

ورقة عمل على جميع ازمنا الماضي

٥٠٠ سؤال

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1. They _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.
A) has been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked
2. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.
A) had worked B) worked C) was working D) is working
3. By the time he arrived, we _____ for the bus for 30 minutes.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) have waited
4. He _____ for his appointment for an hour before he finally left.
A) has been waiting B) had waited C) was waiting D) has waited
5. We _____ on the design for months before finalizing it.
A) is working B) worked C) were working D) had worked
6. They _____ for an answer for days before the problem was resolved.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited
7. I _____ in the garden when it started to rain yesterday.
A) had been working B) worked C) was working D) had worked
8. By the time he arrived at the office, he _____ for the meeting for hours.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) has waited
9. She _____ her project before the end of the month.
A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes
10. By the time he got home, the children _____ to bed.
A) had gone B) went C) were going D) goes
11. They _____ their vacation plans last year.
A) had discussed B) discussed C) were discussing D) had been discussing
12. While I _____ for the bus, I saw an old friend.
A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited
13. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.
A) completed B) had completed C) was completing D) completes
14. We _____ on the design for months before we finished it.
A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

15. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

16. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

17. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.

- A) had been searching B) searched C) were searching D) has searched

18. By the time we got to the party, they _____ all the food.

- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats

19. She _____ her homework before she went out to play.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

20. While he _____ the car, she was reading a book.

- A) was washing B) washed C) washes D) had washed

21. They _____ for an answer when the teacher came in.

- A) have been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited

22. By the time the rain stopped, we _____ in the park for hours.

- A) had been walking B) walked C) were walking D) have walked

23. He _____ for a job interview last year.

- A) had been preparing B) prepared C) was preparing D) had prepared

24. She _____ a novel last summer.

- A) wrote B) writes C) was writing D) had written

25. We _____ to the museum three years ago.

- A) went B) goes C) was going D) had gone

26. They _____ a new car in 2023.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

27. He _____ his keys yesterday.

- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost

28. I _____ a great meal in the past.

- A) enjoyed B) enjoys C) was enjoying D) had enjoyed

29. She _____ her homework last week.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished

30. We _____ to Paris in 2015.

- A) traveled B) travels C) was traveling D) had traveled

31. They _____ the project last year.

- A) completed B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

32. He _____ a book in 2010.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

33. I _____ my friend at the cafe yesterday.

- A) met B) meets C) was meeting D) had met

34. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

35. They _____ the dinner by the time the guests arrived.

- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats

36. He _____ his work before the meeting began.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

37. We _____ the book before the lecture started.

- A) had read B) read C) was reading D) reads

38. By the time she arrived, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) will wait

39. They _____ their vacation plans before booking the tickets.

- A) had discussed B) discussed C) were discussing D) had been discussing

40. By the time the train left, we _____ for 30 minutes.

- A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) are waiting

41. She _____ her letter before the post office closed.

- A) had sent B) sent C) was sending D) sends

42. While I _____ the car, she was making dinner.

- A) was washing B) washed C) washes D) had washed

43. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) were watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

44. He _____ his homework when I called him.

- A) was doing B) did C) does D) had done

45. We _____ at the park when it started to rain.

- A) were playing B) played C) plays D) had played

46. She _____ on her project while he was watching TV.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

47. I _____ a book when the phone rang.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

48. They _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) was having

49. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) sang C) sings D) had sung

50. We _____ for the bus when it started snowing.

- A) were waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

51. He _____ in the garden while the kids went to the market with their granny.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

52. By the time the movie started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

53. They _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.

- A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

54. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.

- A) has been working B) worked C) was working D) had worked

55. By the time he arrived, we _____ for the bus for 30 minutes.

- A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) has waited

56. He _____ for his appointment for an hour before he finally left.

- A) has been waiting B) waited C) had been waiting D) has waited

57. We _____ on the design for months before finalizing it.

- A) have been working B) had worked C) were working D) has worked

58. She _____ for the answer when the solution was revealed.

- A) has been searching B) searched C) was searching D) had searched

59. They _____ for an answer for days before the problem was resolved.

- A) has been waiting B) had waited C) were waiting D) have waited

60. I _____ in the garden when it started raining yesterday.

- A) have been working B) worked C) was working D) had worked

61. By the time he arrived at the office, he _____ for the meeting for hours.

- A) had been waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) had waiting

62. She _____ her project in 2021.

- A) completed B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

63. By the time he got home, the children _____ to bed.

- A) had gone B) went C) were going D) goes

64. They _____ about their vacation plans before they booked the tickets.

- A) are been discussing B) had discussed C) were discussing D) have discussed

65. While I _____ for the bus, I saw an old friend.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

66. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

67. We _____ on the design for months before we finished it.

- A) have been worked B) worked C) were working D) had worked

68. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

69. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

70. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.

- A) have been searching B) had been searching C) were searching D) has searched

71. They _____ to the beach last summer.

- A) went B) goes C) was going D) had gone

72. She _____ her keys two days ago.

- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost

73. I _____ a great book in 2015.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

74. We _____ a new car in 1999.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

75. He _____ his homework yesterday.

- A) completed B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

76. They _____ a movie last night.

- A) watched B) watches C) was watching D) had watched

77. I _____ a letter to my friend last week.

- A) wrote B) writes C) was writing D) had written

78. We _____ to Paris in 2021.

- A) traveled B) travels C) was traveling D) had traveled

79. He _____ his wallet last month.

- A) found B) finds C) was finding D) had found

80. They _____ their dinner before the guests arrived.

- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats

81. She _____ her homework before she went out.

- A) has finished B) had finished C) was finishing D) finishes

82. By the time the movie started, we _____ the tickets.

- A) had bought B) bought C) were buying D) buys

83. He _____ his report before the meeting began.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

84. They _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

85. She _____ the package before she left for vacation.

- A) had sent B) sent C) was sending D) sends

86. After he _____ the assignment, he relaxed.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

87. They _____ their homework by the time the teacher checked it.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

88. While I _____ for the bus, I saw a cat.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

89. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) were watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

90. She _____ her homework when he arrived.

- A) was doing B) did C) does D) had done

91. We _____ at the park when it started raining.

- A) were playing B) played C) plays D) had played

92. He _____ on his report while the team was discussing the project.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

93. I _____ a book when she called me.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

94. They _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) was having

95. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) sang C) sings D) had sung

96. We _____ for the train when it started snowing.

- A) were waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

97. He _____ in the garden while the kids were playing.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

98. By the time the movie started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

99. They _____ for months before they finally found a house.

- A) had searching B) searched C) were searching D) had searched

100. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.
 A) has been working B) has worked C) was working D) had worked
101. By the time she called, we _____ for an hour.
 A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) have waited
102. He _____ for his appointment when he realized he was late.
 A) has been waiting B) is waiting C) was waiting D) has waited
103. We _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.
 A) have been working B) had worked C) were working D) have worked
104. She _____ for the solution when the answer was given.
 A) has been searched B) is searching C) was searching D) had searched
105. They _____ for an answer before they finally received a response.
 A) have been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited
106. I _____ in the garden when it started raining yesterday.
 A) was working B) worked C) is working D) had worked
107. By the time he got home, he _____ for his family for hours.
 A) had been waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) has been waited
108. She _____ the book in 2021.
 A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read
109. They _____ about the new policy before it was announced.
 A) have been discussing B) had discussed C) were discussing D) have been discussed
110. While I _____ for the bus, I met an old friend.
 A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited
111. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.
 A) has been completed B) had completed C) was completing D) completes
112. We _____ on the design for months before it was finalized.
 A) are working B) worked C) were working D) had worked
113. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.
 A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes
114. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.
 A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked
115. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.
 A) had been searching B) searched C) were searching D) have searched
116. I _____ the movie when she called.
 A) was watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

117. By the time the meeting started, I _____ the report.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

118. They _____ about their trip for weeks before they booked it.

- A) have been talking B) talked C) were talking D) had been talking

119. He _____ for hours before he finally got a response.

- A) had been waited B) waited C) was waiting D) has waited

120. She _____ dinner when her guests arrived.

- A) was making B) made C) makes D) had made

121. We _____ the design for months before we finished it.

- A) have been working B) had worked C) were working D) was working

122. She _____ a delicious meal last night.

- A) has cooked B) cooked C) was cooking D) had cooked

123. They _____ their house three years ago.

- A) sold B) sells C) was selling D) had sold

124. The company _____ a new policy in 2011.

- A) implemented B) implements C) was implementing D) had implemented

125. She _____ to the market last Saturday.

- A) is going B) goes C) went D) had gone

126. We _____ a new car in the past.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

127. They _____ their vacation in 1999.

- A) have enjoyed B) enjoys C) was enjoying D) enjoyed

128. He _____ his keys yesterday.

- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost

129. The team _____ the match last week.

- A) had won B) wins C) was winning D) won

130. She _____ a letter to her friend last year.

- A) write B) wrote C) was writing D) had written

131. They _____ the report before the meeting started.

- A) completed B) has completed C) were completing D) had completed

132. After he _____ his degree, he traveled abroad.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

133. She _____ the package before she went on vacation.

- A) sent B) had sent C) was sending D) sends

134. They _____ dinner by the time the guests arrived.

- A) had cooked B) cooked C) were cooking D) cooks

135. By the time we reached the airport, the flight _____.

- A) departed B) had departed C) was departing D) departs

136. She _____ her homework before she left for work.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

137. He _____ his phone before he left for the meeting.

- A) is losing B) lost C) was losing D) had lost

138. While I _____ for the bus, it started raining.

- A) am waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) had waited

139. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) are watching B) were watching C) watches D) had watched

