

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

- 1) The writer _____ the manuscript before the publisher asked for edits.
A) completing B) had completing C) had completed D) completed
- 2) The travelers _____ the city before the rain started.
A) explored B) had explored C) exploring D) had exploring
- 3) The cat _____ the mouse before it ran into the hole.
A) didn't catches B) hadn't caught C) hadn't catches D) didn't caught
- 4) The ice storm _____ before the rescue team arrived.
A) hadn't passed B) hadn't passing C) didn't pass D) didn't passing
- 5) The players _____ before the championship.
A) didn't train B) hadn't trains C) didn't trained D) hadn't training
- 6) A group of volunteers _____ the beach last weekend.
A) had cleaned B) had cleaning C) cleaned D) cleans
- 7) The students _____ their presentation when the professor asked them to stop.
A) hadn't finishes B) didn't finished C) didn't finish D) hadn't finished
- 8) The angry river _____ the nearby villages last season.
A) flooded B) flooding C) had flooded D) had floods
- 9) We _____ about the changes before the meeting.
A) hadn't knowing B) didn't know C) hadn't known D) didn't known
- 10) I _____ my wallet before I went to the store.
A) hadn't found B) didn't found C) hadn't finding D) didn't finding
- 11) The chef _____ the food before the guests entered the restaurant.
A) had preparing B) prepares C) had prepared D) prepared
- 12) The warm sun _____ all day during the festival.
A) shining B) shone C) had shone D) had shines
- 13) Several farmers _____ the fences before winter.
A) had repairs B) repairing C) had repairing D) repaired
- 14) Those children _____ a sandcastle at the beach last summer.
A) had built B) built C) building D) had building
- 15) The villagers _____ the festival last month.
A) celebrating B) celebrated C) had celebrates D) had celebrating

Answer Sheet (C5MB6)

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- 1) C) had completed
- 2) B) had explored
- 3) B) hadn't caught
- 4) A) hadn't passed
- 5) A) didn't train
- 6) C) cleaned
- 7) C) didn't finish
- 8) A) flooded
- 9) B) didn't know
- 10) A) hadn't found
- 11) C) had prepared
- 12) B) shone
- 13) D) repaired
- 14) B) built
- 15) B) celebrated



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