Working with Tenses

Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate tense. Look at the time expressions for clues.

1. Juan ___________________________ (study) English for many years.

2. His sister ___________________________ (finish) her English classes last semester.

3. Right now, we ___________________________ (work) on a very interesting project.

4. Before the teacher came to class, the students ___________________________ (complete) their assignments.

5. Sandie and George ___________________________ (continue) their studies for one more year.

6. By the time the teacher comes to class, the students ___________________________ (complete) their assignments.

7. Iva ___________________________ (meet) a young man at the supermarket last Saturday.

8. While James and his wife ___________________________ (drive) home, they saw a parade.

9. Tomorrow, Lisa’s brother ___________________________ (start) his new job.

10. My students always ___________________________ (enjoy) talking in English in class.

11. Since their family ___________________________ (arrive) to this country, they ________ ___________________________ (be) very happy.

12. When Josesito got home, his parents ___________________________ (go) to sleep an hour before.

13. Andy and the boys ___________________________ (enjoy) the World Cup now that it is on.

14. My car ___________________________ (break) down three days ago.

15. I’m sorry. I cannot walk anymore. I ___________________________ (walk) for an hour.