Fill in the blanks with an appropriate tense form.

1. When I opened my eyes, I ................... a strange sight.
   saw
   was seeing
   have seen

2. Every morning she ................... up early and gets ready for work.
   is waking
   wakes
   has woken

3. If I knew what he wanted, I ................... this.
   will not permit
   would not permit
   would not have permitted

4. I ...................... anything from her in a long time.
   didn't hear
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haven't heard
am not hearing

5. The headmaster ................... to talk to you.

want
wants
is wanting


is living
lives
has lived

7. We ..................... Greece next month.

visit
will visit
would visit
are visiting

8. The moon .................. around the earth.

is revolving
Tenses Exercise

9. She ....................... a novel.
   wrote
   writes
   has written

10. All students .................. in their work.
    handed
    have handed
    hand

11. I ...................... English for twelve years.
    am teaching
    have been teaching
    will be teaching

12. The students ..................... their dialogues.
    rehearse
Tenses Exercise

good morning
Either could be used here

Answers

1. When I opened my eyes, I saw a strange sight.
2. Every morning she wakes up early and gets ready for work.
3. If I knew what he wanted, I would not permit this.
4. I haven’t heard anything from her in a long time.
5. The headmaster wants to talk to you.
7. We are visiting Greece next month.
8. The moon revolves around the earth.
9. She has written a novel.
10. All students have handed in their work.
11. I have been teaching English for twelve years.
12. The students are rehearsing their dialogues.