



## PRACTICE 21

## GRAMMAR Multiple-choice

## Verbs and Tenses

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. She \_\_\_\_\_ the dress now.  
 (1) need                                      (2) needs  
 (3) needed                                      (4) needing                                      (      )
  
2. The ice cream I am having now \_\_\_\_\_ delicious.  
 (1) taste                                      (2) tastes  
 (3) tasted                                      (4) is tasting                                      (      )
  
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ someone talking in the room just now.  
 (1) hear                                      (2) hears  
 (3) heard                                      (4) am hearing                                      (      )
  
4. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money yesterday.  
 (1) spent                                      (2) spend  
 (3) spends                                      (4) is spending                                      (      )
  
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ my birthday yesterday.  
 (1) remember                                      (2) remembered  
 (3) is remembering                                      (4) are remembering                                      (      )
  
6. She always \_\_\_\_\_ pink to green.  
 (1) prefer                                      (2) prefers  
 (3) is preferring                                      (4) are preferring                                      (      )
  
7. I am \_\_\_\_\_ a fever now.  
 (1) has                                      (2) have  
 (3) had                                      (4) having                                      (      )
  
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ to eat the cake now.  
 (1) want                                      (2) wants  
 (3) wanted                                      (4) wanting                                      (      )



## PRACTICE 22

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*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ to school every morning.  
 (1) cycle (2) cycles  
 (3) is cycling (4) are cycling ( )
2. She always \_\_\_\_\_ whenever we see her.  
 (1) smile (2) smiles  
 (3) smiled (4) smiling ( )
3. "There \_\_\_\_\_ so many people in the market," Mother says.  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )
4. Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ in the garden whenever it is sunny.  
 (1) play (2) plays  
 (3) played (4) playing ( )
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ feeding the animals now.  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )
6. She \_\_\_\_\_ unhappy all the time. Something must be upsetting her.  
 (1) look (2) looks  
 (3) looked (4) looking ( )
7. Many guests \_\_\_\_\_ waiting for you now.  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )
8. My uncle \_\_\_\_\_ at work now.  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )



## PRACTICE 23

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*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. We \_\_\_\_\_ to the bird park last Sunday.  
 (1) go (2) goes  
 (3) went (4) are going ( )
2. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you last night?  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )
3. My friend \_\_\_\_\_ the storytelling competition last Tuesday.  
 (1) win (2) wins  
 (3) won (4) is winning ( )
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ two hours for you yesterday.  
 (1) wait (2) waits  
 (3) waited (4) am waiting ( )
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ them to the museum last week.  
 (1) take (2) takes  
 (3) took (4) am taking ( )
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ my lunch with my friend just now.  
 (1) share (2) shares  
 (3) shared (4) am sharing ( )
7. There \_\_\_\_\_ a fight here an hour ago.  
 (1) is (2) are  
 (3) was (4) were ( )
8. She \_\_\_\_\_ some coffee on me earlier on.  
 (1) spill (2) spills  
 (3) spilt (4) is spilling ( )

**PRACTICE 24****GRAMMAR Multiple-choice****Verbs and Tenses**

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. Everyone \_\_\_\_\_ him as he is always rude.  
 (1) dislike                      (2) dislikes  
 (3) disliked                    (4) is disliking                      (       )
  
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ you the keys a moment ago.  
 (1) give                          (2) gives  
 (3) gave                        (4) am giving                      (       )
  
3. They laughed when the clown \_\_\_\_\_ down.  
 (1) fell                          (2) fall  
 (3) falls                        (4) is falling                      (       )
  
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ some food because I am very hungry.  
 (1) want                        (2) wanted  
 (3) wants                      (4) am wanting                    (       )
  
5. She \_\_\_\_\_ too sick to even sit up last night.  
 (1) is                            (2) are  
 (3) was                        (4) were                              (       )
  
6. They \_\_\_\_\_ my water bottle in the hall yesterday.  
 (1) find                         (2) finds  
 (3) found                      (4) are finding                    (       )
  
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ the best friend I have.  
 (1) is                            (2) are  
 (3) was                        (4) were                              (       )
  
8. \_\_\_\_\_ you coming tonight?  
 (1) Is                            (2) Are  
 (3) Was                        (4) Were                              (       )



## PRACTICE 25

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## Verbs and Tenses

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. The movie \_\_\_\_\_ half an hour ago.  
 (1) start                      (2) starts  
 (3) started                  (4) is starting                  (      )
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ the football match last night.  
 (1) lose                      (2) lost  
 (3) loses                    (4) is losing                  (      )
3. Jollie and I \_\_\_\_\_ friends. We visit each other all the time.  
 (1) is                          (2) are  
 (3) was                      (4) were                      (      )
4. The workers \_\_\_\_\_ very fast with their work yesterday.  
 (1) is                          (2) are  
 (3) was                      (4) were                      (      )
5. Miss Ting is a good teacher and all the pupils \_\_\_\_\_ her.  
 (1) like                      (2) likes  
 (3) liked                    (4) are liking                  (      )
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ so sleepy this afternoon when I was in class.  
 (1) feel                      (2) felt  
 (3) feels                    (4) am feeling                  (      )
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ whenever I am free.  
 (1) read                      (2) reads  
 (3) is reading              (4) am reading                  (      )
8. There \_\_\_\_\_ 12 months in a year.  
 (1) is                          (2) are  
 (3) was                      (4) were                      (      )



