

Practice of Correction of Sentence

Rewrite the sentences correctly

Complete the following sentences using an appropriate word or phrase.

1. My father knows how to teach English

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well

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2. We want a new house to

.....

live

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3. I for you since 9 o'clock in the morning.

am waiting

have been waiting

4. James suffering from fever since yesterday.

is

was

has been

5. Neither Ann nor Mary arrived.

has

have

6. I will call on you before I

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leave

will leave

7. I all the books to the library yesterday.

returned

have returned

8. Each man and each woman the right to vote.

has

have

9. Walking along the road, the old man was by a bus.

ran over

run over

10. He hard for the last two weeks.

is studying

was studying

has been studying

11. I am not used in busy streets.

to drive

driving

to driving

12. The poet and dramatist
..... dead.

is

are

Answers

1. My father knows how to teach English well.
2. We want a new house to live **in**.
3. I **have been waiting** for you since 9 o'clock in the morning.
4. James **has been suffering** from fever since yesterday.
5. Neither Ann nor Mary **has** arrived.
6. I will call on you before I **leave**.
7. I **returned** all the books to the library yesterday.
8. Each man and each woman **has** the right to vote.
9. Walking along the road, the old man **was run over** by a bus.
10. He **has been studying** hard for the last two weeks.

11. I am not used **to driving** in busy streets.

12. The poet and dramatist **is** dead. (Here both nouns refer to the same person. Otherwise, you would have used an article or another determiner before the second noun.)