

GRAMMAR EXERCISE



Present Participle - Past Participle

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Exercise 1: Complete sentences with present participle or past participle

1. _____ (hear) a strange noise, she went to check the door.
2. _____ (prepare) for the exam, he stayed up all night.
3. _____ (destroy) by the storm, the house needed to be rebuilt.
4. The boy _____ (injure) in the accident was taken to the hospital.
5. _____ (finish) his homework, Tom decided to watch a movie.
6. _____ (not understand) the question, she asked for clarification.
7. The book _____ (write) by J.K. Rowling is very famous.
8. _____ (see) the rain, we decided to cancel the picnic.
9. _____ (confuse) by the instructions, the students asked the teacher for help.
10. _____ (not want) to be late, he hurried to the meeting.
11. _____ (realize) the mistake, he quickly corrected it.
12. The flowers _____ (pick) from the garden were placed on the table.
13. _____ (not know) what to say, she remained silent.
14. The movie _____ (direct) by Christopher Nolan is a masterpiece.
15. _____ (walk) in the park, they enjoyed the fresh air.
16. _____ (impress) by the presentation, the audience applauded loudly.
17. The letter _____ (send) yesterday has not arrived yet.
18. _____ (look) through the window, he saw his friend arriving.
19. _____ (teach) by his father, he learned how to fix the car.
20. _____ (wait) for the bus, she checked her emails.

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Exercise 2: Choose the best answer.

Question 1. _____ the letter, she felt relieved.

- A.** Finish **B.** Finishing **C.** Having finished **D.** Finished

Question 2. The man _____ next to me is my uncle.

- A.** sits **B.** sitting **C.** sat **D.** is sitting

Question 3. _____ the exam, he felt confident.

- A.** Completing **B.** Completed
C. Having completed **D.** Complete

Question 4. The book _____ on the table is mine.

- A.** laying **B.** laid **C.** lying **D.** lain

Question 5. After _____ his homework, he went out with his friends.

- A.** finish **B.** finishing **C.** finished **D.** finishes

Question 6. The car _____ by the mechanic is running smoothly now.

- A.** repaired **B.** repairing **C.** repairs **D.** having repaired

Question 7. _____ too fast, the driver lost control of the car.

- A.** Drives **B.** Driving **C.** Driven **D.** Having driven

Question 8. _____ by the performance, she clapped enthusiastically.

- A.** Impress **B.** Impressing **C.** Impressed **D.** Having impressed

Question 9. _____ the book, she returned it to the library.

- A.** Read **B.** Reading **C.** Having read **D.** Being read

Question 10. The dog _____ at the stranger was very aggressive.

- A.** barking **B.** barked **C.** barks **D.** is barking

Question 11. _____ with the results, he smiled happily.

- A.** Satisfy **B.** Satisfied **C.** Satisfying **D.** Having satisfied

Question 12. _____ the instructions carefully, he began the task.

- A.** Reading **B.** Read **C.** Having read **D.** Being read

Question 13. The cake _____ by my mother was delicious.

- A.** baked **B.** baking **C.** bake **D.** bakes

Question 14. After _____ the problem, the engineers fixed it immediately.

- A.** discover **B.** discovering **C.** discovered **D.** being discovered