, call)
34. You _____ your homework for two hours. Haven't you finished yet? (do)
35. He always _____ to the supermarket alone, but today he _____ his son with him. (go, take)
36. He never _____ in the evening, only on Sundays. (work)
37. I _____ to South America but I have been to New York several times. (never, be)
38. _____ Jean? – No, she probably went to her friend's place. (anyone, see)
39. I _____ to the bank yesterday but when I got there it was closed. (go)
40. She _____ in school all day. (be)
41. Lee _____ late every day since Tuesday. (be)
42. Herbert's father _____ his son's birthday (never forget)
43. I _____ my report because I had a problem with my computer. (not finish)

1. My family have _____ (buy) some land in southern France recently. They _____ (build) a summer house there at the moment. 2. Andy and Mary _____ (go) to a concert tomorrow night. They _____ (look forward to) it the whole week. 3. Jonathon _____ (watch) the news on TV every day and it _____ (help) him with his English. 4. My car _____ (break) down when I _____ (drive) home from work. I _____ (fix) it if I _____ (know) what was wrong. But I didn't so _____ (have) to take it to the garage. 5. When he _____ (found) Microsoft, Bill Gates was only 20 years old. He _____ (already write) his first computer programme six years earlier. 6. An accident _____ (happen) near my house last night. A car _____ (hit) a young man. He _____ (ride) his bike when someone in front of him suddenly _____ (open) a car door. Many people _____ (see) the accident. The police _____ (interrogate) them last night. 7. Mrs Smith said that one day she _____ (retire) from teaching. She said that she _____ (spend) her new free time learning about computers. 8. I _____ (not sleep) at all last night. Someone _____ (listen) to music all night. 9. I _____ (see) a film a week ago, but I _____ (not enjoy) it very much because I _____ (already read) the book. If I _____ (not read) the book I _____ (probably enjoy) the film more. 10. The judge sentenced the man to eight years in prison because he _____ (rob) a bank. 11. They _____ (stand) in the queue for over an hour when the manager _____ (tell) them that there were no more tickets. 12. Alan _____ (be) in the car accident yesterday. The other driver

_____ (lose) control of his car because he _____ (fall) asleep. 13. She _____ (not see) her father since he _____ (start) to work in Marseille two years ago. 14. I _____ (sleep) when the fire broke out. 15. Linda phoned and explained that she _____ (not can) to come to the party the next day because she _____ (be) still sick. 16. I _____ (just see) the film "The Da Vinci Code". – _____ (you see) it too? – No, I _____ (not have) but I _____ (read) the book. 17. My sister _____ (fly) home from London today. Her flight _____ (arrive) in an hour so I _____ (leave) for the airport right now to get there in time. 18. Unless he _____ (sell) more he won't get much money. 19. While he _____ (wait) for the bus there _____ (be) a robbery at the bank. After the robbers _____ (go) away the police _____ (come) but they _____ (not can) to catch them. 20. I _____ (use) to ski when I was at the university but I _____ (break) a leg five years ago and since then I _____ (not ski) any more.