

Fill In The Blanks with the correct Past Perfect Continuous Tense forms of the given verbs.

- 1) This bookstore _____ (not / sell) second-hand books before last year.
- 2) The children _____ (not / play) in the park before it started raining.
- 3) Some dogs _____ (not / behave) in the park before their owners arrived.
- 4) His dog _____ (not / dig) holes in the yard before last week.
- 5) Those customers _____ (not / complain) when I spoke to them.
- 6) The brown dog _____ (not / bark) before the mailman arrived.
- 7) His neighbors _____ (not / clean) their yard when we passed by.
- 8) They _____ (not / dance) when the music stopped.
- 9) Our friends _____ (not / leave) the party before midnight.
- 10) A large crowd _____ (not / wait) outside the stadium when we arrived.
- 11) Many visitors _____ (not / look) at the exhibits before they left.
- 12) That group of tourists _____ (not / visit) the museum before it closed.
- 13) My grandparents _____ (not / watch) the news before I called them.
- 14) Those volunteers _____ (not / help) clean the beach before the event started.
- 15) That family _____ (not / eat) dinner when I arrived.
- 16) The scientist _____ (not / experiment) on the new formula before publishing his research.
- 17) The neighbors _____ (not / play) loud music when I asked them to stop.
- 18) The noisy crowd _____ (not / cheer) before the goal was scored.
- 19) The tourists _____ (not / explore) the city before hiring a guide.
- 20) A large group of students _____ (not / ask) questions before the exam.
- 21) These tired students _____ (not / listen) before the teacher shouted.
- 22) Some players _____ (not / arrive) at the field before the game started.
- 23) Our history professor _____ (not / teach) at the university before last year.
- 24) The sleepy toddler _____ (not / yawn) before bedtime.
- 25) He _____ (not / clean) the kitchen when I came home.

Answer Sheet (Q8FAN1)

Past Perfect Continuous Tense: Negative Sentences: Beginner Level: Fill In The Blanks Quiz 1

- 1) hadn't been selling
- 2) hadn't been playing
- 3) hadn't been behaving
- 4) hadn't been digging
- 5) hadn't been complaining
- 6) hadn't been barking
- 7) hadn't been cleaning
- 8) hadn't been dancing
- 9) hadn't been leaving
- 10) hadn't been waiting
- 11) hadn't been looking
- 12) hadn't been visiting
- 13) hadn't been watching
- 14) hadn't been helping
- 15) hadn't been eating
- 16) hadn't been experimenting
- 17) hadn't been playing
- 18) hadn't been cheering
- 19) hadn't been exploring
- 20) hadn't been asking
- 21) hadn't been listening
- 22) hadn't been arriving
- 23) hadn't been teaching
- 24) hadn't been yawning
- 25) hadn't been cleaning



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