

Mixed Tenses – Grammar Practice

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets. Choose from: present simple, present continuous, past simple, past continuous, present perfect, present perfect continuous.

1. Water _____ (boil) at 100 degrees Celsius.
2. My sister _____ (not / like) spicy food at all.
3. _____ (you / usually / walk) to school, or do you take the bus?
4. He _____ (work) as an engineer for a software company.
5. Look! It _____ (snow) outside - the first snow of the year.
6. I _____ (write) an email at the moment, so please wait a minute.
7. They _____ (not / watch) TV right now; they're doing their homework.
8. Why _____ (you / laugh)? Did I say something funny?
9. She _____ (visit) Paris last summer and loved every minute of it.
10. We _____ (not / have) enough time to finish the exam yesterday.
11. _____ (you / see) the news this morning?
12. The train _____ (leave) the station five minutes before we arrived.
13. While I _____ (cook) dinner, the phone rang.
14. They _____ (play) football when it suddenly started to rain.
15. What _____ (you / do) at 8 o'clock last night?
16. She _____ (already / finish) her homework, so she can go out now.
17. I _____ (never / be) to Japan, but I'd love to go one day.
18. _____ (you / read) the book I lent you yet?
19. He _____ (study) English for six years, and he's finally fluent.
20. We _____ (wait) for the bus for almost an hour!
21. She _____ (not / sleep) well lately because of the stress at work.