Fill in the blanks with an appropriate tense form.

1. When I opened my eyes, Ia strange sight.

saw

was seeing

have seen

2. Every morning she up early and gets ready for work.

is waking

wakes

has woken

3. If I knew what he wanted, I this.

will not permit

would not permit

would not have permitted

4. I anything from her in a long time.

didn't hear

haven't heard

am not hearing

5. The headmaster to talk to you.

want

wants

is wanting

6. Jane with her parents.

is living

lives

has lived

7. We Greece next month.

visit

will visit

would visit

are visiting

8. The moon around the earth.

is revolving

has revolved

revolves

9. She a novel.

wrote

writes

has written

10. All students in their work.

handed

have handed

hand

11. I English for twelve years.

am teaching

have been teaching

will be teaching

12. The students their dialogues.

rehearse

are rehearsing

Either could be used here

Answers

- 1. When I opened my eyes, I saw a strange sight.
- 2. Every morning she wakes up early and gets ready for work.
- 3. If I knew what he wanted, I would not permit this.
- 4. I haven't heard anything from her in a long time.
- 5. The headmaster wants to talk to you.
- 6. Jane lives with her parents.
- 7. We are visiting Greece next month.
- 8. The moon revolves around the earth.
- 9. She has written a novel.
- 10. All students have handed in their work.
- 11. I have been teaching English for twelve years.

Tenses Exercise

12. The students are rehearsing their dialogues.