Choose a, b, c or d.

1 Tom’s a musician. He _ _ _ the violin.
   a has played
   b is playing
   c plays
   d has been playing

2 I _ _ _ that film yet. Is it good?
   a don’t see
   b haven’t seen
   c haven’t been seeing
   d am not seeing

3 Boris _ _ _ to working in the factory. He’s been doing it for years.
   a gets used
   b has been getting used
   c is used
   d is getting used

4 Harry hasn’t got up _ _ _ .
   a already
   b still
   c yet
   d early

5 Sally is happy now because she _ _ _ her dog.
   a has found
   b finds
   c has been finding
   d is finding

6 I need to go for a walk now. I _ _ _ at my desk all day.
   a have been sitting
   b have sat
   c am sitting
   d sit

7 We _ _ _ them the invitations, but they still haven’t responded.
   a are sending
   b send
   c have sent
   d have been sending

8 I _ _ _ anything like this before. It’s amazing!
   a don’t taste
   b am not tasting
   c haven’t been tasting
   d haven’t tasted

9 I _ _ _ for my keys all morning, and I still haven’t found them.
   a have looked
   b am looking
   c have been looking
   d look

10 Call her at work. She is _ _ _ there at this time.
   a seldom
   b usually
   c rarely
   d regularly

11 Sue doesn’t use her motorbike on weekdays because she _ _ _ to work.
   a is walking
   b has been walking
   c walks
   d has walked

12 She can’t buy that DVD because _ _ _ all her money.
   a already she spends
   b she’s been spending already
   c already has she spent
   d she’s already spent

13 _ _ _ your homework yet?
   a Have you finished
   b Do you finish
   c Have you been finishing
   d Are you finishing

14 Can you help me? I _ _ _ this before.
   a haven’t done
   b don’t do
   c haven’t been doing
   d am not doing

15 Oh no! There _ _ _ my last euro!
   a has gone
   b has been
   c goes
   d is going
B

For questions 1–10, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

1. This is the first time I’ve gone swimming in a river.
   swum
   I’ve ______________________ before.

2. My sister has the really annoying habit of wearing my shoes!
   always
   My sister ______________________; it’s really annoying!

3. Jasmine started her job here last summer.
   working
   Jasmine ______________________ last summer.

4. Katie turned on the TV ten hours ago, and she still hasn’t turned it off!
   watching
   Katie ______________________ ten hours!

5. It’s normal for us to cycle to school.
   used
   We ______________________ to school.

6. Mary has only been a professional tennis player for eight years.
   played
   Mary ______________________ for eight years.

7. He’s been working on the ship for a few weeks now; he’ll soon be used to it.
   is
   He’s been working on the ship for a few weeks, so he ______________________.

8. We still have to tell Tom about the meeting.
   anything
   We ______________________ to Tom about the meeting yet.

9. Anna’s in Spain; she’ll be back next week.
   has
   Anna ______________________; she’ll be back next week.

10. This is my first visit to Liverpool.
    ever
    This is the ______________________ visited Liverpool.
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#### Stative Verbs

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- a: the table to see how long it is.
- b: of moving to Scotland.
- c: the flour.
- d: 4 metres by 5 metres.
- e: that’s silly!
- f: ten kilos.