

**Please fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the present perfect continuous tense.**

1. The band \_\_\_\_\_ (practice) a lot for the big show next week.
2. The workers \_\_\_\_\_ (fix up) the old house all day.
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) to paint for a few months now, trying different styles.
4. The cooks \_\_\_\_\_ (get ready) for the restaurant's special opening menu.
5. They \_\_\_\_\_ (try) out new ways to sell their products in other countries.
6. The students \_\_\_\_\_ (plan) a charity event to help kids in need.
7. He \_\_\_\_\_ (train) hard for the marathon, working on running longer distances.
8. Scientists \_\_\_\_\_ (do) experiments to understand how climate change affects oceans.
9. The team \_\_\_\_\_ (research) to find new treatments for a rare illness.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) yoga and meditation to relax and feel better.

**Key:**

1. The band **has been practicing** a lot for the big show next week.
2. The workers **have been fixing up** the old house all day.
3. She **'s been learning** to paint for a few months now, trying different styles.
4. The cooks **have been getting ready** for the restaurant's special opening menu.
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