**Choose the correct tense for each sentence !**

1. After Jonathan \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his degree, she intends to work in an office. (will finish – will have finished – finished – is finishing )

2. Lola looked down to discover a snake at her feet. When she saw it she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (screamed – was screaming – had screamed – screams)

3. I borrowed four books on gardening the last time I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the library. (go – went – had gone – have gone )

4. By the time I go to bed tonight I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my work for the day. (will finish – have finished – will have finished - finish )

5 Mark Twain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ up in a small town in Mississippi. (was growing up – had grown up – grew up – has grown up )

6 When my parents \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow, they will see our new baby for the first time. (will arrive – arrive – will have arrived – arrived )

7 Until you learn how to take a break, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your ability to speak English. (haven’t improved – aren’t improving – don’t improve – won’t improve )

8 My grandfather \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in an airplane before, so this is his first time. (never flies – had never flown – has never flown – never flew )

9 I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in this city since I was a small child. (have been living – am living – had been living – lived )

10 While I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ TV last night a small mouse ran across the room. (watched – have watched – watch – was watching )

11 Jane isn’t here yet. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ since noon but there is no sign of her. (have waited – am writing – wait – have been waiting )

12 By the time my brother finally graduated from high school, he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ seven different schools. (attended – was attending – had attended – had been attending )

13 On June 20th I returned home. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for almost two years.

(was away -have been away – am away – had been away )

14 When I got to the party, many people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.(were already dancing – already danced – had already danced – have already danced).

15 Before I started the car, all of the passengers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their seat belts. (will buckle – will have buckled – had buckled – buckle )

16 Right now we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a heat wave. It’s been so hot for almost a week. (have – have had – have been having – are having )

17 When I go and see the doctor this afternoon I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him to take a look at my throat. (will ask – asked – will have asked – ask )

18 I sent you the money almost a week ago but I still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ any confirmation. (hadn’t received – didn’t receive – haven’t received – am not receiving)

19 After they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the race the celebrations began. (won – have won -win – had won )

20 Our football team \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a football match until last season, when the new coach came. (never wins – has never won – had never won – never won )

21 I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all the questions correctly since I began the course.

(had answered – have been answering – have answered – answered )

22 It’s against the law to kill whales. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ extinct. (have become – become – became – are becoming )

23 Jim, why don’t you take some time off. You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ too hard lately.

(are working – were working – had been working – have been working )

24 Next month I have a week’s vacation. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on going on a trip to the Rockies. (am planning – have planned – will plan -will be planning )

25 I’ll be right with you as soon as I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my keys. (will find – found – find – will have found )