140. She _____ her book when I called her.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

141. We _____ dinner when the doorbell rang.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) was having

142. He _____ for the exam when the phone rang.

- A) is studying B) studied C) was studying D) had studied

143. I _____ the report when my boss asked for updates.

- A) am writing B) was writing C) writes D) had written

144. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) sang C) is singing D) had sung

145. We _____ for the train when it started to snow.

- A) had waited B) waited C) waits D) were waiting

146. He _____ a book when the doorbell rang.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

147. By the time the meeting started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

148. By the time she arrived, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) had waited

149. They _____ their project for weeks before the deadline.

- A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

150. She _____ for a new job for months before she got hired.

- A) has searched B) searched C) was searching D) had searched

151. By the time the concert started, we _____ in line for tickets.

- A) had been standing B) stood C) were standing D) have stood

152. He _____ for his test before he finally finished studying.

- A) is being prepared B) prepared C) was preparing D) had prepared

153. We _____ for a response from the company for days before we heard back.

- A) have been waiting B) had waited C) were waiting D) are waiting

154. She _____ for the project before it was eventually completed.

- A) has been working B) worked C) had worked D) is working

155. They _____ for the right opportunity before they finally found one.

- A) are searching B) searched C) were searching D) had searched

156. I _____ in the garden when it started to rain yesterday.

- A) had been working B) worked C) was working D) had worked

157. By the time he got home, he _____ for his appointment for over an hour.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) had waited D) is waiting

158. She _____ a book last night.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

159. We _____ about the new policy for weeks before it was implemented.

- A) are discussing B) had been discussing C) were discussing D) have discussed

160. While I _____ for the bus, I saw a famous actor.

- A) am waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) had waited

161. I _____ dinner when she called to invite me out.

- A) am making B) made C) makes D) was making

162. After the movie _____, we went out for dessert.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

163. They _____ their homework before going to bed.

- A) are completing B) completed C) were completing D) had completed

164. We _____ on the project for hours before it was completed.

- A) had been working B) worked C) were working D) has worked

165. She _____ her report before she went on vacation.

- A) finished B) had finished C) was finishing D) finishes

167. I _____ TV when my phone rang.

- A) was watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

168. We _____ for the bus for ages before it finally arrived.

- A) have waiting B) had waited C) were waiting D) are waiting

169. She _____ a new car last month.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

170. They _____ in their vacation in Hawaii two years ago.

- A) enjoyed B) enjoys C) were enjoying D) had enjoyed

171. I _____ my keys yesterday.

- A) had lost B) loses C) was losing D) lost

172. The team _____ the championship in 2015.

- A) had won B) won C) was winning D) has won

173. We _____ the museum last week.

- A) had visited B) visits C) was visiting D) visited

174. She _____ the book in 1999.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) had read

175. They _____ their old house last year.

- A) was selling B) sells C) sold D) had sold

176. I _____ the concert last night.

- A) attended B) attends C) was attending D) had attended

177. He _____ his homework yesterday evening.

- A) was completing B) completes C) completed D) had completed

178. The company _____ a new policy last year.

- A) implemented B) implements C) was implementing D) had implemented

179. By the time the show started, we _____ our dinner.

- A) are finishing B) finished C) had finished D) finishes

180. She _____ her homework before the power went out.

- A) completed B) had completed C) was completing D) completes

181. By the time he arrived at the station, the train _____.

- A) had departed B) departed C) was departing D) departs

182. She _____ the letter before she left for vacation.

- A) is sending B) had sent C) was sending D) sends

183. By the time I saw the movie, I _____ the book.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) had read

184. He _____ his keys before he went to the party.

- A) had lost B) lost C) was losing D) loses

185. After the guests _____, we started cleaning up.

- A) left B) had left C) were leaving D) leaves

186. She _____ the assignment before the deadline.

- A) had submitted B) submitted C) was submitting D) submits

187. While I _____ dinner, my friend arrived.

- A) am cooking B) cooked C) was cooking D) had cooked

188. They _____ TV when the phone rang.

- A) are watching B) have watched C) watches D) were watching

189. She _____ her homework when her brother interrupted her.

- A) was doing B) did C) was doing D) had done

190. We _____ a meeting when the power went out.

- A) are having B) had had C) have had D) were having

191. He _____ for the bus when he realized he was late.

- A) is waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) had waited

192. I _____ the book while she was talking to me.

- A) am reading B) was reading C) reads D) had read

193. They _____ in the garden when it started raining.

- A) are working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

194. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) sang C) is singing D) had sung

195. We _____ a presentation when the internet failed.

- A) are giving B) gave C) were giving D) had given

196. He _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) is watching B) was watching C) watches D) had watched

197. He _____ at the beach while they were sunbathing.

- A) was surfing B) surfed C) is surfing D) had surfed

198. By the time he arrived, I _____ for over an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) has waited

199. She _____ for a job before she finally got hired.

- A) has been searching B) was searching C) had searched D) searched

200. They _____ their trip plans for months before they booked.

- A) makes B) were making C) made D) had made

201. I _____ for my friend when she finally showed up.

- A) am looking B) looked C) was looking D) had been looked

202. He _____ for a new car before he found the right one.

- A) had been looking B) was looking C) looked D) had looked

203. By the time the project was due, we _____ on it for weeks.

- A) are working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

204. She _____ to finish her assignment when she fell ill.

- A) has been trying B) tried C) was trying D) had tried

205. They _____ for an answer when the solution was finally revealed.

- A) have been searched B) has been searching C) were searching D) had searched

206. I _____ in the garden before it started raining.

- A) am working B) had worked C) was working D) worked

207. She _____ a book last night.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) had read

208. By the time he got to the station, the train _____.

- A) had left B) left C) was leaving D) leaves

209. They _____ a lot about the project when they realized it was due the next day.

- A) have been talking B) were talking C) are been talking D) had talked

210. While I _____ for the bus, I saw my old friend.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited

211. They _____ about their vacation for months before they actually went.

- A) will be planning B) were planning C) had been planning D) will plan

212. I _____ dinner when she called me.

- A) were making B) made C) makes D) was making

213. After the movie _____, we went out for dinner.

- A) had finished B) finished C) were finishing D) finishes

214. They _____ their homework before the exam.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

215. We _____ our project all night before the presentation.

- A) had been working B) are working C) were working D) have worked

216. She _____ her keys before she left for the airport.

- A) had found B) have found C) was finding D) finds

217. I _____ TV when my friend came over.

- A) were watching B) watched C) was watching D) had watched

218. We _____ for a long time before the storm finally ended.

- A) had been waiting B) have waited C) were waiting D) have been waited

219. She _____ to the gym yesterday.

- A) goes B) went C) was going D) had gone

220. He _____ the book last week.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

221. We _____ a new house in 1993.

- A) had bought B) buys C) were buying D) bought

222. The company _____ its products in the past.

- A) improved B) improves C) was improving D) had improved

223. She _____ a cake for her friend's birthday last month.

- A) had baked B) bakes C) was baking D) baked

224. They _____ the museum last summer.

- A) visit B) visited C) were visiting D) had visited

225. He _____ his homework before the deadline.

- A) completed B) completes C) had completed D) has completed

226. I _____ the news about the promotion yesterday.

- A) heard B) hears C) was hearing D) had heard

227. The team _____ the project last year.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished

228. They _____ the report before the presentation began.

- A) completed B) had completed C) were completing D) completes

229. After he _____ the train, he realized he forgot his ticket.

- A) had missed B) missed C) was missing D) misses

230. She _____ her keys before she left for the airport.

- A) had found B) found C) was finding D) finds

231. They _____ the decision before the meeting started.

- A) made B) had made C) were making D) makes

232. By the time the movie started, I _____ my dinner.

- A) eaten B) ate C) was eating D) had eaten

233. She _____ her homework before the power went out.

- A) has done B) did C) had done D) does

234. After they _____ their trip, they wrote a review.

- A) completed B) had completed C) were completing D) completes

235. I _____ to music when she called me.

- A) were listening B) listened C) was listening D) had listened

236. She _____ a book when the lights went out.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

237. We _____ a film when our friends arrived.

- A) was watching B) watched C) watches D) were watching

238. He _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) is waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) had waited

