

## Participles And Perfect Participles

Fill in the blanks.

1. It ..... a hot day, I could not do much work.

being

having

having been

2. .... the thief by his arm, the policeman led him away.

Catching

Having caught

Either could be used here

3. The soup ..... too salty, I could not drink it.

being

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having been

having

4. It ..... a Sunday, all the shops were closed.

being

having been

having

5. The gatekeeper ..... the door, we entered.

opening

having opened

being opened

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6. .... up the gun, he started firing indiscriminately.

Picking

Having picking

Being picked

7. The sun ....., the travelers stopped the journey.

setting

having set

being set

8. The sea ..... they abandoned the swim.

having rough

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being rough

having been rough

9. .... by his progress, he made another attempt.

Encouraging

Having encouraged

Encouraged

10. .... very sad, she couldn't stop weeping.

Being

It being

Having been

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11. Weather ....., we will go sailing.

being permitted

permitted

having permitted

12. .... dissatisfied with his job, he resigned.

Being

Having

Having been

## Answers

It being a hot day, I could not do much work.

Catching/Having caught the thief by his arm, the policeman led him away.

The soup being too salty, I could not drink it.

It being a Sunday, all the shops were closed.

The gatekeeper having opened the door, we entered.

Picking up the gun, he started firing indiscriminately.

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The sun having set the travelers stopped the journey.

The sea being rough they abandoned the swim.

Encouraged by his progress, he made another attempt.

Being very sad, she couldn't stop weeping.

Weather permitting, we will go sailing.

Being dissatisfied with his job, he resigned.