

Choose the option that fits Past Perfect Continuous Tense and completes the sentence correctly.

- 1) He _____ for his appointment for over an hour before he got in.
A) had been waiting B) had been waits C) had been wait D) had waited
- 2) A few tourists _____ the park all day before it closed.
A) had been visiting B) had visited C) had been visits D) had been visit
- 3) The workers _____ the road for days when the new equipment arrived.
A) had been repairs B) had repaired C) had been repair D) had been repairing
- 4) The couple _____ for a new house for months when they found the perfect one.
A) had looked B) had been looks C) had been look D) had been looking
- 5) The researchers _____ the effects of climate change for years when they published the results.
A) had been study B) had been studies C) had been studying D) had studied
- 6) The washing machine _____ properly before it broke down.
A) hadn't been ran B) hadn't been run C) hadn't been running D) hadn't been runs
- 7) Our teacher _____ the topic clearly before the quiz.
A) hadn't been explains B) hadn't been explaining C) hadn't been explain D) hadn't been explained
- 8) The hotel _____ free Wi-Fi before the new management took over.
A) hadn't been offered B) hadn't been offer C) hadn't been offering D) hadn't been offers
- 9) The little boy _____ well before his parents changed his routine.
A) hadn't been sleep B) hadn't been slept C) hadn't been sleeping D) hadn't been sleeps
- 10) The old train _____ on that route for several years.
A) hadn't been operate B) hadn't been operating C) hadn't been operates D) hadn't been operated
- 11) _____ those workers _____ their work before the break?
A) had / been finish B) had / been finished C) had / been finishing D) had / been finishes
- 12) _____ several tourists _____ the city before the weather changed?
A) had / been explored B) had / been exploring C) had / been explore D) had / been explores
- 13) _____ the employees _____ the project before the client arrived?
A) had / been completing B) had / been complete C) had / been completed D) had / been completes
- 14) What _____ some people _____ when the power went out?
A) had / been doing B) had / been do C) had / been done D) had / been does
- 15) Why _____ the workers _____ so long to finish the task?
A) had / been taken B) had / been takes C) had / been taking D) had / been take

Answer Sheet (Q8CBA3)

Past Perfect Continuous Tense: All Sentence Types: Intermediate Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 3

- 1) A) had been waiting
- 2) A) had been visiting
- 3) D) had been repairing
- 4) D) had been looking
- 5) C) had been studying
- 6) C) hadn't been running
- 7) B) hadn't been explaining
- 8) C) hadn't been offering
- 9) C) hadn't been sleeping
- 10) B) hadn't been operating
- 11) C) had / been finishing
- 12) B) had / been exploring
- 13) A) had / been completing
- 14) A) had / been doing
- 15) C) had / been taking



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