239. They _____ the game when the power went out.

- A) were playing B) played C) plays D) had played

240. I _____ dinner when my phone rang.

- A) was cooking B) cooked C) am cooking D) had cooked

241. We _____ the report when the boss asked for updates.

- A) were writing B) wrote C) writes D) had written

242. She _____ a book before dinner last night.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

243. They _____ the game before it started raining.

- A) had finished B) finishes C) were finishing D) finished

244. He _____ for the train when he saw his friend.

- A) waited B) waits C) was waiting D) had been waiting

245. We _____ the tickets before the concert sold out.

- A) had bought B) are buying C) were buying D) have bought

246. I _____ my homework when the phone rang.

- A) did B) was doing C) had done D) were doing

247. They _____ their vacation in Hawaii last summer.

- A) enjoyed B) enjoys C) were enjoying D) had enjoyed

248. She _____ her keys before leaving for the trip.

- A) found B) had found C) was finding D) has found

249. We _____ the movie before the lights went out.

- A) watched B) had watched C) were watching D) watched

250. She _____ the email before the meeting began.

- A) didn't send B) hadn't sent C) wasn't sending D) doesn't send

251. We _____ the documents before the deadline.

- A) didn't submit B) haven't submitted C) hadn't submitted D) doesn't submit

252. She _____ the correct address before she arrived.

- A) didn't have B) hadn't had C) wasn't having D) doesn't have

253. She _____ her book before the meeting started.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished

254. They _____ for the bus when it started to rain.
 A) waited B) were waiting C) are waiting D) had been waiting
255. He _____ the house before the guests arrived.
 A) had cleaned B) was cleaning C) has cleaned D) cleans
256. We _____ dinner by the time the movie started.
 A) finished B) were finishing C) had finished D) finishes
257. She _____ for an hour before the rain stopped.
 A) waited B) had waited C) was waiting D) waits
258. He _____ the project before the deadline.
 A) completed B) was completing C) had completed D) completes
259. They _____ in the garden when it started to snow.
 A) worked B) are working C) had worked D) were working
260. She _____ the message before the meeting.
 A) didn't receive B) hadn't received C) wasn't receiving D) doesn't receive
261. They _____ for the bus when it started to rain.
 A) aren't waiting B) hadn't waited C) weren't waiting D) didn't waited
262. He _____ the problem before the team met.
 A) hadn't solved B) didn't solve C) wasn't solving D) doesn't solve
263. They _____ in the queue when the store closed.
 A) aren't standing B) hadn't stood C) weren't standing D) didn't stood
264. They _____ their dinner before the movie started.
 A) finished B) finishes C) were finishing D) had finished
265. He _____ for a new job when he received an offer.
 A) looked B) looks C) was looking D) had been looking
266. The teacher _____ the test before the students came in.
 A) had prepared B) prepares C) was preparing D) is preparing
267. We _____ in the park when the rain began.
 A) played B) play C) were playing D) had been playing
268. She _____ the letter before she realized it was the wrong address.
 A) had sent B) sends C) was sending D) has sent
269. He _____ his homework before he watched TV.
 A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished
270. She _____ her report just before the deadline.
 A) submitted B) submits C) was submitting D) had submitted

271. He _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) didn't complete B) hadn't completed C) wasn't completing D) doesn't complete

272. He _____ his assignment before the deadline.

- A) hadn't submitted B) didn't submit C) wasn't submitting D) doesn't submit

273. When the bus _____, I had already been waiting for an hour.

- A) arrives B) arrived C) was arriving D) had arrived

274. They _____ for hours when they finally reached the summit.

- A) were hiking B) are hiking C) had hiked D) had been hiking

275. By the time I _____ home, my dinner was cold.

- A) get B) got C) was getting D) had got

276. He _____ for a job when he found his dream position.

- A) was looking B) looked C) had looked D) looks

277. When the phone _____, she was in the shower.

- A) rings B) rang C) was ringing D) had rung

278. She _____ the news before he called her.

- A) hears B) heard C) was hearing D) had heard

279. They _____ for an hour before they found a parking spot.

- A) drove B) were driving C) had driven D) had been driving

280. By the time the rain _____, we had finished the picnic.

- A) stops B) stopped C) was stopping D) had stopped

281. He _____ his car when the accident happened.

- A) was driving B) is driving C) had driven D) drives

282. When the movie _____, everyone was clapping.

- A) is ending B) ended C) was ending D) had ended

283. She _____ her assignment when her laptop crashed.

- A) did B) is doing C) had done D) was doing

284. By the time they _____, the game was over.

- A) had arrived B) arrived C) were arriving D) has arrived

285. He _____ for the train when he realized he forgot his ticket.

- A) waited B) was waiting C) had waited D) is waiting

286. She _____ a novel when she got an idea for a new story.

- A) was reading B) is reading C) had read D) reads

287. By the time I _____ the keys, it was too late.

- A) find B) found C) was finding D) had found

339. By the time I _____ my homework, it was already late.

- A) had finished B) was finishing C) have finished D) finish

340. We _____ in the queue for half an hour when the store finally opened.

- A) stood B) were standing C) had stood D) have been standing

341. She _____ dinner when her husband called.

- A) cooked B) was cooking C) had cooked D) cooks

342. They _____ in the park when they saw a famous actor.

- A) walked B) are walking C) had walked D) were walking

343. She _____ for a job for months before she found one.

- A) had searched B) was searching C) has searched D) has been searching

344. He _____ for hours when he finally decided to take a break.

- A) worked B) was working C) had worked D) had been working

345. We _____ for the train when it started to snow.

- A) were waiting B) are waiting C) had waited D) wait

346. He _____ for an hour before he finally found a parking spot.

- A) drove B) was driving C) had driven D) had been driving

347. By the time I _____ home, it was already dark.

- A) got B) was getting C) had got D) get

348. They _____ for hours when they finally found the exit.

- A) wandered B) were wandering C) had wandered D) have been wandering

349. He _____ the lawn when it started to rain.

- A) mowed B) is mowing C) had mowed D) was mowing

350. She _____ to her friend when the lights went out.

- A) writes B) wrote C) was writing D) had written

351. They _____ to the concert last night.

- A) go B) went C) gone D) going

352. By the time we got to the theater, the movie _____.

- A) had started B) was starting C) started D) starts

353. He _____ his homework before dinner.

- A) had finished B) finish C) finished D) finishing

354. They _____ in the park when it started to rain.

- A) walked B) were walking C) had walked D) walk

355. I _____ when the phone rang.

- A) was sleeping B) slept C) am sleeping D) sleeps

356. He _____ his job last month.
A) loses B) lost C) lose D) was losing
357. She _____ for the bus when I saw her.
A) waits B) waited C) was waiting D) waiting
358. They _____ their house before the market crash.
A) sold B) were selling C) sell D) had sold
359. We _____ dinner when the power went out.
A) were having B) had C) having D) have
360. He _____ letters when his father returned home.
A) had been writing B) had wrote C) write D) written
361. The children went to the pyramids yesterday; they _____ to go there for a long time.
A) had been wanting B) had been wanted C) have been wanting D) have been wanted
362. In the past years, these scholars _____ grammar and morphology into the language.
A) had introduced B) introduce C) introduced D) introduction
363. Before I came to Morocco, I _____ in India.
A) had lived B) lived C) living D) was living
364. While she _____ her project, the power went out.
A) works B) worked C) was working D) had worked
365. They _____ each other for many years before they got married.
A) know B) knew C) were knowing D) had known
366. He _____ for a long time before the doctor arrived.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) wait D) was waiting
367. After she _____ the letter, she went for a walk.
A) writes B) wrote C) had written D) writing
368. When I arrived, they _____ dinner.
A) were having B) have C) had D) had had
369. The teacher _____ the homework before class started.
A) collects B) collected C) had collected D) was collecting
370. I _____ my keys while I was running to catch the bus.
A) lose B) lost C) was losing D) had lost
371. He _____ when I knocked on the door.
A) was sleeping B) slept C) sleep D) had slept
372. By the time I got home, my family _____.
A) have eaten B) had eaten C) were eating D) eat

