

Participles exercise

Complete the following sentences using the present participle or past participle form of the verb.

1. A child dreads fire.

burnt
burned

2. He was wearing a shirt.

tearing
torn

3. the wicked man, the boy ran into the house.

Seen
Seeing

4. occupied with work, he couldn't meet us.

Being
Been

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5. by her behavior, he walked out.

Irritated
Irritating

6. It was in the storm.

broken
breaking

7. He lived alone, by everybody.

forgetting
forgotten

8. I love the noise of rain.

falling
fallen

9. The house looked

abandoned
abandoning

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10. I was very in the program.

interesting

interested

11. She is a very writer.

interesting

interested

12. He is a well-..... person.

read

reading

Answers

1. A burnt child dreads fire.
2. He was wearing a torn shirt.
3. Seeing a wicked man, the boy ran into the house.
4. Being pre-occupied with work, he couldn't meet us.
5. Irritated by her behavior, he walked out.

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6. It was broken in the storm.
7. He lived alone forgotten by everybody.
8. I love the noise of falling rain.
9. The house looked abandoned.
10. I was very interested in the program.
11. She is a very interesting writer.
12. He is a well-read person.