

I. Rewrite the sentences, using PERFECT GERUNDS.

1. Nam won a scholarship. We are excited about that fact.

→ We are _____

2. Entering the room, I was surprised at what I saw.

→ When _____

3. The volunteers couldn't mow the old lady's lawns because of the rain.

→ The rain prevented _____

4. Since we have become too dependent on the use of electricity, we have to find alternative sources of energy before fossil fuels run out.

→ Having _____

5. Tonya had dumped a lot of rubbish on the beach. She was strongly criticised for that.

→ Tonya was _____

6. In the Tree Planting Competition, the students in Group 11G planted the most trees in the schoolyard. They were praised for that.

→ The students in _____

7. After she replaced all the light bulbs in her house with LED lights, she saved a lot of money on her electricity bills.

→ Having _____

8. Sam had not worked hard enough in his previous job. He regretted it.

→ Sam regretted _____

9. Someone had cut down the oldest tree in the park. The police suspected Mike of doing it.

→ The police suspected _____

10. Since the farmers used too much chemical fertiliser on their farm, they now have to drink polluted water.

→ Having _____

11. Denis had taken an active part in the Green Summer activities. He was rewarded for that.

→ Denis was _____

12. After the students had learnt about the benefits of recycling and reusing, they started collecting waste paper, bottles, and cans to recycle and reuse.

→ Having _____