

General Grammar Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate verb form.

1. The train before we reached the railway station.

left

has left

had left

2. The old man alone in that hut.

is living

lives

has lived

3. Rani for a job ever since she left college.

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is trying

has been trying

has tried

4. Samuel two wickets before rain interrupted play.

took

has taken

had taken

5. I him before he left.

met

had met

have met

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6. I very hard last month.

worked

used to work

had worked

7. I in Mumbai for 10 years.

live

lived

had lived

8. I London three times last year.

visited

have visited

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had visited

9. I always be afraid of dogs.

use to

used to

10. Heat bodies.

expand

expands

has expanded

11. We here since 1990.

Please select 2 correct answers

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have lived

have been living

are living

12. Did you him yesterday?

see

saw

seen

Answers

1. The train had left before we reached the railway station.
2. The old man lives alone in that hut.
3. Rani has been trying for a job ever since she left college.
4. Samuel had taken two wickets before rain interrupted play.

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5. I had met him before he left.

6. I worked very hard last month.

7. I lived in Mumbai for 10 years.

8. I visited London three times last year.

9. I always used to be afraid of dogs.

10. Heat expands bodies.

11. We have been living here since 1990. 12. Did you see him yesterday?