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Basics. Adverbs: Still, Yet, and Already

Medium | A1 | Elementary | Beginners | A2 | Elementary | Pre-intermediate | B1 | Intermediate | Adverb | Auxiliary verb | Negation | Present tense | Questions | Perfect tense | Progressive tense | Word order

1. Complete the friend's polite refusal of a snack. Select the grammatically correct word to fill in the blank.

"No thank you, I don't want any pizza. I have ___ eaten a huge burger!"

Select one.

A) yet
B) still
C) already
D) ever

2. Complete the boss's text messages to her very relaxed employee by selecting the correct words.

"Are you _____ watching cat videos on company time? You haven't sent me the weekly report _____. I am amazed that it is only 10:00 AM and you have _____ taken three coffee breaks!"

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1
A) still
B) already
C) yet

Blank 2
A) yet
B) still
C) already

Blank 3
A) already
B) yet
C) still

3. Complete the hungry roommate's dramatic complaint about a delayed pizza delivery by dragging the correct words into the blanks.

We ordered the pizza an hour ago, but it isn't here _____.
My stomach is _____ making the same terrible, loud noises it made an hour ago.
I have _____ eaten all the emergency snacks in the house, so I need real food right now!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1
A) yet
B) still
C) already

Blank 2
A) still
B) yet
C) already

Blank 3
A) already
B) still
C) yet

4. Help the stressed party planner review her checklist by selecting ALL the grammatically correct sentences.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** The DJ has already set up the speakers.
- **B)** We haven't ordered the giant pizzas yet.
- **C)** I am yet waiting for the birthday cake.
- **D)** Have the guests still arrived?

5. Help the frantic roommate figure out what's left to do before the party guests arrive by choosing the correct time words.

"I am panicking! I haven't bought the party snacks _____. Don't worry, though: I have _____ ordered the pizza, so it should be here soon. However, I can't go to the store because I am _____ cleaning the bathroom!"

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** yet
- **B)** still
- **C)** already

Blank 2

- **A)** already
- **B)** yet
- **C)** still

Blank 3

- **A)** still
- **B)** yet
- **C)** already

6. Read the spaceship captain's log. Select ALL the sentences that use time adverbs correctly.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** We still haven't found any friendly aliens.
- **B)** The crew hasn't finished cleaning the rocket yet.
- **C)** We haven't already reached the red planet.
- **D)** The engine is yet making that weird noise.

7. Help the student explain why he can't go out to play video games. Choose the correct word to complete his sentence.

"I can't play the new video game with you because I haven't finished my math homework ___."

Select one.

- **A)** already
- **B)** still
- **C)** yet
- **D)** just

8. Help the panicked student text their friend about an upcoming essay deadline by dragging the correct time words into the blanks.

I can't believe it is midnight and I am _____ writing my introduction!
I haven't even started the conclusion _____.
How have you _____ finished the whole thing? You must be a wizard!

Choose the correct option for each gap.

Blank 1

- **A)** still
- **B)** yet
- **C)** already

Blank 2

- **A)** yet
- **B)** still
- **C)** already

Blank 3

- **A)** already
- **B)** still
- **C)** yet

9. Complete the text message to a friend about a frustrating wait at the bus stop. Choose the correct word to fill in the gap.

"I am ___ waiting for the bus in the rain. Where is it?"

Select one.

- **A)** already
- **B)** yet
- **C)** still
- **D)** soon

10. A teenager is trying to prove how responsible he is. Choose ALL the statements that correctly use *still*, *yet*, or *already*.

Select all that apply.

- **A)** I have already finished my math homework!
- **B)** Are you still worried about my grades?
- **C)** I have done the dishes yet.
- **D)** I haven't fed the dog already.