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- Complete this text using the following prepositions:

before - until - ago - past - before - at - at - during - when - after

The Adventure

John always wanted to see the old ruins. He planned his trip well to make sure he got there (1) _____ sunrise and stayed (2) _____ sunset. His flight arrived two days (3) _____, giving him plenty of time to get used to the new time zone. He set his alarm for five minutes (4) _____ six and left the hotel (5) _____ six-thirty. The tour started (6) _____ eight in the morning and ended (7) _____ four in the afternoon. He took many pictures (8) _____ the tour. He couldn't wait to show them to his friends (9) _____ he got home. He knew it was a trip he would remember for a long time, even (10) _____ he came back.

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- Choose the correct preposition to complete each sentence.

1. The train will arrive _____ 5 p.m.
 - a) until
 - b) by
 - c) during
2. He has lived here _____ 2010.
 - a) after
 - b) from
 - c) since
3. She stayed awake _____ the entire movie.
 - a) by
 - b) during
 - c) before
4. We will meet _____ the concert.
 - a) after
 - b) until
 - c) past
5. They studied _____ the night.
 - a) from
 - b) till
 - c) ago

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Discuss one of the following topics and be ready to share with your classmates what you discussed (Use by, "until/till," "during," "before," "after," "from," "to," "past," and "ago":

- The impact of social media during the pandemic.
- Changes in work culture from remote to hybrid models.
- Environmental changes and actions to take before it's too late.
- Technological advancements in the past decade.
- Predictions for the future of education.

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- Fill in the blanks with the appropriate preposition.

1. The assignment is due _____ Monday.
2. The store is open _____ 9 p.m.
3. I will call you _____ the meeting.
4. They finished their work _____ the presentation started.
5. She moved to the city two years _____.
6. The class lasts _____ 8 a.m. _____ 10 a.m.
7. We had a great time _____ our vacation.
8. He arrived five minutes _____ ten.
9. Please stay here _____ I return.
10. We will meet for coffee _____ the workshop.