Tenses Exercise

Fill in the blanks

1. We reached the venue before the show
   ........................................
   
   began
   begun
   begins

2. Her parents ........................................ with her.
   
   live
   are living
   have lived

3. We ........................................ in Mumbai for fifteen years by next January.
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4. We ................................... two tickets before rain interrupted the match.

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5. I ................................... him twice before he went abroad.

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have seen

6. When I was young, I ............................................
exercise every day.

used

used to

was used to

7. She ..................................................... for the US tonight.

leaves

is leaving

left

8. Water ..................................................... at 100 degree
Celsius.

boils

is boiling

has boiled

9. We ....................................... in this house for ten years now.

lived

are living

have lived

10. I ........................................... her if I wanted to.

could marry

could have married
11. Does she ................................... what she is doing?

know
knew
know

12. He ....................................... to be a scientist.

always wanted
is always wanting
has always wanted
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Answers

1. We reached the venue before the show began.

2. Her parents live with her.

3. We will have been living in Mumbai for fifteen years by next January.

4. We had lost two tickets before rain interrupted the match.

5. I had seen him twice before he went abroad.

6. When I was young, I used to exercise every day.

7. She is leaving for the US tonight.

8. Water boils at 100 degree Celsius.

9. We have lived in this house for ten years now.

10. I could have married her if I wanted to.

11. Does she know what she is doing?

12. He has always wanted to be a scientist.