

English Grammar Worksheet – Tenses

Fill in the blanks using the correct tense forms.

1. She _____ to school every day and _____ her homework regularly.

- a) go / do
- b) goes / does
- c) went / does
- d) is going / doing

2. They _____ the match yesterday and _____ a celebration at night.

- a) win / have
- b) won / had
- c) have won / have
- d) were winning / were having

3. When I _____ him, he _____ a novel.

- a) see / reads
- b) saw / was reading
- c) see / is reading
- d) saw / read

4. We _____ here since morning and _____ for the teacher patiently.

- a) are sitting / wait
- b) have been sitting / are waiting
- c) sat / waited
- d) sit / wait

5. By the time the train _____, we _____ the platform.

- a) arrives / reach
- b) arrived / had reached
- c) arrived / reached
- d) arrives / had reached

6. He usually _____ early and _____ for a walk.

- a) wakes / goes
- b) woke / went
- c) is waking / is going
- d) has woken / has gone

7. She _____ dinner when the guests _____.

- a) cooks / arrive
- b) was cooking / arrived
- c) cooked / arrive
- d) is cooking / arrives

8. They _____ in this city for ten years and _____ it very well.

- a) live / know
- b) lived / knew
- c) have lived / know
- d) are living / knew

9. I _____ my homework before I _____ out to play.

- a) complete / go
- b) completed / go
- c) had completed / went
- d) complete / went

10. The children _____ loudly while the teacher _____.

- a) talk / enters
- b) were talking / entered
- c) talked / enter
- d) are talking / entered

11. She _____ the movie already and _____ the review online.

- a) watches / posts
- b) watched / posted
- c) has watched / has posted
- d) is watching / is posting

12. We _____ lunch when the power _____.

- a) have / goes
- b) were having / went
- c) had / goes
- d) are having / goes

13. He _____ hard these days and _____ good progress.

- a) studies / makes
- b) studied / made
- c) is studying / is making
- d) studies / has made

14. By next year, she _____ her degree and _____ teaching.

- a) completes / starts
- b) complete / will start
- c) will have completed / will start
- d) completed / started

15. They _____ the temple before they _____ home.

- a) visit / return
- b) visited / returned
- c) had visited / returned
- d) visit / returned

16. The sun _____ in the east and _____ in the west.

- a) rise / set
- b) rises / sets
- c) rose / set
- d) is rising / is setting

17. I _____ him since he _____ the school.

- a) see / left
- b) not seen / left
- c) do not see / leaves
- d) had not seen / left

18. She _____ the exam because she _____ well.

- a) passes / prepares
- b) passed / will prepare
- c) has passed / prepared
- d) is passing / prepares

19. While we _____ the road, it suddenly _____.

- a) cross / rains
- b) crossed / rained
- c) were crossing / rained
- d) are crossing / rains

20. He _____ a letter after he _____ the news.

- a) writes / hears
- b) wrote / heard
- c) written / heard
- d) writes / heard

21. The teacher _____ the lesson and _____ questions.

- a) explains / asks
- b) explain / asked
- c) is explaining / asking
- d) has explained / has asked

22. They _____ the project by tomorrow and _____ it to the teacher.

- a) complete / submit
- b) will complete / submit
- c) completes / submit
- d) completed / submitted

23. She _____ a song when I _____ her.

- a) sings / meet
- b) was singing / met
- c) sang / meet
- d) is singing / met

24. We _____ cricket every evening and _____ it very much.

- a) play / enjoy
- b) play / enjoyed
- c) are playing / enjoyed
- d) have played / enjoy

25. The baby _____ when the mother _____ the room.

- a) cries / leaves
- b) is crying / left
- c) was crying / left
- d) is crying / leaves

26. He _____ the truth after he _____ the report.

- a) knows / reads
- b) knew / read
- c) had known / read
- d) will know / reads

27. She _____ for the bus when it suddenly _____.

- a) waits / arrives
- b) waited / arrived
- c) was waiting / arrived
- d) is waiting / arrives

28. They _____ dinner before the guests _____.

- a) finish / arrive
- b) finished / arrived
- c) had finished / arrived
- d) finish / arrived

29. The bell _____ and the students _____ out.

- a) rings / run
- b) rang / ran
- c) has rung / run
- d) is ringing / ran

30. By the time we _____ there, the show _____.

- a) reach / starts
 - b) reached / started
 - c) had reached / had started
 - d) reach / had started
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Answer Key

1. **b**
2. **b**
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4. **b**
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6. **a**
7. **b**
8. **c**
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10. **b**
11. **c**
12. **b**
13. **c**
14. **c**
15. **c**
16. **b**
17. **d**
18. **c**
19. **c**
20. **b**
21. **a**
22. **b**
23. **b**
24. **a**
25. **c**
26. **b**
27. **c**
28. **c**
29. **b**
30. **b**

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