

## **Mixed Tenses – Advanced**

1. Ever since I got a credit card, I \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) a lot of money on many unnecessary things.
2. The policeman told me \_\_\_\_\_ (show) him my IC.
3. Sandy has been working on her essay all day. I wonder if she \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) by tonight.
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ (become) a doctor by June next year.
5. In Japan, all buildings built during the past decade are designed \_\_\_\_\_ (withstand) powerful earthquakes.
6. When I heard the news about you, I \_\_\_\_\_ (become) anxious.
7. During our vacation last summer, we \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) most of our time in the swimming pool.
8. I love here so much that I believe I \_\_\_\_\_ (live) here till the end of my life.
9. As usual, next year I \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) my vacation in my country house.
10. By the 18<sup>th</sup> century, English shipping \_\_\_\_\_ (become) as efficient as the Dutch.
11. We \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in Norway for nearly 25 years until we moved to Scotland two years ago.
12. By the time I graduate from school next year, I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) here for five years.
13. Jason \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in Moscow since he was born.
14. I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) all night long; I must get some sleep or else I will be asleep in the exam tomorrow.
15. Mr Lee told his wife that he \_\_\_\_\_ (be) late that night.
16. Many people usually \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) most of their time online on various social media platforms.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ (not arrive) by 5p.m?
18. I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to spend my time at the beach but I've decided to finish my homework instead.
19. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) it with my own eyes, I wouldn't have believed it.
20. My friend Darren \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in Amsterdam now, but he says he'll move soon.
21. By the time you read this, I \_\_\_\_\_ (leave).
22. We were surprised to see James \_\_\_\_\_ (stand) up so soon after the accident.
23. Vehicles \_\_\_\_\_ (not allow) to pass through that road on Saturdays.

24. The famous animal conservationist \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to raise funds for her latest African project when she was killed in a tragic accident.

25. The man who \_\_\_\_\_ (apprehend) by the police a fortnight ago has just been released.

26. My friend is good at \_\_\_\_\_ (play) volleyball.

27. I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a beautiful dream when the alarm rang.

28. Too many whales \_\_\_\_\_ (kill) every year.

29. Miss Robinson asked me why I \_\_\_\_\_ (not sleep) the previous night.

30. A football team \_\_\_\_\_ (make) up of eleven members.

31. Ever since Belle began her course in university, she \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) as much yoga as she used to.

32. She doesn't feel like \_\_\_\_\_ (work) on the computer.

33. For the last hour, the committee \_\_\_\_\_ (discuss) when to start building the bridge.

34. I \_\_\_\_\_ (read) 30 books by December this year.

35. If you \_\_\_\_\_ (own) a car, you should get it serviced regularly.

36. The Mayan civilization \_\_\_\_\_ (cease) to exist long before the first Europeans arrived in the America.

37. He \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to China, so you can't meet him now.

38. He doesn't resent \_\_\_\_\_ (be) laughed at.

39. I \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) my watch at home so I don't know what time is it now.

40. This dictionary \_\_\_\_\_ (not belong) to you. Yours has been taken away by Olivia.

41. He \_\_\_\_\_ (resume) his speech if the principal had allowed him.

42. A widespread outbreak of plague \_\_\_\_\_ (occur) in 1928.

43. The girls insisted on \_\_\_\_\_ (go) out with Kerry.

44. The sun \_\_\_\_\_ (shine) and the birds were singing as the elephant came out of the jungle.

45. The lights in the kitchen \_\_\_\_\_ (usually leave) on throughout the night.

46. Although tigers \_\_\_\_\_ (not find) in Africa, plenty of lions live there.

47. When I turn 30, I \_\_\_\_\_ (play) piano for 21 years.

48. I am longing \_\_\_\_\_ (see) you.

49. \_\_\_\_\_ the problem \_\_\_\_\_ (solve) yet?

50. The thief \_\_\_\_\_ (run) away before the police arrived.