

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

- 1) **The workers _____ at the site before the project started.**
A) had arrives B) had arrived C) arrived D) arrives
- 2) **The team _____ before the ceremony started.**
A) hadn't arrives B) didn't arrive C) didn't arrived D) hadn't arrived
- 3) **She _____ her dinner when the phone rang.**
A) didn't finishing B) hadn't finishes C) hadn't finished D) didn't finish
- 4) **The workers _____ the assignment before the deadline passed.**
A) completes B) had completes C) had completed D) completed
- 5) **The singer _____ the song before the audience cheered.**
A) performed B) had performing C) had performed D) performs
- 6) **The professor _____ that subject when I was a student.**
A) hadn't teaching B) hadn't teaches C) didn't taught D) didn't teach
- 7) **A teacher _____ the students before the exam started.**
A) helping B) helped C) had helped D) had helps
- 8) **The police officer _____ after the accident occurred.**
A) arrived B) had arrived C) had arriving D) arriving
- 9) **A group of students _____ the charity event last year.**
A) had organized B) organized C) had organizes D) organizing
- 10) **A man _____ before the meeting started.**
A) didn't arrive B) hadn't arrives C) hadn't arrived D) didn't arrived
- 11) **The workers _____ before the deadline.**
A) hadn't left B) hadn't leaving C) didn't leave D) didn't leaving
- 12) **The gentle rain _____ steadily all night.**
A) fell B) had falls C) had fell D) fallen
- 13) **My brother _____ the house before I woke up.**
A) had left B) leaving C) had leaves D) leaves
- 14) **They _____ in the contest last year.**
A) hadn't participating B) didn't participating C) didn't participate D) hadn't participated
- 15) **The professor _____ the topic before the students asked questions.**
A) explaining B) had explaining C) had explained D) explains

Answer Sheet (C5MB9)

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- 1) B) had arrived
- 2) D) hadn't arrived
- 3) D) didn't finish
- 4) C) had completed
- 5) C) had performed
- 6) D) didn't teach
- 7) C) had helped
- 8) A) arrived
- 9) B) organized
- 10) C) hadn't arrived
- 11) C) didn't leave
- 12) A) fell
- 13) A) had left
- 14) C) didn't participate
- 15) C) had explained



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