

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.