**PRACTICE 26****GRAMMAR Multiple-choice****Verbs and Tenses**

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. She \_\_\_\_\_ her hands after she goes to the toilet.  
 (1) wash                      (2) washes  
 (3) washed                (4) is washing                      (       )
2. Smoking \_\_\_\_\_ a bad habit.  
 (1) is                          (2) are  
 (3) was                      (4) were                              (       )
3. The sun \_\_\_\_\_ from the east and sets in the west.  
 (1) rise                      (2) rose  
 (3) rises                    (4) is rising                        (       )
4. She \_\_\_\_\_ your mother yesterday.  
 (1) met                      (2) meet  
 (3) meets                  (4) is meeting                      (       )
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ me to the airport last week.  
 (1) drive                    (2) drove  
 (3) drives                  (4) are driving                      (       )
6. She \_\_\_\_\_ her homework very quickly every day as she wants to finish it as soon as possible.  
 (1) do                        (2) did  
 (3) does                    (4) is doing                        (       )
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ an interesting story last month.  
 (1) write                    (2) wrote  
 (3) writes                  (4) am writing                      (       )
8. He is a singer. He \_\_\_\_\_ for a living.  
 (1) sing                      (2) sings  
 (3) sang                    (4) singing                        (       )



## PRACTICE 27

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## Verbs and Tenses

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ to the party now.  
 (1) go (2) goes  
 (3) is going (4) am going ( )
2. She \_\_\_\_\_ her house yesterday.  
 (1) clean (2) cleans  
 (3) cleaned (4) is cleaning ( )
3. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ a cookery class now.  
 (1) attend (2) attended  
 (3) is attending (4) are attending ( )
4. He \_\_\_\_\_ to me over the phone for four hours last night.  
 (1) talk (2) talks  
 (3) talked (4) is talking ( )
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ for Finland now.  
 (1) left (2) leaves  
 (3) is leaving (4) are leaving ( )
6. The little girl \_\_\_\_\_ her pencil right now.  
 (1) sharpen (2) sharpened  
 (3) is sharpening (4) are sharpening ( )
7. Do not disturb him. He \_\_\_\_\_ a book now.  
 (1) read (2) reads  
 (3) is reading (4) are reading ( )
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ our snack a while ago.  
 (1) has (2) had  
 (3) have (4) are having ( )



## PRACTICE 28

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## Verbs and Tenses

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ his pet home from the veterinarian yesterday.  
 (1) bring (2) brings  
 (3) brought (4) are bringing ( )
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ in the bus as it turns into the car park.  
 (1) sang (2) sings  
 (3) is singing (4) are singing ( )
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ the road at the traffic junction now.  
 (1) cross (2) crosses  
 (3) crossed (4) is crossing ( )
4. Please pay attention as I \_\_\_\_\_ now.  
 (1) talk (2) talks  
 (3) am talking (4) is talking ( )
5. It is a lazy afternoon. Everyone \_\_\_\_\_ off.  
 (1) doze (2) dozed  
 (3) is dozing (4) are dozing ( )
6. "What \_\_\_\_\_ they queue up for just now?" asks Zoe.  
 (1) do (2) did  
 (3) does (4) doing ( )
7. I know what you \_\_\_\_\_ at this very moment.  
 (1) thinks (2) thought  
 (3) is thinking (4) are thinking ( )
8. Toby \_\_\_\_\_ a letter before he went to bed.  
 (1) write (2) wrote  
 (3) writes (4) is writing ( )



**PRACTICE 29****GRAMMAR Multiple-choice****Verbs and Tenses**

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. The chef \_\_\_\_\_ the most important ingredient now.  
 (1) add (2) added  
 (3) is adding (4) are adding ( )
2. The boy was playing games while his baby brother \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (1) sleep (2) slept  
 (3) sleeps (4) is sleeping ( )
3. Lindy \_\_\_\_\_ for two hours earlier in the afternoon.  
 (1) nap (2) naps  
 (3) napped (4) is napping ( )
4. Cindy \_\_\_\_\_ her birthday every year.  
 (1) celebrate (2) celebrates  
 (3) am celebrating (4) are celebrating ( )
5. The telephone \_\_\_\_\_ for a long time but no one picked it up.  
 (1) ring (2) rang  
 (3) rings (4) is ringing ( )
6. I \_\_\_\_\_ very quickly because I wanted to finish it earlier.  
 (1) type (2) types  
 (3) typed (4) am typing ( )
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ the fireworks display last night.  
 (1) watch (2) wathes  
 (3) watched (4) are watching ( )
8. They \_\_\_\_\_ funny faces behind the teacher's back now.  
 (1) make (2) makes  
 (3) is making (4) are making ( )



## PRACTICE 30

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## Verbs and Tenses

*Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.*

1. Milly \_\_\_\_\_ an exciting movie now.  
 (1) watch                      (2) watched  
 (3) is watching              (4) are watching              (      )
  
2. The boys \_\_\_\_\_ the book while fighting for it just now.  
 (1) tear                        (2) tore  
 (3) tears                       (4) tearing                      (      )
  
3. "Who \_\_\_\_\_ the glass?" asked Mother angrily.  
 (1) break                      (2) broke  
 (3) breaks                    (4) is breaking                (      )
  
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ busy with my homework and did not hear the doorbell ring.  
 (1) is                            (2) are  
 (3) was                        (4) were                        (      )
  
5. Uncle Tan \_\_\_\_\_ two hours watering the plants every day.  
 (1) spend                      (2) spends  
 (3) am spending              (4) are spending              (      )
  
6. That pile of books \_\_\_\_\_ up the space in the room.  
 (1) take                        (2) is taking  
 (3) am taking                (4) are taking                (      )
  
7. Father \_\_\_\_\_ his car for repair yesterday.  
 (1) send                        (2) sent  
 (3) sends                      (4) sending                      (      )
  
8. She \_\_\_\_\_ to the party last night.  
 (1) go                            (2) goes  
 (3) went                        (4) is going                      (      )