373. We _____ to the beach last weekend.

- A) go B) went C) going D) had gone

374. She _____ in Paris for five years before moving to New York.

- A) lives B) lived C) had lived D) was living

375. He _____ a book when I entered the room.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) had read

376. After they _____ their homework, they went outside to play.

- A) finish B) finished C) had finished D) finishing

377. The train _____ before we got to the station.

- A) left B) had left C) was leaving D) leaves

378. She _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) was cooking B) cooks C) is cooking D) had cooked

379. They _____ the house before the rain started.

- A) paint B) were painting C) painted D) had painted

380. By the time I woke up, the sun _____.

- A) rose B) had risen C) rises D) rising

381. I _____ on my phone when it suddenly died.

- A) was talking B) talked C) talk D) had talked

382. He _____ his bike all day before it broke down.

- A) rides B) rode C) had ridden D) was riding

383. She _____ an old friend when she visited the city.

- A) met B) was meeting C) had met D) meets

384. He _____ his homework before going out to play.

- A) did B) was doing C) had done D) has done

385. I _____ to the store when it started raining.

- A) was going B) went C) am going D) had gone

386. He _____ his homework before his parents came home.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished

387. While I _____ TV, the phone rang.

- A) watch B) am watching C) was watching D) had watched

388. She _____ at the company for five years before she got promoted.

- A) worked B) has worked C) was working D) had worked

389. When the teacher entered the room, the students _____.

- A) were talking B) talked C) are talking D) had talked

390. Before I moved here, I _____ in New York.

- A) live B) lived C) was living D) had lived

391. After they _____ their homework, they went outside to play.

- A) finish B) finished C) had finished D) were finishing

392. By the time I got to the bus stop, the bus _____.

- A) leaves B) left C) had left D) was leaving

393. The children _____ soccer when it started raining.

- A) played B) were playing C) play D) had played

394. I _____ for my keys when I found them in my pocket.

- A) was looking B) looked C) am looking D) have been looking

395. They _____ in the garden all day before they finally took a break.

- A) were working B) worked C) have worked D) had been working

396. She _____ her favorite movie when the power went out.

- A) watched B) was watching C) had watched D) watches

397. When I arrived at the party, everyone _____.

- A) was leaving B) left C) leave D) had left

398. He _____ about the meeting before he received the email.

- A) hears B) heard C) was hearing D) had heard

399. We _____ to the beach last weekend.

- A) go B) went C) were going D) had gone

400. She _____ for a job for months before she got an offer.

- A) looked B) was looking C) has been looking D) had looked

401. By the time he was 30, he _____ several businesses.

- A) started B) has started C) had started D) was starting

402. They _____ at the mall when they saw an old friend.

- A) were shopping B) are shopping C) shop D) had shopped

403. After the show, we _____ out to dinner.

- A) went B) were going C) had gone D) are going

404. The train _____ when we arrived at the station.

- A) had left B) was leaving C) left D) leaves

405. She _____ an email when the computer crashed.

- A) wrote B) was writing C) had written D) writes

406. By the time I called her, she _____.

- A) leaves B) left C) had left D) was leaving

424. By the time the guests arrived, she _____ the house.

- A) cleaned B) was cleaning C) had cleaned D) cleans

425. We _____ a great time at the concert last night.

- A) have B) had C) were having D) have had

426. While I _____, I suddenly remembered my appointment.

- A) drove B) am driving C) had driven D) was driving

427. The chef _____ dinner when the fire alarm went off.

- A) cooks B) was cooking C) had cooked D) cook

428. After they _____ the movie, they went out for ice cream.

- A) watched B) were watching C) had watched D) watch

429. He _____ for a walk when he found a wallet on the ground.

- A) goes B) went C) was going D) had gone

430. They _____ for hours before the sun finally came up.

- A) sleep B) slept C) were sleeping D) had been sleeping

431. By the time I finished the book, I _____ it twice.

- A) read B) was reading C) had read D) reads

432. We _____ dinner when the phone rang.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) had had

433. When I saw her, she _____ for the bus for 20 minutes.

- A) waited B) was waiting C) had waited D) had been waiting

434. Before they moved to the city, they _____ in a small town.

- A) had lived B) lived C) were living D) has lived

435. She _____ when the earthquake struck.

- A) slept B) was sleeping C) had slept D) sleeps

436. They _____ to finish the project before the deadline.

- A) tried B) were trying C) had tried D) had been trying

437. They _____ soccer when the rain began.

- A) play B) were playing C) are playing D) had played

438. When the police arrived, the burglars _____ away.

- A) will run B) are running C) were running D) had run

439. I _____ the car when it suddenly broke down.

- A) was driving B) drove C) had driven D) drive

440. After he _____ his degree, he moved to New York.

- A) completed B) was completing C) had completed D) completes

460. She _____ to London before she moved to Paris.

- A) travels B) traveled C) was traveling D) had traveled

461. He _____ at the company for five years before he got promoted.

- A) had worked B) was working C) has worked D) work

462. They _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) finish B) finished C) were finishing D) had finished

463. She _____ a letter when the phone rang.

- A) writes B) wrote C) was writing D) had written

464. While I _____ the dishes, the phone rang.

- A) washed B) was washing C) had washed D) wash

465. She _____ the house before her parents came back.

- A) cleans B) cleaned C) was cleaning D) had cleaned

467. After he _____ the marathon, he was extremely tired.

- A) run B) ran C) was running D) had run

468. They _____ at the beach when they saw a dolphin.

- A) were swimming B) swam C) had swum D) are swimming

469. By the time I got up, the sun _____.

- A) is rising B) rose C) had risen D) was rising

460. When I saw her, she _____ at the park.

- A) jogged B) was jogging C) had jogged D) jogs

461. By the time we reached the airport, the plane _____ off .

- A) takes B) took C) had taken D) was taking

462. The children _____ games when their mother called them inside.

- A) played B) are playing C) had played D) were playing

463. She _____ up early every day before she retired.

- A) wakes B) woke C) was waking D) had woken

464. He _____ to the market when he met his friend.

- A) goes B) went C) was going D) had gone

465. By the time the rain stopped, they _____ all the work.

- A) do B) did C) were doing D) had done

466. She _____ the news by the time I told her

- A) knows B) knew C) was knowing D) had known

467. They _____ for an hour when their coach arrived.

- A) practiced B) were practicing C) had practiced D) have been practicing

468. He _____ a book when I saw him at the cafe.
 A) read B) was reading C) had read D) reads
469. She _____ at the door for five minutes before someone answered.
 A) knocks B) knocked C) was knocking D) had been knocking
470. They _____ to the mountains last weekend.
 A) went B) were going C) had gone D) go
471. By the time we _____ the movie, the lights came back on.
 A) finished B) were finishing C) had finished D) finish
472. He _____ to the office when he realized he forgot his briefcase.
 A) walks B) was walking C) is walking D) had walked
473. She _____ her homework before her parents got home.
 A) does B) did C) was doing D) had done
474. The sun _____ when we reached the summit.
 A) sets B) set C) had set D) was setting
475. When the phone _____, she was having a shower.
 A) rang B) rings C) had rung D) was ringing
476. They _____ for an hour before the bus finally came.
 A) waited B) were waiting C) had waited D) had been waiting
477. He _____ the book before the library closed.
 A) returns B) returned C) was returning D) had returned
478. I _____ to the store when I saw my old friend.
 A) walked B) was walking C) had walked D) walk
479. After she _____ the letter, she felt relieved.
 A) wrote B) was writing C) had written D) writes
480. They _____ in Paris when they decided to move to London.
 A) were living B) lived C) are living D) had lived
481. While we _____ dinner, the power went out.
 A) were having B) had C) have D) had had
482. She _____ her homework before her friends arrived.
 A) finished B) was finishing C) had finished D) finishes
483. They _____ for hours before they realized they were lost.
 A) walked B) were walking C) had walked D) had been walking
484. She _____ all her work before she went home.
 A) completes B) completed C) was completing D) had completed

485. He _____ his car when it suddenly broke down.

- A) was driving B) drove C) had driven D) drives

486. They _____ to the museum when they saw the accident.

- A) went B) were going C) had gone D) go

487. She _____ the piano for years before she became a professional.

- A) played B) was playing C) had played D) plays

488. After the class _____, the students left the room.

- A) ends B) ended C) was ending D) had ended

489. He _____ for the bus when he realized he had left his wallet at home.

- A) waited B) was waiting C) had waited D) waits

490. She _____ for an hour when her friends arrived.

- A) slept B) is sleeping C) had slept D) had been sleeping

491. When I _____ him, he was working in the garden.

- A) see B) saw C) was seeing D) had seen

492. We _____ on the project for several hours before we took a break.

- A) worked B) were working C) have been worked D) had been working

493. She _____ to the store when she remembered she needed to get some milk.

- A) walked B) was walking C) had walked D) walks

494. He _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) waited B) was waiting C) had waited D) waits

495. Scientists _____ many important things in 1990s.

- A) is inventing B) invented C) invents D) was inventing

496. Sami _____ a nice movie yesterday.

- A. see B) seen C) saw D) will see

497. Last year, I _____ to Korea.

- A) don't travel B) won't travel C) didn't travel D) am not travelling

498. In 2021, I _____ more than one article about avoiding smoking.

- A) have reading B) reads C) were reading D) read

499. I _____ a job application to this company last year.

- A) is submitting B) submitted C) were submitting D) submit

500. She stayed up all night because she _____ bad news.

- A) have received B) has received C) had received D) receives

The End

Good Luck

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٥٠٠ سؤال

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1. They _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.
A) has been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked
2. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.
A) had worked B) worked C) was working D) is working
3. By the time he arrived, we _____ for the bus for 30 minutes.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) have waited
4. He _____ for his appointment for an hour before he finally left.
A) has been waiting B) had waited C) was waiting D) has waited
5. We _____ on the design for months before finalizing it.
A) is working B) worked C) were working D) had worked
6. They _____ for an answer for days before the problem was resolved.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited
7. I _____ in the garden when it started to rain yesterday.
A) had been working B) worked C) was working D) had worked
8. By the time he arrived at the office, he _____ for the meeting for hours.
A) had been waiting B) waited C) was waiting D) has waited
9. She _____ her project before the end of the month.
A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes
10. By the time he got home, the children _____ to bed.
A) had gone B) went C) were going D) goes
11. They _____ their vacation plans last year.
A) had discussed B) discussed C) were discussing D) had been discussing
12. While I _____ for the bus, I saw an old friend.
A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited
13. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.
A) completed B) had completed C) was completing D) completes
14. We _____ on the design for months before we finished it.
A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) had worked

15. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.
- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes
16. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.
- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked
17. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.
- A) had been searching B) searched C) were searching D) has searched
18. By the time we got to the party, they _____ all the food.
- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats
19. She _____ her homework before she went out to play.
- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes
20. While he _____ the car, she was reading a book.
- A) was washing B) washed C) washes D) had washed
21. They _____ for an answer when the teacher came in.
- A) have been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had waited
22. By the time the rain stopped, we _____ in the park for hours.
- A) had been walking B) walked C) were walking D) have walked
23. He _____ for a job interview last year.
- A) had been preparing B) prepared C) was preparing D) had prepared
24. She _____ a novel last summer.
- A) wrote B) writes C) was writing D) had written
25. We _____ to the museum three years ago.
- A) went B) goes C) was going D) had gone
26. They _____ a new car in 2023.
- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought
27. He _____ his keys yesterday.
- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost
28. I _____ a great meal in the past.
- A) enjoyed B) enjoys C) was enjoying D) had enjoyed
29. She _____ her homework last week.
- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished
30. We _____ to Paris in 2015.
- A) traveled B) travels C) was traveling D) had traveled
31. They _____ the project last year.
- A) completed B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

32. He _____ a book in 2010.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

33. I _____ my friend at the cafe yesterday.

- A) met B) meets C) was meeting D) had met

34. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

35. They _____ the dinner by the time the guests arrived.

- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats

36. He _____ his work before the meeting began.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

37. We _____ the book before the lecture started.

- A) had read B) read C) was reading D) reads

38. By the time she arrived, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) will wait

39. They _____ their vacation plans before booking the tickets.

- A) had discussed B) discussed C) were discussing D) had been discussing

40. By the time the train left, we _____ for 30 minutes.

- A) had been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) are waiting

41. She _____ her letter before the post office closed.

- A) had sent B) sent C) was sending D) sends

42. While I _____ the car, she was making dinner.

- A) was washing B) washed C) washes D) had washed

43. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) were watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

44. He _____ his homework when I called him.

- A) was doing B) did C) does D) had done

45. We _____ at the park when it started to rain.

- A) were playing B) played C) plays D) had played

46. She _____ on her project while he was watching TV.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

47. I _____ a book when the phone rang.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

48. They _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) was having

49. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was **singing** B) sang C) sings D) had sung

50. We _____ for the bus when it started snowing.

- A) were **waiting** B) waited C) waits D) had waited

51. He _____ in the garden while the kids went to the market with their granny.

- A) was **working** B) worked C) works D) had worked

52. By the time the movie started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been **waiting** B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

53. They _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.

- A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) had **worked**

54. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.

- A) has been working B) worked C) was working D) had **worked**

55. By the time he arrived, we _____ for the bus for 30 minutes.

- A) had **been** waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) has waited

56. He _____ for his appointment for an hour before he finally left.

- A) has been waiting B) waited C) had been **waiting** D) has waited

57. We _____ on the design for months before finalizing it.

- A) have been working B) **had** worked C) were working D) has worked

58. She _____ for the answer when the solution was revealed.

- A) has been searching B) searched C) was **searching** D) had searched

59. They _____ for an answer for days before the problem was resolved.

- A) has been waiting B) had **waited** 1943248 C) were waiting D) have waited

60. I _____ in the garden when it started raining yesterday.

- A) have been working B) worked C) was **working** D) had worked

61. By the time he arrived at the office, he _____ for the meeting for hours.

- A) had been **waiting** B) waited C) was waiting D) had waiting

62. She _____ her project in 2021.

- A) **completed** B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

63. By the time he got home, the children _____ to bed.

- A) had **gone** B) went C) were going D) goes

64. They _____ about their vacation plans before they booked the tickets.

- A) are been discussing B) had **discussed** C) were discussing D) have discussed

65. While I _____ for the bus, I saw an old friend.

- A) was **waiting** B) waited C) waits D) had waited

66. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

67. We _____ on the design for months before we finished it.

- A) have been worked B) worked C) were working D) had worked

68. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

69. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

70. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.

- A) have been searching B) had been searching C) were searching D) has searched

71. They _____ to the beach last summer.

- A) went B) goes C) was going D) had gone

72. She _____ her keys two days ago.

- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost

73. I _____ a great book in 2015.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had read

74. We _____ a new car in 1999.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

75. He _____ his homework yesterday.

- A) completed B) completes C) was completing D) had completed

76. They _____ a movie last night.

- A) watched B) watches C) was watching D) had watched

77. I _____ a letter to my friend last week.

- A) wrote B) writes C) was writing D) had written

78. We _____ to Paris in 2021.

- A) traveled B) travels C) was traveling D) had traveled

79. He _____ his wallet last month.

- A) found B) finds C) was finding D) had found

80. They _____ their dinner before the guests arrived.

- A) had eaten B) ate C) were eating D) eats

81. She _____ her homework before she went out.

- A) has finished B) had finished C) was finishing D) finishes

82. By the time the movie started, we _____ the tickets.

- A) had bought B) bought C) were buying D) buys

83. He _____ his report before the meeting began.

- A) had completed B) completed C) was completing D) completes

84. They _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

85. She _____ the package before she left for vacation.

- A) had sent B) sent C) was sending D) sends

86. After he _____ the assignment, he relaxed.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

87. They _____ their homework by the time the teacher checked it.

- A) had completed B) completed C) were completing D) completes

88. While I _____ for the bus, I saw a cat.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

89. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) were watching B) watched C) watches D) had watched

90. She _____ her homework when he arrived.

- A) was doing B) did C) does D) had done

91. We _____ at the park when it started raining.

- A) were playing B) played C) plays D) had played

92. He _____ on his report while the team was discussing the project.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

93. I _____ a book when she called me.

- A) was reading B) read C) reads D) had read

94. They _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) were having B) had C) have D) was having

95. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) sang C) sings D) had sung

96. We _____ for the train when it started snowing.

- A) were waiting B) waited C) waits D) had waited

97. He _____ in the garden while the kids were playing.

- A) was working B) worked C) works D) had worked

98. By the time the movie started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been waiting B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

99. They _____ for months before they finally found a house.

- A) had searching B) searched C) were searching D) had searched

100. She _____ for a promotion for years before she got it.
 A) has been working B) has worked C) was working D) had **worked**
101. By the time she called, we _____ for an hour.
 A) had been **waiting** B) waited C) were waiting D) have waited
102. He _____ for his appointment when he realized he was late.
 A) has been waiting B) is waiting C) was **waiting** D) has waited
103. We _____ on the project for weeks before it was finished.
 A) have been working B) had **worked** C) were working D) have worked
104. She _____ for the solution when the answer was given.
 A) has been searched B) is searching C) **was** searching D) had searched
105. They _____ for an answer before they finally received a response.
 A) have been waiting B) waited C) were waiting D) had **waited**
106. I _____ in the garden when it started raining yesterday.
 A) was **working** B) worked C) is working D) had worked
107. By the time he got home, he _____ for his family for hours.
 A) had been **waiting** B) waited C) was waiting D) has been waited
108. She _____ the book in 2021.
 A) **read** B) reads C) was reading D) had read
109. They _____ about the new policy before it was announced.
 A) have been discussing B) had **discussed** C) were discussing D) have been discussed
110. While I _____ for the bus, I met an old friend.
 A) was **waiting** B) waited C) waits D) had waited
111. She _____ her homework before she went to bed.
 A) has been completed B) had **completed** C) was completing D) completes
112. We _____ on the design for months before it was finalized.
 A) are working B) worked C) were working D) had **worked**
113. After they _____ the project, they celebrated.
 A) had **completed** B) completed C) were completing D) completes
114. He _____ in the garden when it started to rain.
 A) was **working** B) worked C) works D) had worked
115. They _____ for a solution for days before the problem was resolved.
 A) had been **searching** B) searched C) were searching D) have searched
116. I _____ the movie when she called.
 A) was **watching** B) watched C) watches D) had watched

117. By the time the meeting started, I _____ the report.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

118. They _____ about their trip for weeks before they booked it.

- A) have been talking B) talked C) were talking D) had been talking

119. He _____ for hours before he finally got a response.

- A) had been waited B) waited C) was waiting D) has waited

120. She _____ dinner when her guests arrived.

- A) was making B) made C) makes D) had made

121. We _____ the design for months before we finished it.

- A) have been working B) had worked C) were working D) was working

122. She _____ a delicious meal last night.

- A) has cooked B) cooked C) was cooking D) had cooked

123. They _____ their house three years ago.

- A) sold B) sells C) was selling D) had sold

124. The company _____ a new policy in 2011.

- A) implemented B) implements C) was implementing D) had implemented

125. She _____ to the market last Saturday.

- A) is going B) goes C) went D) had gone

126. We _____ a new car in the past.

- A) bought B) buys C) was buying D) had bought

127. They _____ their vacation in 1999.

- A) have enjoyed B) enjoys C) was enjoying D) enjoyed

128. He _____ his keys yesterday.

- A) lost B) loses C) was losing D) had lost

129. The team _____ the match last week.

- A) had won B) wins C) was winning D) won

130. She _____ a letter to her friend last year.

- A) write B) wrote C) was writing D) had written

131. They _____ the report before the meeting started.

- A) completed B) has completed C) were completing D) had completed

132. After he _____ his degree, he traveled abroad.

- A) had finished B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

133. She _____ the package before she went on vacation.

- A) sent B) had sent C) was sending D) sends

134. They _____ dinner by the time the guests arrived.

- A) had **cooked** B) cooked C) were cooking D) cooks

135. By the time we reached the airport, the flight _____.

- A) departed B) had **departed** C) was departing D) departs

136. She _____ her homework before she left for work.

- A) had **finished** B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

137. He _____ his phone before he left for the meeting.

- A) is losing B) lost C) was losing D) had **lost**

138. While I _____ for the bus, it started raining.

- A) am waiting B) waited C) was **waiting** D) had waited

139. They _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) are watching B) were **watching** C) watches D) had watched

