

English Past Perfect vs Past Perfect Continuous - Test 03

Questions

1. The footballer (not start) _____ the game until he was told to by the coach
 - A. hadn't started
 - B. hadn't been starting

2. When the constable rushed into the street, the thieves (already, vanish)_____ into the thin air.
 - A. had already vanished
 - B. had already been vanishing

3. Before the knight joined the army, he (practise) _____ fighting with a sword for some time.
 - A. had been practicing
 - B. had practiced

4. After the teacher (hand out) _____ tests, the students started to write.
 - A. had handed out
 - B. had been handing out

5. I (not to be) _____ at home before my mother came.
 - A. hadn't been

- B. hadn't been being
6. Until the turtles were fed they (not be) _____ calm.
- A. hadn't been
- B. hadn't been being
7. By the time we cooked the dinner, the maid (set) _____ the table.
- A. had set
- B. had been setting
8. The pop group started the concert after all the cables (be) _____ connected.
- A. had been
- B. had been being
9. We got in the cinema after we (buy) _____ the tickets.
- A. had been buying
- B. had bought
10. They (wait) _____ for an hour when the waiter came.
- A. had been waiting
- B. had waited