

BÀI TẬP TỔNG HỢP VỀ CÁC THÌ TRONG TIẾNG ANH

EXERCISE 1: Use the correct form of verbs in brackets.

1. In all the world, there (be) _____ only 14 mountains that (reach) _____ above 8,000 metres.
2. He sometimes (come) _____ to see his parents.
3. When I (come) _____, she (leave) _____ for Dalat ten minutes ago.
4. My grandfather never (fly) _____ in an airplane, and he has no intention of ever doing so.
5. We just (decide) _____ that we (undertake) _____ the job.
6. He told me that he (take) _____ a trip to California the following week.
7. I knew that this road (be) _____ too narrow.
8. Right now I (attend) _____ class. Yesterday at this time I (attend) _____ class.
9. Tomorrow I'm going to leave for home. When I (arrive) _____ at the airport, Mary (wait) _____ for me.
10. Margaret was born in 1950. By last year, she (live) _____ on this earth for 55 years .
11. The traffic was very heavy. By the time I (get) _____ to Mary's party, everyone already (arrive) _____
12. I will graduate in June. I (see) _____ you in July. By the time I (see) _____ you , I (graduate) _____.
13. I (visit) _____ my uncle's home regularly when I (be) _____ a child.
14. That book (be) _____ on the table for weeks. You (not read) _____ it yet ?
15. David (wash) _____ his hands. He just (repair) _____ the TV set.
16. You (be) _____ here before? Yes, I (spend) _____ my holidays here last year.

17. We never (meet) _____ him. We don't know what he (look) _____ like.
18. The car (be) _____ ready for him by the time he (come) _____ tomorrow.
19. On arriving at home I (find) _____ that she just (leave) _____ a few minutes before.
20. When we (arrive) _____ in London tonight, it probably (rain) _____.
21. He _____ his first championship in 2012. Since then he _____ everything and _____ only once. (WIN, WIN, LOSE)
22. When we finally _____ at the camp it _____ heavily. (ARRIVE, RAIN)
23. Dad _____ a walk with the dog every afternoon. (TAKE)
24. I can't reach my manager. He _____ in North America at the moment. (TRAVEL)
25. I _____ to the meeting yesterday because I _____ about it. (NOT GO, NOT INFORM)
26. I _____ your uncle for ages. I don't know where he _____ right now. (NOT SEE, BE)
27. The family usually _____ breakfast together during the week, but on weekends everyone _____ breakfast on their own. (HAVE, HAVE)
28. I _____ this school for the last two years. Before that I _____ to Jackson High School for a year. (ATTEND, GO)
29. What _____ when the headmaster _____ the room yesterday afternoon? (YOU DO, ENTER)
30. I _____ at the door for ages. Where _____? (KNOCK, YOU BE)

EXERCISE 2: Use the correct form of verbs in brackets.

I can remember many happy events of my life and out of those, I would like to talk about the event that I can still remember vividly. It 01..... (be) indeed an exhilarating event and that was regarding my success in the board final exam. The moment I 02..... (hear) that I had been awarded a scholarship for my performance in the board exam, I 03..... (become) the happiest man in the world.

This 04..... (be) truly a felicitous moment for me as it is something I was looking forward to very eagerly and the news 05..... (make) my parents quite happy and proud. I would like to thank you for letting me talk about this event.

I 06.....(wait) almost a month with great anxiety for my result. I 07..... (start) speculating so many things and many of them were negative. I could hardly stop thinking about my upcoming result during this period. The result was highly important and my college admission was dependent on it. I could not sleep well the night before the result publishing day. I think it is common for students to worry about their results, especially for important exams, and I was familiar with this type of concern. However, I have to admit that I had been more worried about it than other exam results I can remember.

The result was published at around 11.00 am and I 08.....(find) that I did exceptionally well. I was so relieved and happy that I was on cloud nine. Then I hurriedly returned home and gave the news to my parents. They were very happy. My father, who rarely expresses his emotions 09..... (be) also very pleased, and my mother called a few of our relatives to share the good news. I felt excited, happy and relieved. At that time I was about 15 years old. It 10..... (happen) in our hometown. It was so pleasant an event that I still remember every bit of it.

EXERCISE 3: Write sentences, using the tense given. Add any words you need.

1. She – often – shop – at Macy's (present simple)

2. We – watch TV – when – we – hear – bad news (past simple – progressive)

3. I – find – my briefcase – this morning (present perfect)

4. My sister – get married – next Sunday (present progressive)

5. I – prepare – for the test – since Monday (present perfect progressive)

6. Where – he – go? (present perfect)

7. How often – you went – to the dentist – last year? (past simple)

8. After – I – hear – noise – I – go – out (past simple – perfect)

9. Breakfast – not serve – after 11 o'clock (present simple)

10. What – he – do? (near future)