

# Verbs Quiz

Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the verbs. Choose your answers from the given options.

1. I ..... for a pen  
..... this composition.

look, write  
am looking, to write  
look, for writing

2. She ..... up the stairs slowly  
because she didn't want .....

was climbing, fall  
climbed, to fall  
was climbing, falling

3. The teacher ..... the students  
..... the sum.

was asking, to solve  
asked, solved  
asked, to solve

4. Nobody ..... that he is

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innocent.

- is believing
- believes
- believe
- believed

5. Although the children were tired, they ..... playing.

- were continuing
- continued
- had continued

6. The stranger ..... the shopkeeper to give him a glass of water because he ..... thirsty.

- was requesting, was
- requested, was
- requested, is

7. Mother ..... busy cooking for the guests who are arriving in the evening.

- was

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has been

has

had been

8. As I ..... my eyes, I  
..... a strange sight.

was opening, was seeing

opened, saw

opened, was seeing

was opening, saw

9. The sparrow ..... away happily  
after eating the mango.

flies

flew

is flying

10. In spite of being very intelligent, he  
..... score good marks.

does not

has not

do not

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11. The erring students ..... with a strict warning by the principal.

let off

were let off

have let off

12. Penguins are different from other birds because they ..... to life in the water.

are adapting

are adapted

have adapting

## Answers

1. I am looking for a pen to write this composition.
2. She climbed up the stairs slowly because she didn't want to fall.
3. The teacher asked the students to solve the sum.
4. Nobody believes that he is innocent.
5. Although the children were tired, they continued playing.
6. The stranger requested the shopkeeper to give him a glass of water because he was thirsty.
7. Mother has been busy cooking for the guests who are arriving in the evening.
8. As I opened my eyes, I saw a strange sight.
9. The sparrow flew away happily after eating the mango.

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10. In spite of being very intelligent, he does not score good marks.
11. The erring students were let off with a strict warning by the principal.
12. Penguins are different from other birds because they are adapted to life in the water.