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| **Present Perfect Continuous: Review** |

Complete the following sentences with the PRESENT, PAST, PRESENT CONTINUOUS, PRESENT PERFECT, or PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS.

**A.**

Carlos Sanchez (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (speak) English quite fluently. I wonder where he (2)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (learn) it. Right now he (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(study) mechanical engineering. He (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(plan) to go to graduate school when he (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (get) his Bachelor of Science degree. Carlos

(6) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (live) by himself for the last few months, but

he (7)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (think) about getting a roommate. He (8) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (miss) his friends back home a great deal, and this (9)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (affect) his studies. He (10)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (consider) asking his father for permission to come home during the summer, but he (11) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(not –do) so yet.

**B.**

Air conditioning (12)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (change) the world. Its invention (13)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (encourage) a rapid and dramatic evolution in where people live and in what they live in. We (14)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (build) skyscrapers with sealed windows because of air conditioning. Hot weather cities such as Miami and Atlanta (15)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (grow) because of cooling systems. Who would want to live there without them? Even cars (16)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (change). The first cars with “air conditioning” (17)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (be) convertibles! But drive along any road on a hot summer day and see how many drivers (18)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (roll-negative) down their windows. That’s because most have air conditioning. In the old days, everyone (19)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (be) hot all summer. But as air conditioning (20)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (become) increasingly popular, more and more of us (21)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (take advantage) of it. After all, everybody wants to be cool!