Future Perfect Progressive
(Future Perfect Continuous)
Story 2

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Who is he? What will he have been doing?

Pete is a window washer. Today, he is going to be washing windows on the 13th floor of a downtown office building. He will have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes all of the windows on the 13th floor. He will be very tired tonight because he will have been working so hard.

Although the work is difficult, Pete enjoys his job. In August, he will have been working as a window washer for 5 years. He will have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years.
Future Perfect Progressive Story 2 – Exercises

A. Answer the following questions. Use the Future Perfect Progressive tense.

1. How many hours will Pete have been washing windows when he finishes the 13th floor windows?

2. Why will Pete be tired tonight?

3. In August, how long will Pete have been working as a window washer?
B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word or phrase) and tag questions.

Examples for the sentence “**Amanda** will have been waiting for 30 minutes by the time he arrives.”

**Negative:** Amanda will not have been waiting for 30 minutes by the time he arrives.

**Yes/No Question:** Will Amanda have been waiting for 30 minutes by the time he arrives?

**WH-Question:** Who will have been waiting for 30 minutes by the time he arrives?

**Tag Question:** Amanda will have been waiting for 30 minutes by the time he arrives, won't she?

1. **He** will have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes.

   **Negative:** ____________________________________________________________

   **Yes/No Question:** _____________________________________________________

   **WH-Question:** _______________________________________________________

   **Tag Question:** _________________________________________________________
2. He will have been working so hard.

   Negative: _______________________________________________________

   Yes/No Question: ________________________________________________

   WH-Question: ___________________________________________________ 

   Tag Question: ___________________________________________________ 

3. He will have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years

   Negative: _______________________________________________________

   Yes/No Question: ________________________________________________

   WH-Question: ___________________________________________________ 

   Tag Question: ___________________________________________________ 

C. This is a copy of the original story. Fill in the blanks with the Future Perfect Progressive form of each verb in parentheses.

Pete is a window washer. Today, he is going to be washing windows on the 13th floor of a downtown office building. He _________________________ (wash) windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes all of the windows on the 13th floor. He will be very tired tonight because he _________________________ (work) so hard.

Although the work is difficult, Pete enjoys his job. In August, he _________________________ (work) as a window washer for 5 years. He _________________________ (wash) windows in this city for the past 5 years.

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Future Perfect Progressive Story 2 – Answers

A. Answer the following questions. Use the Future Perfect Progressive tense.

1. How many hours will Pete have been washing windows when he finishes the 13th floor windows?

Pete will have been washing windows for 10 hours when he finishes the 13th floor windows.

2. Why will Pete be tired tonight?

Pete will be tired tonight because he will have been working so hard.

3. In August, how long will Pete have been working as a window washer?

In August, Pete will have been working as a window washer for 5 years.
B. Rewrite the following sentences as negative sentences, yes/no questions, WH-questions (using the underlined word or phrase) and tag questions.

1. He will have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes.

   **Negative:** He will not have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes.

   **Yes/No Question:** Will he have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes?

   **WH-Question:** Who will have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes?

   **Tag Question:** He will have been washing windows for almost 10 hours when he finishes, won't he?

2. He will have been working so hard.

   **Negative:** He will not have been working so hard.

   **Yes/No Question:** Will he have been working so hard?

   **WH-Question:** What will he have been doing?

   **Tag Question:** He will have been working so hard, won't he?
3. He will have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years

**Negative:** He will not have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years.

**Yes/No Question:** Will he have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years?

**WH-Question:** Where will he have been washing windows for the past 5 years?

**Tag Question:** He will have been washing windows in this city for the past 5 years, won't he?

C. This is a copy of the original story. Fill in the blanks with the Future Perfect Progressive form of each verb in parentheses.

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Although the work is difficult, Pete enjoys his job. In August, he will have been working (work) as a window washer for 5 years. He will have been washing (wash) windows in this city for the past 5 years.

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