140. She _____ her book when I called her.

- A) was **reading** B) read C) reads D) had read

141. We _____ dinner when the doorbell rang.

- A) were **having** B) had C) have D) was having

142. He _____ for the exam when the phone rang.

- A) is studying B) studied C) was **studying** D) had studied

143. I _____ the report when my boss asked for updates.

- A) am writing B) **was** writing C) writes D) had written

144. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was **singing** B) sang C) is singing D) had sung

145. We _____ for the train when it started to snow.

- A) had waited B) waited C) waits D) **were** waiting

146. He _____ a book when the doorbell rang.

- A) was **reading** B) read C) reads D) had read

147. By the time the meeting started, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been **waiting** B) was waiting C) waited D) have waited

148. By the time she arrived, I _____ for an hour.

- A) had been **waiting** B) was waiting C) waited D) had waited

149. They _____ their project for weeks before the deadline.

- A) have been working B) worked C) were working D) **had** worked

150. She _____ for a new job for months before she got hired.

- A) has searched B) searched C) was searching D) had **searched**

151. By the time the concert started, we _____ in line for tickets.

- A) had been **standing** B) stood C) were standing D) have stood

152. He _____ for his test before he finally finished studying.

- A) is being prepared B) prepared C) was preparing D) had **prepared**

153. We _____ for a response from the company for days before we heard back.

- A) have been waiting B) had **waited** C) were waiting D) are waiting

154. She _____ for the project before it was eventually completed.

- A) has been working B) worked C) had **worked** D) is working

155. They _____ for the right opportunity before they finally found one.

- A) are searching B) searched C) were searching D) had **searched**

156. I _____ in the garden when it started to rain yesterday.

- A) had been **working** B) worked C) was working D) had worked

157. By the time he got home, he _____ for his appointment for over an hour.

- A) was waiting B) waited C) **had** waited D) is waiting

158. She _____ a book last night.

- A) **read** B) reads C) was reading D) had read

159. We _____ about the new policy for weeks before it was implemented.

- A) are discussing B) had been **discussing** C) were discussing D) have discussed

160. While I _____ for the bus, I saw a famous actor.

- A) am waiting B) waited C) was **waiting** D) had waited

161. I _____ dinner when she called to invite me out.

- A) am making B) made **0791943248** C) makes D) **was** making

162. After the movie _____, we went out for dessert.

- A) had **finished** B) finished C) was finishing D) finishes

163. They _____ their homework before going to bed.

- A) are completing B) completed C) were completing D) had **completed**

164. We _____ on the project for hours before it was completed.

- A) had been **working** B) worked C) were working D) has worked

165. She _____ her report before she went on vacation.

- A) finished B) had **finished** C) was finishing D) finishes

167. I _____ TV when my phone rang.

- A) was **watching** B) watched C) watches D) had watched

168. We _____ for the bus for ages before it finally arrived.

- A) have waiting B) had **waited** C) were waiting D) are waiting

186. She _____ the assignment before the deadline.

- A) had **submitted** B) submitted C) was submitting D) submits

187. While I _____ dinner, my friend arrived.

- A) am cooking B) cooked C) was **cooking** D) had cooked

188. They _____ TV when the phone rang.

- A) are watching B) have watched C) watches D) **were** watching

189. She _____ her homework when her brother interrupted her.

- A) was doing B) did C) was **doing** D) had done

190. We _____ a meeting when the power went out.

- A) are having B) had had C) have had D) were **having**

191. He _____ for the bus when he realized he was late.

- A) is waiting B) waited C) was **waiting** D) had waited

192. I _____ the book while she was talking to me.

- A) am reading B) was **reading** C) reads D) had read

193. They _____ in the garden when it started raining.

- A) are working B) worked C) were **working** D) had worked

194. She _____ a song while her friends were dancing.

- A) was singing B) **sang** C) is singing D) had sung

195. We _____ a presentation when the internet failed.

- A) are giving B) gave C) were **giving** D) had given

196. He _____ a movie when the power went out.

- A) is watching B) was **watching** C) watches D) had watched

197. He _____ at the beach while they were sunbathing.

- A) was **surfing** B) surfed C) is surfing D) had surfed

198. By the time he arrived, I _____ for over an hour.

- A) had been **waiting** B) was waiting C) waited D) has waited

199. She _____ for a job before she finally got hired.

- A) has been searching B) was searching C) had **searched** D) searched

200. They _____ their trip plans for months before they booked.

- A) makes B) were making C) made D) had **made**

201. I _____ for my friend when she finally showed up.

- A) am looking B) looked C) was **looking** D) had been looked

202. He _____ for a new car before he found the right one.

- A) had **been** looking B) was looking C) looked D) had looked

220. He _____ the book last week.

- A) **read** B) reads C) was reading D) had read

221. We _____ a new house in 1993.

- A) had bought B) buys C) were buying D) **bought**

222. The company _____ its products in the past.

- A) **improved** B) improves C) was improving D) had improved

223. She _____ a cake for her friend's birthday last month.

- A) had baked B) bakes C) was baking D) **baked**

224. They _____ the museum last summer.

- A) visit B) **visited** C) were visiting D) had visited

225. He _____ his homework before the deadline.

- A) completed B) completes C) had **completed** D) has completed

226. I _____ the news about the promotion yesterday.

- A) **heard** B) hears C) was hearing D) had heard

227. The team _____ the project last year.

- A) **finished** B) finishes C) was finishing D) had finished

228. They _____ the report before the presentation began.

- A) completed B) had **completed** C) were completing D) completes

229. After he _____ the train, he realized he forgot his ticket.

- A) had **missed** B) missed C) was missing D) misses

230. She _____ her keys before she left for the airport.

- A) had **found** B) found C) was finding D) finds

231. They _____ the decision before the meeting started.

- A) made B) had **made** C) were making D) makes

232. By the time the movie started, I _____ my dinner.

- A) eaten B) ate C) was eating D) **had** eaten

233. She _____ her homework before the power went out.

- A) **has** done B) did C) had done D) does

234. After they _____ their trip, they wrote a review.

- A) completed B) had **completed** C) were completing D) completes

235. I _____ to music when she called me.

- A) were listening B) listened C) was **listening** D) had listened

236. She _____ a book when the lights went out.

- A) was **reading** B) read C) reads D) had read

237. We _____ a film when our friends arrived.

- A) was watching B) watched C) watches D) were **watching**

238. He _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) is waiting B) waited C) was **waiting** D) had waited

239. They _____ the game when the power went out.

- A) were **playing** B) played C) plays D) had played

240. I _____ dinner when my phone rang.

- A) was **cooking** B) cooked C) am cooking D) had cooked

241. We _____ the report when the boss asked for updates.

- A) were **writing** B) wrote C) writes D) had written

242. She _____ a book before dinner last night.

- A) read B) reads C) was reading D) had **read**

243. They _____ the game before it started raining.

- A) had **finished** B) finishes C) were finishing D) finished

244. He _____ for the train when he saw his friend.

- A) waited B) waits C) was **waiting** D) had been waiting

245. We _____ the tickets before the concert sold out.

- A) had **bought** B) are buying C) were buying D) have bought

246. I _____ my homework when the phone rang.

- A) did B) was **doing** C) had done D) were doing

247. They _____ their vacation in Hawaii last summer.

- A) **enjoyed** B) enjoys C) were enjoying D) had enjoyed

248. She _____ her keys before leaving for the trip.

- A) found B) had **found** C) was finding D) has found

249. We _____ the movie before the lights went out.

- A) watched B) had **watched** C) were watching D) watched

250. She _____ the email before the meeting began.

- A) didn't send B) hadn't **sent** C) wasn't sending D) doesn't send

251. We _____ the documents before the deadline.

- A) didn't submit B) haven't submitted C) hadn't **submitted** D) doesn't submit

252. She _____ the correct address before she arrived.

- A) didn't have B) **hadn't** had C) wasn't having D) doesn't have

253. She _____ her book before the meeting started.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had **finished**

254. They _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) waited B) were **waiting** C) are waiting D) had been waiting

255. He _____ the house before the guests arrived.

- A) had **cleaned** B) was cleaning C) has cleaned D) cleans

256. We _____ dinner by the time the movie started.

- A) finished B) were finishing C) had **finished** D) finishes

257. She _____ for an hour before the rain stopped.

- A) waited B) had **waited** C) was waiting D) waits

258. He _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) completed B) was completing C) had **completed** D) completes

259. They _____ in the garden when it started to snow.

- A) worked B) are working C) had worked D) were **working**

260. She _____ the message before the meeting.

- A) didn't receive B) hadn't **received** C) wasn't receiving D) doesn't receive

