

## EXERCISE

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## TENSES AND CONCORD

Enrichment

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

- 1 Joanne \_\_\_\_\_ for her father at the school gate. He is late.  
(1) wait (2) waited (3) is waiting (4) was waiting ( 3 )
- 2 A man \_\_\_\_\_ my wallet and fled.  
(1) grabs (2) grabbed (3) grabbing (4) was grabbing ( )
- 3 Alan \_\_\_\_\_ a sweater because it was cold.  
(1) wears (2) wearing (3) wore (4) will wear ( )
- 4 The tide \_\_\_\_\_ in. We must leave now.  
(1) comes (2) came (3) is coming (4) was coming ( )
- 5 George \_\_\_\_\_ to understand how to use the computer.  
(1) is beginning (3) begin  
(2) beginning (4) begun ( )
- 6 The birds \_\_\_\_\_ outside my window every morning.  
(1) chirp (3) were chirping  
(2) chirped (4) was chirping ( )
- 7 Estelle \_\_\_\_\_ the steps in the recipe and bakes a cake.  
(1) follow (2) follows (3) followed (4) was following ( )
- 8 Jeff \_\_\_\_\_ very hard because his piano examination is around the corner.  
(1) practise (3) was practising  
(2) practised (4) is practising ( )
- 9 I \_\_\_\_\_ bowling with my friends every Friday evening.  
(1) go (2) went (3) am going (4) goes ( )
- 10 My mother \_\_\_\_\_ the hole in my dress now.  
(1) mend (3) mended  
(2) is mending (4) was mending ( )