

Put the verbs in brackets into the Past Perfect or the Past Perfect Continuous.

1. Julia wanted to sit down as she ..... (stand) at work all day long.
2. She ..... (learn) "Eugene Onegin" by the autumn.
3. The rain stopped but there were a lot of puddles because it ..... (rain) cats and dogs.
4. Olivia and Victor ..... (chat) via Skype for an hour when the connection broke.
5. They ..... (decorate) the New Year tree before the children arrived.
6. Bob ..... (eat up) all the muffins by lunchtime.
7. My sister ..... (do) the laundry since early morning.
8. I knew that our parents ..... (grow) melons in their greenhouse since they bought the house.
9. He ..... (lose) much weight by the end of the year.
10. Brown understood the problems of his agency because he ..... (work) for it since 2005.

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1. to listen

My head hurt because I ..... to music for three hours. - I knew the names of the robbers because I ..... to the news on TV.

2. to build

They ..... a new school for six months when there was an earthquake. - They ..... a new block of flats by December.

3. to fly

By the time the sun went down the couple ..... over the Pacific ocean for five hours. - By the time the sun went down the couple ..... more than 500 km over the Pacific ocean.