261. They _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) aren't waiting B) hadn't waited C) weren't **waiting** D) didn't waited

262. He _____ the problem before the team met.

- A) hadn't **solved** B) didn't solve C) wasn't solving D) doesn't solve

263. They _____ in the queue when the store closed.

- A) aren't standing B) hadn't stood C) weren't **standing** D) didn't stood

264. They _____ their dinner before the movie started.

- A) finished B) finishes C) were finishing D) had **finished**

265. He _____ for a new job when he received an offer.

- A) looked B) looks C) was **looking** D) had been looking

266. The teacher _____ the test before the students came in.

- A) had **prepared** B) prepares C) was preparing D) is preparing

267. We _____ in the park when the rain began.

- A) played B) play C) were **playing** D) had been playing

268. She _____ the letter before she realized it was the wrong address.

- A) had **sent** B) sends C) was sending D) has sent

269. He _____ his homework before he watched TV.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had **finished**

270. She _____ her report just before the deadline.

- A) submitted B) submits C) was submitting D) had **submitted**

271. He _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) didn't complete B) hadn't **completed** C) wasn't completing D) doesn't complete

272. He _____ his assignment before the deadline.

- A) hadn't **submitted** B) didn't submit C) wasn't submitting D) doesn't submit

273. When the bus _____, I had already been waiting for an hour.

- A) arrives B) **arrived** C) was arriving D) had arrived

274. They _____ for hours when they finally reached the summit.

- A) were **hiking** B) are hiking C) had hiked D) had been hiking

275. By the time I _____ home, my dinner was cold.

- A) get B) got C) was getting D) had **got**

276. He _____ for a job when he found his dream position.

- A) was **looking** B) looked C) had looked D) looks

277. When the phone _____, she was in the shower.

- A) rings B) **rang** C) was ringing D) had rung

278. She _____ the news before he called her.

- A) hears B) heard C) was hearing D) had **heard**

279. They _____ for an hour before they found a parking spot.

- A) drove B) were driving C) had **driven** D) had been driving

280. By the time the rain _____, we had finished the picnic.

- A) stops B) stopped C) was stopping D) **had** stopped

281. He _____ his car when the accident happened.

- A) was **driving** B) is driving C) had driven D) drives

282. When the movie _____, everyone was clapping.

- A) is ending B) **ended** C) was ending D) had ended

283. She _____ her assignment when her laptop crashed.

- A) did B) is doing C) had done D) was **doing**

284. By the time they _____, the game was over.

- A) had **arrived** B) arrived C) were arriving D) has arrived

285. He _____ for the train when he realized he forgot his ticket.

- A) waited B) was **waiting** C) had waited D) is waiting

286. She _____ a novel when she got an idea for a new story.

- A) was **reading** B) is reading C) had read D) reads

287. By the time I _____ the keys, it was too late.

- A) find B) found C) was finding D) had **found**

288. They _____ to each other when the argument began.

- A) talked B) are talking C) were **talking** D) talk

289. She _____ the house when the guests arrived.

- A) was **cleaning** B) is cleaning C) had cleaned D) cleans

290. They _____ on the project for hours when they finally took a break.

- A) worked B) are working C) had worked D) had **been** working

291. By the time the class _____, the students were exhausted.

- A) ended B) had **ended** C) was ending D) has ended

292. He _____ for his keys when he realized they were in his pocket.

- A) is looking B) **was** looking C) had looked D) looks

293. They _____ for a new house when they found the perfect one.

- A) are searching B) **were** searching C) had searched D) has been searching

294. She _____ for an hour before her phone died.

- A) was talking B) talked C) has talked D) has been **talking**

295. She _____ all night before her big exam.

- A) was studying B) studied C) has studied D) had **been** studying

296. They _____ dinner when the doorbell rang.

- A) are having B) **were** having C) had had D) have been having

297. By the time the rain _____, the streets were flooded.

- A) stopped B) stops C) **had** stopped D) was stopping

298. She _____ the piano for years before she gave her first concert.

- A) plays B) played **0721043248** C) was playing D) had **been** playing

299. He _____ his homework when his friends called him

- A) is doing B) **was** doing C) had done D) does

300. They _____ to a new city before they found a house to buy.

- A) moved B) were moving C) had **moved** D) move

301. He _____ the garage when the phone rang.

- A) cleaned B) is cleaning C) had cleaned D) **was** cleaning

302. They _____ for a walk when it started to rain.

- A) went B) are going C) had gone D) **were** going

303. She _____ a shower when her phone rang.

- A) takes B) took C) **was** taking D) had taken

304. He _____ his bike when he noticed the flat tire.

- A) rode B) **was** riding C) had ridden D) rides

322. After she _____ the letter, she felt much better.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) **had read**

