

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

- 1) The neighbors _____ their house for weeks when they finally invited us to the party.
A) had been decorates B) had decorated C) had been decorate D) had been decorating
- 2) The children _____ noise all morning when their parents asked them to be quiet.
A) had made B) had been makes C) had been making D) had been make
- 3) They _____ the conference for weeks before the speakers arrived.
A) had been organizes B) had been organizing C) had organized D) had been organize
- 4) The workers _____ on the road all day when the equipment broke down.
A) had been work B) had been working C) had worked D) had been works
- 5) The yoga group _____ every morning when they decided to join a class.
A) had practiced B) had been practice C) had been practices D) had been practicing
- 6) The machine _____ well before the maintenance.
A) hadn't been operating B) hadn't been operates C) hadn't been operate D) hadn't been operated
- 7) The clock _____ properly before we replaced the battery.
A) hadn't been work B) hadn't been working C) hadn't been worked D) hadn't been works
- 8) That comedian _____ in front of large audiences before.
A) hadn't been performs B) hadn't been performing C) hadn't been performed D) hadn't been perform
- 9) Lots of tourists _____ this place before the promotion.
A) hadn't been visiting B) hadn't been visit C) hadn't been visits D) hadn't been visited
- 10) Some farmers _____ the animals properly.
A) hadn't been feeding B) hadn't been feeds C) hadn't been fed D) hadn't been feed
- 11) _____ the students _____ for the class before the teacher arrived?
A) hadn't / been preparing B) hadn't / been prepared C) hadn't / been prepare D) hadn't / been prepares
- 12) _____ a lot of children _____ outside before it started to rain?
A) had / been played B) had / been playing C) had / been play D) had / been plays
- 13) _____ those scientists _____ the topic before the paper was published?
A) had / been researches B) had / been researched C) had / been researching D) had / been research
- 14) Where _____ the children _____ before they visited the zoo?
A) had / been go B) had / been went C) had / been going D) had / been gone
- 15) When _____ the manager _____ the staff about the new policy?
A) had / been informing B) had / been informed C) had / been informs D) had / been inform

Answer Sheet (Q8CBA9)

Past Perfect Continuous Tense: All Sentence Types: Intermediate Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 9

- 1) D) had been decorating
- 2) C) had been making
- 3) B) had been organizing
- 4) B) had been working
- 5) D) had been practicing
- 6) A) hadn't been operating
- 7) B) hadn't been working
- 8) B) hadn't been performing
- 9) A) hadn't been visiting
- 10) A) hadn't been feeding
- 11) A) hadn't / been preparing
- 12) B) had / been playing
- 13) C) had / been researching
- 14) C) had / been going
- 15) A) had / been informing



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