

PAST SIMPLE & PAST CONTINUOUS

Choose the correct answers.

1. The teachers _____ around the table when I _____ the teacher's room.

- A) were sitting / entered
- B) sat / was entering
- C) are sitting / entered
- D) were sat / was entering

2. They _____ about the students who failed in exams.

- A) was talking
- B) were talking
- C) were talked
- D) talks

3. Some teachers _____ to carefully while others.

- A) were listening / spoke
- B) listened / was speaking
- C) were listening / were speaking
- D) were listened / spoke

4. I _____ a chair and I _____ listen them carefully.

- A) was taking / was starting
- B) took / started
- C) was taking / started
- D) took / was starting

5. One of the teachers _____ my opinion about extra courses on Saturdays.

- A) was asking
- B) were asking
- C) asked
- D) were asked

6. I _____ to say anything because I _____ new there.

- A) don't want / was
- B) didn't want / am
- C) didn't want / was
- D) don't want / was being

7. A young teacher _____ next to me. He _____ coffee.

- A) sits / drank
- B) was sitting / was drinking
- C) was sitting / drank
- D) sat / was drank

8. I _____ to know him and I _____ him his name.

- A) wanted / asked
- B) wanted / was asking
- C) wanted / ask
- D) was wanting / asked

9. He _____ me because he _____ to music with through the headphones.

- A) wasn't hearing / listened
- B) didn't hear / listened
- C) wasn't hear / was listening
- D) didn't hear / was listening

10. I _____ up and _____ the teacher's room quietly while the teachers _____ extra courses on Saturdays lively.

- A) was standing / was leaving / still discussed
- B) stood / left / still discussed
- C) stood / left / were still discussing
- D) was standing / left / were still discussing