Tenses Exercise

Fill in the blanks with an appropriate tense form.

1. Grandpa ……………………….. for a walk every morning.
   - goes
   - is going
   - will go

2. All mothers ………………………….. their children.
   - love
   - will love
   - would love

3. The British once ……………………….. India.
   - was ruling
4. Grandpa …………………………… to the temple yesterday.

has gone
went
had gone

5. I …………………………… something last night.

heard
was hearing
hears
6. He ................................. gently to the child.

speaks
spoken
spoke

7. The pond ............................... up every summer.
dry
dried
dries

8. Humble words ............................. others joy.
give
gives
9. He .................................. a living by mending shoes.

10. He .................................. school at fourteen.
11. The puppy __________________ by a group of boys.

- rescued
- was rescued
- has rescued

Answers

1. Grandpa goes for a walk every morning.

2. All mothers love their children.

3. The British once ruled India.

4. Grandpa went to the temple yesterday.

5. I heard something last night.

6. He spoke gently to the child.

7. The pond dries up every summer.

8. Humble words give others joy.
9. He makes a living by mending shoes.

10. He left school at fourteen.

11. The puppy was rescued by a group of boys.