

# Tenses Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate tense form.

1. Sam ..... his homework for two years.

was doing

is doing

has been doing

2. We ..... a strange experience yesterday.

have

had

had had

3. He ..... for Singapore last week.

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left

had left

has left

4. See that you ..... disturb the patients.

do not

did not

is not

5. You will win if you ..... hard.

work

worked

have worked

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6. The post mortem report proved that the man ..... ten hours ago.

has been killed

had been killed

was killed

7. The train ..... by the time we reached the station.

left

has left

had left

8. Every morning, I ..... for 30 minutes.

meditated

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am meditating

meditate

9. He ..... school at fifteen.

left

has left

had left

10. You cannot meet him now. He  
..... home.

went

has gone

went

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11. When we visited her she .....  
bed ridden for six months.

was

has been

had been

12. If you ..... to me, you  
wouldn't land in trouble.

listen

listened

have listened

## Answers

1. Sam has been doing his homework for two years.
2. We had a strange experience yesterday.

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3. He left for Singapore last week.
4. See that you do not disturb the patients.
5. You will win if you work hard.
6. The post mortem report proved that the man had been killed ten hours ago.
7. The train had left by the time we reached the station.
8. Every morning, I meditate for 30 minutes.
9. He left school at fifteen.
10. You cannot meet him now. He has gone home.
11. When we visited her she had been bed ridden for six months.
12. If you listened to me, you wouldn't land in trouble.