

Subject-Verb Agreement Exercise

Fill in the blanks with a verb form that agrees with the subject.

1. Neither James nor his children
..... English.

Speak

Speaks

Is speaking

2. Neither Sam nor his brother

Work

Works

Are working

3. The farmer along with his children
..... hard day and night.

Toil

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toils

Either could be used here

4. Neither you nor he capable of doing this.

are

is

Either could be used here

5. The writer and orator no more.

is

are

Either could be used here

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6. The man as well as his wife guilty.

is

are

7. Being bilingual an advantage in the modern world.

is

are

8. Trespassing prohibited.

is

are

9. When we were children, we

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long hours playing.

will spend

would spend

would spent

10. How they escaped a
mystery.

is

are

11. Despite rich, he is not
happy.

is

being

been

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be

12. Neither you nor I right.

are

am

Either could be used here

Answers

Neither James nor his children speak English.

Neither Sam nor his brother works.

The farmer along with his children toils hard day and night.

Neither you nor he is capable of doing this.

The writer and orator is no more.

The man as well as his wife is guilty.

Being bilingual is an advantage in the modern world.

Trespassing is prohibited.

When we were children, we would spend long hours playing.

How they escaped is a mystery.

Despite being rich, he is not happy.

Neither you nor I am right.