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1. What is the Future Perfect Continuous Tense?

- It shows that an action will continue up until a specific point in the future and emphasizes its duration (how long it has been going on).

(Formula idea: An activity that started earlier and is still ongoing at a future checkpoint.)

2. Sentence Structure & Formulas

Sentence Type	Formula / Rule	Example
Positive (+)	Subject + will have been + verb(-ing)	By 5 PM, Liam will have been studying for three hours.
Negative (-)	Subject + will not have been (won't have been) + verb(-ing)	She won't have been waiting long when the bus arrives.
Question (?)	Will + Subject + have been + verb(-ing) + ?	Will you have been living here for five years by July?

3. Key Uses & Core Concepts

Measuring ongoing duration before a future point:

- By next month, Emma will have been teaching at this school for two years.

Showing cause and effect in the future:

- The runner will be tired because he will have been running for an hour.

4. Critical Rules & Common Traps

Rule 1: Always use "have been" (never "has been" or "had been").

-  Incorrect: He will has been working all day.
-  Correct: He will have been working all day.

Rule 2: Don't drop "been" before the -ing verb.

-  Incorrect: They will have playing for two hours.
-  Correct: They will have been playing for two hours.

Rule 3: State verbs (know, believe, like, seem) do not use continuous forms.

- Use Future Perfect instead: I will have known him for ten years (not will have been knowing).

5. Practice Examples

- Positive (+): By 6 PM, Lucas will have been studying for four hours without a break.
- Negative (-): By the time the bus arrives, the passengers won't have been waiting for very long.
- Question (?): Will you have been working at this design studio for five years by next month?
- Positive with 'Since': By midnight, the rain will have been falling steadily since morning.
- Negative (-): The athletes will not have been training outdoors if the weather remains stormy.



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We use the Future Perfect Continuous tense when talking about actions that will continue up until a certain time in the future.

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	QUESTION
I will have been eating. You will have been eating. We will have been eating. They will have been eating. He will have been eating. She will have been eating. It will have been eating.	I won't have been eating. You won't have been eating. We won't have been eating. They won't have been eating. He won't have been eating. She won't have been eating. It won't have been eating.	Will I have been eating? Will you have been eating? Will we have been eating? Will they have been eating? Will he have been eating? Will she have been eating? Will it have been eating?

Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

- 1- By next June, she for four years. (study)
- 2- They on the project for six months. (work)
- 3- By the time you arrive, I for two hours. (wait)
- 4- he for two hours by the time the race ends? (run)
- 5- By next year, we in this city for 5 years. (live)
- 6- She Math for a decade by next term. (teach)
- 7- By the end of the day, he for 10 hours. (study)
- 8- we for 3 weeks by the time we return? (travel)
- 9- By 3 o'clock, they for 4 hours. (practice)
- 10- She for the marathon for 6 months. (not/train)
- 11- He well for days by the weekend. (not/sleep)
- 12- they for eleven hours by tomorrow night? (drive)
- 13- She her thesis for five months by then. (write)



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Instruction : Read each sentence carefully. Pay attention to the duration and future time markers, then underline the correct verb form in the brackets.

- By 5 PM today, Liam (will have been studying / will be studying) for four straight hours.
- By next month, the engineers (will have been working / were working) on the bridge for a full year.
- When the train finally arrives, Sophia (will have been waiting / has waited) on the platform for forty minutes.
- By the end of this semester, Mr. Davis (will have been teaching / will teach) biology for twenty-five years.
- They (won't have been sleeping / won't sleeping) long when the morning alarm rings at dawn.
- (Will you have been driving / Did you driving) for six hours by the time you reach the cabin?
- By midnight, the heavy snow (will have been falling / was falling) continuously for twelve hours.
- Emma will be exhausted because she (will have been running / will run) laps around the track all afternoon.
- By next July, the family (will have been living / is living) in this apartment for five years.
- The researchers (won't have been collecting / won't collected) field data for very long before the storm hits.
- By 8 o'clock tonight, the chef (will have been baking / had been baking) pastries for six hours.
- (Will the crew have been repairing / Will the crew repairing) the runway since dawn by the time planes land?
- By next weekend, Lucas (will have been practicing / has been practicing) the piano piece for two full weeks.
- The rescue team (will have been searching / was searching) the woods for hours before backup arrives.
- By the time Oliver completes the course, he (will have been learning / will learn) Spanish for six months.
- (Will they have been sailing / Do they sail) across the bay for three hours by noon?
- By tomorrow morning, the water pump (will have been running / is running) non-stop for twenty-four hours.
- The athletes (won't have been training / won't trained) outdoors if the temperature drops below zero.
- By the time the movie finishes, we (will have been sitting / sat) in the theater for nearly three hours.
- By next winter, the conservationists (will have been tracking / were tracking) the wolf pack for two years.



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Instruction : Fill in the blanks with the correct Future Perfect Continuous Tense form of the verb in brackets (will have been + verb-ing or won't have been + verb-ing).

- By 5 PM, Oliver _____ (read) for three hours.
- By next month, they _____ (work) here for a year.
- When you arrive, I _____ (wait) for forty minutes.
- She _____ (not practice) long before the recital starts.
- By noon, the sun _____ (shine) for six hours.
- _____ you _____ (study) since morning by test time?
- By next year, we _____ (live) in this town for five years.
- The players _____ (run) for an hour by halftime.
- Emma _____ (not sleep) long when the bell rings.
- By 6 PM, dad _____ (drive) for four straight hours.
- _____ he _____ (paint) the wall since morning by noon?
- By tomorrow, the rain _____ (fall) for two whole days.
- They _____ (train) for months before the race begins.
- Lucas _____ (not write) his report for long by 3 PM.
- By sunset, the gardeners _____ (work) for eight hours.
- The mechanic _____ (repair) the car for two hours by noon.
- _____ they _____ (travel) on the train for five hours by sunset?
- By dinner time, chef Marco _____ (cook) without a break for four hours.
- Sophia _____ (not rehearse) her speech for long when the teacher arrives.
- By next Friday, the students _____ (prepare) their science model for two weeks.



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Instruction : Rewrite each sentence in the Simple Future Tense (use will + base verb) on the line provided.

- By 4 PM, Liam will has been studying for two hours.

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- They will have working on the art project all morning.

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- By next July, we will have been live here for three years.

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- Sophia won't been waiting long when the bus arrives.

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- Will he have been run for thirty minutes by then?

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- By noon, the chef will having been baking since dawn.

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- The boys will have been played football for two hours by 5 PM.

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- She will been teaching at the school for a decade by next term.

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- By midnight, the snow will has been falling for six hours.

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- Will they had been driving for long before the sunset?

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- Lucas won't have be sleeping long when morning comes.

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- By 10 AM, the crew will have been work for four hours.

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- Oliver will not having been driving for long before the fuel stop.

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