

ENGLISH EXERCISES

Exercise 1: Choose the correct answer (Present Simple & Present Continuous).

1. She usually _____ to school, but today she is taking the bus.

- A. walks B. is walking C. walked

2. Look! The boys _____ football in the yard.

- A. play B. are playing C. plays

3. I _____ coffee, I prefer tea.

- A. don't drink B. am not drinking C. doesn't drink

4. What _____ at the moment?

- A. do you do B. are you doing C. did you do

5. He _____ his grandparents every Sunday.

- A. visits B. is visiting C. visit

6. Shh! The baby _____ in the next room.

- A. sleeps B. slept C. is sleeping

7. Water _____ at 100 degrees Celsius.

- A. boils B. is boiling C. boil

8. We _____ to the cinema tonight. We have the tickets.

- A. go B. are going C. goes

9. _____ your brother _____ English every evening?

- A. Do / study B. Is / studying C. Does / study

10. I can't talk right now. I _____ my homework.

- A. am doing B. do C. does

Exercise 2: Put the verbs in brackets into the Past Simple or Past Continuous.

1. While I (walk) _____ to the park, it suddenly started to rain.
2. They (play) _____ video games when their mother came home.
3. We (go) _____ to the cinema last weekend.
4. What (you/do) _____ at 8 PM last night?
5. She (not/sleep) _____ when the phone rang.
6. When I saw him, he (wear) _____ a blue jacket.
7. Yesterday, I (buy) _____ a new laptop.
8. The students (talk) _____ loudly when the teacher walked in.

Exercise 3: Complete the sentences using "used to" or "didn't use to" and the verbs in brackets.

1. I _____ (like) vegetables when I was a child, but now I love them.
2. My dad _____ (play) tennis every weekend, but now he is too busy.
3. _____ (she/live) in London before she moved to Paris?
4. We _____ (not/have) a car, so we walked everywhere.
5. There _____ (be) a cinema here, but it closed last year.
6. He _____ (smoke) a lot, but he gave it up 5 years ago.

Exercise 4: Find and correct the mistake in each sentence.

1. I was watching TV when the lights was going out.
Correction: _____
2. Did you used to go swimming every day?
Correction: _____
3. She don't like listening to music.
Correction: _____

4. We are study English at the moment.

Correction: _____

5. He used to played football when he was young.

Correction: _____

6. Where was you yesterday morning?

Correction: _____

Exercise 5: Put the verbs into the correct tense (Mixed tenses).

1. I usually (get up) _____ at 7 AM, but yesterday I (wake up) _____ at 8 AM.

2. Listen! Someone (knock) _____ on the door.

3. They (not/go) _____ to the party last night because they were tired.

4. While she (read) _____ a book, her brother was watching TV.

5. He (work) _____ in a bank, but he wants to change his job next year.

6. We (have) _____ dinner when the power went out.

Exercise 6: Rewrite the sentences so that they have the same meaning.

1. He had a habit of playing football when he was a kid. (Use 'used to')

=> He _____.

2. I started doing my homework at 7 PM. The phone rang at 7:30 PM. (Use 'While')

=> While I _____.

3. It is her habit to get up early every morning.

=> She usually _____.

4. I haven't got a bike anymore, but I had one in the past.

=> I used _____.

5. The postman arrived during our breakfast. (Use 'when')

=> We were _____.