

# REVIEW OF VERB TENSES

Fill in the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets

1. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ (**recently**/ buy) some property in the south of France. They \_\_\_\_\_ (build) a summer cottage **at the moment**
2. Andy and Sally \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to a concert **tomorrow night**. They \_\_\_\_\_ (look forward to) it all week
3. When he \_\_\_\_\_ (create) Microsoft, Bill Gates was only 20 years old. He \_\_\_\_\_ (already/ write) his first computer programme seven years **earlier**
4. They \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in the queue for an hour when the manager \_\_\_\_\_ (inform) them that there were no more tickets .
5. An accident \_\_\_\_\_ (occur) near my house last night. A car \_\_\_\_\_ (hit) a young man. He \_\_\_\_\_ (ride) a bicycle when suddenly someone \_\_\_\_\_ (open) the front door of a car. Several witnesses \_\_\_\_\_ (see) the accident.
6. Robert \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) the news in English every day on TV and it \_\_\_\_\_ (help) him with his English.
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a film a week ago, but I \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) it very much. The problem was that I \_\_\_\_\_ (already/ read) the book
8. Last night my neighbour \_\_\_\_\_ (knock) on the door. She \_\_\_\_\_ (want) my father to move the car because she \_\_\_\_\_ (not can) get out of her parking space
9. My sister \_\_\_\_\_ (fly) home from London today. Her flight \_\_\_\_\_ (land) in an hour, so I \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) home right now to pick her up at the airport
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) when the fire \_\_\_\_\_ (break out)
11. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) her father since she \_\_\_\_\_ (start) to work in France two years ago
12. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not sleep) at all last night because somebody \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to very loud music all night long
13. \_\_\_\_\_ (you/ write) to him tonight? Yes, I always \_\_\_\_\_ (write) to him on his birthday. \_\_\_\_\_ (you/want) to send him a message?

14. I \_\_\_\_\_ (just/ see) the film "the Da Vinci Code". \_\_\_\_\_ (you/ see) it? No, I \_\_\_\_\_. Is it like the book? Well, I \_\_\_\_\_ (not know) because I \_\_\_\_\_ (not read) the book
15. While he \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for the bus, there \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a robbery at the bank. The police \_\_\_\_\_ (appear) after the robbers \_\_\_\_\_ (run away), so they \_\_\_\_\_ (not catch) them
16. Yesterday before Peter \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) home he \_\_\_\_\_ (write) a note to his girlfriend
17. He \_\_\_\_\_ (always/ say) that he will mend the window, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (never/ do) it
18. I used to ski when I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) at university, but I \_\_\_\_\_ (break) a leg five years ago and I \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) any skiing since then
19. Don't worry!! I \_\_\_\_\_ (give) you a call at 6.30
20. By December 6th we \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) the first term exams and we \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a long free weekend
21. Why \_\_\_\_\_ (she/ learn) Chinese this year? Because she \_\_\_\_\_ (work) for a Chinese company at the moment and she \_\_\_\_\_ (work) in the Beijing office next year