

Choose the option that completes the sentence by using **Present Perfect Tense** or **Simple Past Tense**.

- 1) **The editor _____ the article yet. The deadline is tomorrow.**
A) haven't reviewed B) hasn't reviewed C) didn't review D) didn't reviewing
- 2) **My uncle _____ the fence, and it looked brand new.**
A) painted B) paints C) have painted D) has painted
- 3) **The programmers _____ the algorithm. It now runs more efficiently.**
A) refining B) has refined C) refined D) have refined
- 4) **The committee _____ the proposal last Thursday, and they gave us feedback.**
A) has reviewed B) have reviewed C) reviewing D) reviewed
- 5) **A few engineers _____ the new software. They are fixing bugs now.**
A) have tested B) tested C) testing D) has tested
- 6) **Both teams _____ their strategies. The final match is approaching.**
A) prepares B) have prepared C) has prepared D) prepared
- 7) **The research team _____ the train yesterday, as it was easier.**
A) taken B) have taken C) took D) has taken
- 8) **The truck _____ late because of the traffic.**
A) has arrived B) arriving C) arrived D) have arrived
- 9) **Some guests _____ already _____ at the event, yet they had to wait for the ceremony to begin.**
A) have / arriving B) has / arrived C) has / arriving D) have / arrived
- 10) **Tom _____ recently _____ a new job at the law firm.**
A) has / starting B) have / started C) have / starting D) has / started
- 11) **The new interns _____ already _____ their orientation.**
A) have / completed B) has / completed C) have / completes D) has / completes
- 12) **The assistants _____ already _____ the files. They are ready for the meeting.**
A) has / organized B) have / organizing C) have / organized D) has / organizing
- 13) **This team of engineers _____ a new prototype. It will be tested next week.**
A) developed B) develops C) has developed D) have developed
- 14) **Several employees _____ often _____ improvements to the workflow.**
A) have / suggests B) has / suggests C) has / suggested D) have / suggested
- 15) **Those machines _____ recently _____ during testing.**
A) has / malfunctions B) has / malfunctioned C) have / malfunctions D) have / malfunctioned

Answer Sheet (C3MB5)

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- 1) B) hasn't reviewed
- 2) A) painted
- 3) D) have refined
- 4) D) reviewed
- 5) A) have tested
- 6) B) have prepared
- 7) C) took
- 8) C) arrived
- 9) D) have / arrived
- 10) D) has / started
- 11) A) have / completed
- 12) C) have / organized
- 13) C) has developed
- 14) D) have / suggested
- 15) D) have / malfunctioned



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