Gap Filling Grammar Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. .................................. such a mess.

Never I have seen
Never have I seen

2. If I knew I ......................... you straightaway.

will tell
would tell
would have told

3. I ................................. movies.

rarely watch
watch rarely
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4. I usually ....................... up at 6.

- wake
- woke
- am waking

5. She ......................... go out.

- often does not
- does not often
- does often not

6. You ....................... to do something about that letter from the tax people.

Please select 2 correct answers

- need
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ought

must

should

7. You don't need .............................. for me.

wait

to wait

waiting

8. You needn't .............................. waited for me.

have

to have

Either could be used here

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9. You had better ................................ him.

- not to disturb
- not disturb
- to not disturb

10. I .................................. go if I were you.

- won't
- wouldn't
- can't

11. I told him ................................ it.

- not to do
- to not do
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12. I showed ................................ the photos.

not do

him

to him

for him

Answers

Never have I seen such a mess.
If I knew I would tell you straightaway.
I rarely watch movies.
I usually wake up at 6.
She does not often go out.
You ought /need to do something about that letter from the tax people.
You don’t need to wait for me.
You needn’t have waited for me.
You had better not disturb him.
I won’t go if I were you.
I told him not to do it.
I showed him the photos.