

## Tenses worksheet

Complete the following sentences using an appropriate verb form.

1. I ..... all novels written by Jane Austen.

read

have read

had read

2. She ..... before I ..... her place.

left, had reached

had left, had reached

had left, reached

3. She ..... here for six months.

has stayed

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has been staying

is staying

4. I ..... to become a writer.

always wanted

have always wanted

am always wanting

5. Last night, there ..... an explosion  
near the castle.

has been

is

was

had been

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6. I ..... her for a long time.

had known

have known

am knowing

know

7. He never ..... to his native place.

returned

was returning

had returned

8. He ..... by his grandparents.

raised

has raised

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was raised

had raised

## Answers

1. I have read all novels written by Jane Austen.
2. She had left before I reached her place.
3. She has stayed / has been staying here for six months.
4. I have always wanted to become a writer.
5. Last night, there was an explosion near the castle.
6. I have known her for a long time.
7. He never returned to his native place.
8. He was raised by his grandparents.