

# Past Perfect Continuous / Progressive Exercises

Instruction: put the verbs in the correct form.

1. I \_\_\_\_\_ (to study) English for 1 year before I took an English test.
2. Dean \_\_\_\_\_ (to search) on the Internet for hours before finding an interesting blog.
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ (to work out) since the morning when she fainted.
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ (to run) for 30 minutes before we decided to rest.
5. Tyler \_\_\_\_\_ (to think) about what to write for a long time before coming up with good ideas.
6. Emma and I \_\_\_\_\_ (to walk) around the neighbourhood when we got hungry.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ (to read) my favourite comic before I feel asleep.
8. Candace \_\_\_\_\_ (to wait) for her boyfriend for hours before realizing he wasn't coming.
9. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (to save) money for a car since last year.
10. Sophia \_\_\_\_\_ (to practice) the guitar for weeks before the recital.

## Answer key

1. had / 'd been studying
2. had / 'd been searching
3. had / 'd been working out
4. had / 'd been running
5. had / 'd been thinking
6. had / 'd been walking
7. had / 'd been reading
8. had / 'd been waiting
9. had / 'd been saving
10. had / 'd been practicing