

EXERCISE

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TENSES AND CONCORD

Enrichment

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

- 1 The audience _____ after Jack had sung the song.
(1) clap (2) clapped (3) claps (4) are clapping (2)
- 2 The police arrested the robber after they _____ enough evidence at the scene of the crime.
(1) find (2) finds (3) finding (4) had found ()
- 3 Henry went to the park after he _____ his project.
(1) finish (3) were finishing
(2) finishes (4) had finished ()
- 4 After we _____ our tickets, we boarded the train.
(1) collect (3) collecting
(2) collects (4) had collected ()
- 5 The guests had arrived before the caterers _____ the food.
(1) bring (2) brings (3) brought (4) had brought ()
- 6 David _____ the email before the blackout occurred.
(1) sending (2) had sent (3) send (4) sends ()
- 7 A long queue _____ outside the restaurant when we arrived.
(1) form (2) forms (3) forming (4) had formed ()
- 8 Ben _____ in this neighbourhood for ten years before he moved to the city.
(1) had lived (2) live (3) lives (4) were living ()
- 9 The naughty boys _____ away before the police came.
(1) run (2) runs (3) has run (4) had run ()
- 10 Joe _____ his own car after he had obtained his driving licence.
(1) bought (3) buys
(2) had bought (4) buy ()