323. They _____ in the city before they moved to the countryside.

- A) live B) had **lived** C) were living D) have lived

324. While we _____ dinner, the lights went out.

- A) ate B) were **eating** C) had eaten D) has been eating

325. She _____ her book before she went to sleep.

- A) reads B) read C) was reading D) had **read**

326. When I _____ at the station, the train was departing.

- A) arrive B) **arrived** C) was arriving D) had arrived

327. They _____ for a taxi for an hour when it finally came.

- A) waited B) were **waiting** C) had waited D) have been waiting

328. She _____ all her work before her boss arrived.

- A) had **completed** B) completed C) was completing D) has completed

329. He _____ his bike when it suddenly broke down.

- A) was **riding** B) is riding C) had ridden D) rides

330. They _____ to the museum when they found out it was closed.

- A) were **going** B) went C) had gone D) was going

331. She _____ the violin for many years before she joined an orchestra.

- A) plays B) had **played** C) was playing D) has played

332. I _____ to him about it before he made the decision.

- A) spoke B) was speaking C) had **spoken** D) speak

333. We _____ the beach when it started to rain heavily.

- A) were **leaving** B) was leaving C) had left D) leave

334. After the meeting _____, the attendees left the room.

- A) ends B) ended C) was ending D) had **ended**

335. He _____ for the bus when he realized he was at the wrong stop.

- A) waited B) was **waiting** C) had waited D) waits

336. She _____ for an hour when her phone rang.

- A) sleeps B) slept C) was **sleeping** D) has been sleeping

337. He _____ for the train when he bumped into an old friend.

- A) waited B) is waiting C) had waited D) was **waiting**

338. She _____ for an hour before the phone rang.

- A) read B) was reading C) has read D) had been **reading**

339. By the time I _____ my homework, it was already late.

- A) had finished B) was finishing C) have finished D) finish

340. We _____ in the queue for half an hour when the store finally opened.

- A) stood B) were standing C) had stood D) have been standing

341. She _____ dinner when her husband called.

- A) cooked B) was cooking C) had cooked D) cooks

342. They _____ in the park when they saw a famous actor.

- A) walked B) are walking C) had walked D) were walking

343. She _____ for a job for months before she found one.

- A) had searched B) was searching C) has searched D) has been searching

344. He _____ for hours when he finally decided to take a break.

- A) worked B) was working C) had worked D) had been working

345. We _____ for the train when it started to snow.

- A) were waiting B) are waiting C) had waited D) wait

346. He _____ for an hour before he finally found a parking spot.

- A) drove B) was driving C) had driven D) had been driving

347. By the time I _____ home, it was already dark.

- A) got B) was getting C) had got D) get

348. They _____ for hours when they finally found the exit.

- A) wandered B) were wandering C) had wandered D) have been wandering

349. He _____ the lawn when it started to rain.

- A) mowed B) is mowing C) had mowed D) was mowing

350. She _____ to her friend when the lights went out.

- A) writes B) wrote C) was writing D) had written

351. They _____ to the concert last night.

- A) go B) went C) gone D) going

352. By the time we got to the theater, the movie _____.

- A) had started B) was starting C) started D) starts

353. He _____ his homework before dinner.

- A) had finished B) finish C) finished D) finishing

354. They _____ in the park when it started to rain.

- A) walked B) were walking C) had walked D) walk

355. I _____ when the phone rang.

- A) was sleeping B) slept C) am sleeping D) sleeps

373. We _____ to the beach last weekend.

- A) go B) **went** C) going D) had gone

374. She _____ in Paris for five years before moving to New York.

- A) lives B) lived C) had **lived** D) was living

375. He _____ a book when I entered the room.

- A) reads B) read C) was **reading** D) had read

376. After they _____ their homework, they went outside to play.

- A) finish B) finished C) had **finished** D) finishing

377. The train _____ before we got to the station.

- A) left B) had **left** C) was leaving D) leaves

378. She _____ dinner when the guests arrived.

- A) was **cooking** B) cooks C) is cooking D) had cooked

379. They _____ the house before the rain started.

- A) paint B) were painting C) painted D) had **painted**

380. By the time I woke up, the sun _____.

- A) rose B) had **risen** C) rises D) rising

381. I _____ on my phone when it suddenly died.

- A) was **talking** B) talked C) talk D) had talked

382. He _____ his bike all day before it broke down.

- A) rides B) rode C) had **ridden** D) was riding

383. She _____ an old friend when she visited the city.

- A) met B) was **meeting** 43248 C) had met D) meets

384. He _____ his homework before going out to play.

- A) did B) was doing C) had **done** D) has done

385. I _____ to the store when it started raining.

- A) was **going** B) went C) am going D) had gone

386. He _____ his homework before his parents came home.

- A) finished B) finishes C) was finishing D) had **finished**

387. While I _____ TV, the phone rang.

- A) watch B) am watching C) was **watching** D) had watched

388. She _____ at the company for five years before she got promoted.

- A) worked B) has worked C) was working D) **had** worked

389. When the teacher entered the room, the students _____.

- A) were **talking** B) talked C) are talking D) had talked

390. Before I moved here, I _____ in New York.

- A) live B) lived C) was living D) **had** lived

391. After they _____ their homework, they went outside to play.

- A) finish B) finished C) **had** finished D) were finishing

392. By the time I got to the bus stop, the bus _____.

- A) leaves B) left C) had **left** D) was leaving

393. The children _____ soccer when it started raining.

- A) played B) were **playing** C) play D) had played

394. I _____ for my keys when I found them in my pocket.

- A) was **looking** B) looked C) am looking D) have been looking

395. They _____ in the garden all day before they finally took a break.

- A) were working B) worked C) have worked D) had been **working**

396. She _____ her favorite movie when the power went out.

- A) watched B) **was** watching C) had watched D) watches

397. When I arrived at the party, everyone _____.

- A) was **leaving** B) left C) leave D) had left

398. He _____ about the meeting before he received the email.

- A) hears B) heard C) was hearing D) had **heard**

399. We _____ to the beach last weekend.

- A) go B) **went** C) were going D) had gone

400. She _____ for a job for months before she got an offer.

- A) looked B) was looking C) has been looking D) had **looked**

401. By the time he was 30, he _____ several businesses.

- A) started B) has started C) had **started** D) was starting

402. They _____ at the mall when they saw an old friend.

- A) were **shopping** B) are shopping C) shop D) had shopped

403. After the show, we _____ out to dinner.

- A) went B) were going C) had **gone** D) are going

404. The train _____ when we arrived at the station.

- A) had left B) was **leaving** C) left D) leaves

405. She _____ an email when the computer crashed.

- A) wrote B) was **writing** C) had written D) writes

406. By the time I called her, she _____.

- A) leaves B) left C) had **left** D) was leaving

424. By the time the guests arrived, she _____ the house.

- A) cleaned B) was cleaning C) **had** cleaned D) cleans

425. We _____ a great time at the concert last night.

- A) have B) **had** C) were having D) have had

426. While I _____, I suddenly remembered my appointment.

- A) drove B) am driving C) had driven D) was **driving**

427. The chef _____ dinner when the fire alarm went off.

- A) cooks B) was **cooking** C) had cooked D) cook

428. After they _____ the movie, they went out for ice cream.

- A) watched B) were watching C) **had** watched D) watch

429. He _____ for a walk when he found a wallet on the ground.

- A) goes B) went C) **was** going D) had gone

430. They _____ for hours before the sun finally came up.

- A) sleep B) slept C) were sleeping D) **had** been sleeping

431. By the time I finished the book, I _____ it twice.

- A) read B) was reading C) **had** read D) reads

432. We _____ dinner when the phone rang.

- A) were **having** B) had C) have D) had had

433. When I saw her, she _____ for the bus for 20 minutes.

- A) waited B) was **waiting** C) had waited D) had been waiting

434. Before they moved to the city, they _____ in a small town.

- A) had **lived** B) lived C) were living D) has lived

435. She _____ when the earthquake struck.

- A) slept B) was **sleeping** C) had slept D) sleeps

436. They _____ to finish the project before the deadline.

- A) tried B) were trying C) had **tried** D) had been trying

437. They _____ soccer when the rain began.

- A) play B) were **playing** C) are playing D) had played

438. When the police arrived, the burglars _____ away.

- A) will run B) are running C) were **running** D) had run

439. I _____ the car when it suddenly broke down.

- A) was **driving** B) drove C) had driven D) drive

440. After he _____ his degree, he moved to New York.

- A) completed B) was completing C) had **completed** D) completes

460. She _____ to London before she moved to Paris.

- A) travels B) traveled C) was traveling D) **had** traveled

461. He _____ at the company for five years before he got promoted.

- A) had **worked** B) was working C) has worked D) work

462. They _____ the project before the deadline.

- A) finish B) finished C) were finishing D) had **finished**

463. She _____ a letter when the phone rang.

- A) writes B) wrote C) was **writing** D) had written

464. While I _____ the dishes, the phone rang.

- A) washed B) was **washing** C) had washed D) wash

465. She _____ the house before her parents came back.

- A) cleans B) cleaned C) was cleaning D) **had** cleaned

467. After he _____ the marathon, he was extremely tired.

- A) run B) ran C) was running D) **had** run

468. They _____ at the beach when they saw a dolphin.

- A) were **swimming** B) swam C) had swum D) are swimming

469. By the time I got up, the sun _____.

- A) is rising B) rose C) **had** risen D) was rising

460. When I saw her, she _____ at the park.

- A) jogged B) **was** jogging C) had jogged D) jogs

461. By the time we reached the airport, the plane _____ off .

- A) takes B) took C) had **taken** D) was taking

462. The children _____ games when their mother called them inside.

- A) played B) are playing C) had played D) **were** playing

463. She _____ up early every day before she retired.

- A) wakes B) woke C) was waking D) **had** woken

464. He _____ to the market when he met his friend.

- A) goes B) went C) was **going** D) had gone

465. By the time the rain stopped, they _____ all the work.

- A) do B) did C) were doing D) had **done**

466. She _____ the news by the time I told her

- A) knows B) knew C) was knowing D) **had** known

467. They _____ for an hour when their coach arrived.

- A) practiced B) were **practicing** C) had practiced D) have been practicing

468. He _____ a book when I saw him at the cafe.
 A) read B) was **reading** C) had read D) reads
469. She _____ at the door for five minutes before someone answered.
 A) knocks B) knocked C) was knocking D) had **been** knocking
470. They _____ to the mountains last weekend.
 A) **went** B) were going C) had gone D) go
471. By the time we _____ the movie, the lights came back on.
 A) finished B) were finishing C) had **finished** D) finish
472. He _____ to the office when he realized he forgot his briefcase.
 A) walks B) was **walking** C) is walking D) had walked
473. She _____ her homework before her parents got home.
 A) does B) did C) was doing D) had **done**
474. The sun _____ when we reached the summit.
 A) sets B) set C) had set D) was **setting**
475. When the phone _____, she was having a shower.
 A) rang B) rings C) had rung D) was **ringing**
476. They _____ for an hour before the bus finally came.
 A) waited B) were waiting C) had **waited** D) had been waiting
477. He _____ the book before the library closed.
 A) returns B) returned C) was returning D) **had** returned
478. I _____ to the store when I saw my old friend.
 A) walked B) was **walking** C) had walked D) walk
479. After she _____ the letter, she felt relieved.
 A) wrote B) was writing C) had **written** D) writes
480. They _____ in Paris when they decided to move to London.
 A) were **living** B) lived C) are living D) had lived
481. While we _____ dinner, the power went out.
 A) were **having** B) had C) have D) had had
482. She _____ her homework before her friends arrived.
 A) finished B) was finishing C) had **finished** D) finishes
483. They _____ for hours before they realized they were lost.
 A) walked B) were walking C) had **walked** D) had been walking
484. She _____ all her work before she went home.
 A) completes B) completed C) was completing D) **had** completed

485. He _____ his car when it suddenly broke down.

- A) was **driving** B) drove C) had driven D) drives

486. They _____ to the museum when they saw the accident.

- A) went B) **were** going C) had gone D) go

487. She _____ the piano for years before she became a professional.

- A) played B) was playing C) **had** played D) plays

488. After the class _____, the students left the room.

- A) ends B) ended C) was ending D) had **ended**

489. He _____ for the bus when he realized he had left his wallet at home.

- A) waited B) **was** waiting C) had waited D) waits

490. She _____ for an hour when her friends arrived.

- A) slept B) is sleeping C) had slept D) had **been** sleeping

491. When I _____ him, he was working in the garden.

- A) see B) **saw** C) was seeing D) had seen

492. We _____ on the project for several hours before we took a break.

- A) worked B) were working C) have been worked D) had been **working**

493. She _____ to the store when she remembered she needed to get some milk.

- A) walked B) was **walking** C) had walked D) walks

494. He _____ for the bus when it started to rain.

- A) waited B) was **waiting** C) had waited D) waits

495. Scientists _____ many important things in 1990s.

- A) is inventing B) **invented** C) invents D) was inventing

496. Sami _____ a nice movie yesterday.

- A) see B) seen C) **saw** D) will see

497. Last year, I _____ to Korea.

- A) don't travel B) won't travel C) didn't **travel** D) am not travelling

498. In 2021, I _____ more than one article about avoiding smoking.

- A) have reading B) reads C) were reading D) **read**

499. I _____ a job application to this company last year.

- A) is submitting B) **submitted** C) were submitting D) submit

500. She stayed up all night because she _____ bad news.

- A) have received B) has received C) had **received** D) receives

The End

Good Luck