

7. .... thought was given, but all was not approved.  
A. A large number of  
B. A great deal of  
C. Many of  
D. Many
8. Green and magenta are complementary colours located opposite each other on the colour wheel, .....  
A. and blue and yellow so  
B. and too blue and yellow  
C. and so blue and yellow do  
D. and so are blue and yellow
9. Double-stars orbit .....  
A. each to other  
B. each other  
C. each other one  
D. other each one
10. .... is a person who searches for valuable minerals.  
A. Prospect  
B. Prospects  
C. Prospector  
D. Prospective

**Exercise 6. Put the verb in brackets in the Past Simple or Past Perfect.**

1. They (go) ..... home after they (finish) ..... their work.
2. She said that she (already, see) ..... Dr. Rice.
3. After taking a bath, he (go) ..... to bed.
4. He told me he (not/eat) ..... such kind of food before.
5. When he came to the stadium, the match (already/ begin) ..... .
6. Before she (watch) ..... TV, she (do) ..... homework.
7. He (be) ..... keen on playing sports when he (be) ..... young.
8. After they (go) ....., I (sit) ..... down and (rest) ..... .
9. Yesterday, John (go) ..... to the store before he (go) ..... home.
10. She (win) ..... the gold medal in 2006.

**Exercise 7. Put the verb in brackets in the Past Simple or Past continuous.**

1. As long as one group (prepare) ..... dinner, the others (collect) ..... wood for their campfire.
2. While the parents (have) ..... breakfast, their children (run) ..... about.



3. Martha (turn) ..... off the lights and (go) ..... to bed.
4. When I (do) ..... the washing-up, I (break) ..... a plate.
5. While Tom (play) ..... the piano, his mother (do) ..... the washing-up.
6. He (drink) ..... some juice and then he (eat) ..... a few chips.
7. I (have) ..... dinner when I suddenly (hear) ..... a loud bang.
8. When my father (work) ..... in the garden, an old friend (pass) ..... by to see him.
9. She (go) ..... to school, (take) ..... out her textbook and (begin) ..... to learn.
10. When it (start) ..... to rain, our dog (want) ..... to come inside.
11. He (wake) ..... up and (look) ..... at his watch.
12. The receptionist (welcome) ..... the guests and (ask) ..... them to fill in the form.
13. The car (break) ..... down and we (have) ..... to walk home.
14. The boys (swim) ..... while the girls (sunbathe) .....
15. My father (come) ..... in, (look) ..... around and (tell) ..... me to tidy up my room.

**Exercise 8. Choose the best option to complete the sentence.**

1. After I ..... lunch, I looked for my bag.  
A. had                      B. had had                      C. have has                      D. have had
2. By the end of next year, George ..... English for 2 years.  
A. will have learned                      B. will learn  
C. has learned                      D. would learn
3. The man got out of the car, ..... round to the back and opened the boot.  
A. walking                      B. walk                      C. walks                      D. walked
4. For several years, his ambition ..... to be a pilot.  
A. is                      B. had been                      C. was                      D. has been
5. Henry ..... into the restaurant when the writer was having dinner.  
A. was going                      B. went                      C. has gone                      D. did go

6. He will take the dog out for a walk as soon as he ..... dinner.  
A. finishes B. finish  
C. will finish D. shall have finished
7. Before you asked, the letter .....  
A. was written B. had written  
C. had been written D. has been written
8. Ask her to come and see me when she ..... her work.  
A. finish B. finished  
C. has finished D. finishing
9. Oil ..... if you pour it on water.  
A. floated B. floats C. will be floated D. float
10. The dancing club ..... north of the city.  
A. lays B. lies C. located D. lain
11. Almost everyone ..... for home by the time we arrived.  
A. leave B. left C. leaves D. had left
12. By the age of 25, he ..... two famous novels.  
A. wrote B. writes  
C. has written D. had written
13. While her husband was in the army, Janet ..... to him twice a week.  
A. was writing B. wrote  
C. was written D. had written
14. I couldn't cut the grass because the machine ..... a few days previously.  
A. broke down B. has been broken  
C. had broken down D. breaks down
15. According to this newspaper, John is said ..... a new record for the long jump.  
A. to have established B. establishing  
C. to establish D. established

