ALL TENSES (active voice)

Fill in the gaps, using the correct form of the verb. Mind the tenses!



Mr James P. Artwork is an elderly gentleman who loves painting a lot. He **(1)** ..... **(live)** in his small cottage for almost 50 years and in this time he **(2)** ..... **(paint)** a lot. So far he (3) ..... **(can)** sell quite some of them and that's why he (4) ..... **(never have)** any financial problems.

Every morning Mr. Artwork **(5)** ..... **(get)** up at around 8 o'clock, **(7)** ..... **(have)** a quick breakfast and then he **(8)** ..... **(start)** painting. But not today! Today he **(9)** ..... **(pack)** seven of his best paintings to take them to the museum. Mr. Artwork **(10)** ..... **(be)** friend with the museum curator, Mr. Interest for a couple of year and he **(11)** ..... **(take sometimes)** some of his work there so that everybody can admire them.

Last year, for example, there **(12)** ..... **(be)** an exhibition in the museum and Mr. Artwork **(13)** ..... **(not only have)** some of his work there, but he **(14)** ..... **(also may)** give the opening speech. After he **(15)** ..... **(think)** a lot about what to say, he **(16)** ..... **(give)** an interesting and fun presentation. While Mr Artwork **(17)** ..... **(talk)**, nobody **(18)** ..... **(sleep)**, but all the people in the room **(19)** ..... **(listen)** carefully. After Mr. Artwork **(20)** ..... **(finish)** his speech, some people **(21)** ..... **(clap)** their hands, others **(22)** ..... **(shout)** "bravo!". All in all, the exhibition **(23)** ..... **(be)** very successful!

At the moment Mr Artwork **(24)** ..... **(enter)** the museum with his seven paintings. Look! There is Mr Interest who **(25)** ..... **(wait)** for him. Both men hope that this exhibition **(26)** ..... **(be)** as successful as the last one.

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