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Unit 12 PRETEST

PART 1

Choose the correct words to complete the paragraph.

If you want personalized service and exceptional quality, then you've come to the right place. Women all over Boston **(1) have been talking / have talked / talked** about Beauty Salon of Boston for the past three years. Beauty Salon of Boston **(2) has open / has been open / has been opening** since 2002. Since then, we **(3) 've been opening / 've open / 've opened** a second store. We **(4) became / 've already become / 've already been becoming** Boston's favorite salon, according to The Globe's "Readers' Favorites." We **(5) 've been / 've been being / are being** their favorite for the past two years. You **(6) 've never been seeing / 've seen / 've never seen** a beauty salon like ours. What's the secret to our success? We **(7) 've been providing / provide / 've provide** quality service at affordable prices since the very beginning. We **(8) also helping / 've also helped / 've also helping** the community. Last year, we donated \$25,000 to local charities. And we offer discounts to students and senior citizens. If you **(9) 've never wanted / 've ever wanted / 've ever been wanting** to work in a truly first-rate salon, click here for employment opportunities. We always have entry-level openings. We **(10) 've ever looked / 've also looked / 've also been looking** for a part-time receptionist. If you would like to apply for the position, click here.

PART 2

Use the present perfect or present perfect progressive form of the words in parentheses to complete the sentences.

I **(1) _____ (see)** Shrek three times already. Can we watch something else?

We **(2) _____ (work)** on a new project in Professor Gabriel's class. We'll be done next week.

I **(3) _____ (be)** tired lately.

We **(4) _____ (just / paint)** the house. It looks much better now.

My dog **(5) _____ (bark)** for an hour now. What can I do to calm him down?

Hi Marco! How **(6) _____ (you / be)**?

I **(7) _____ (not / have)** anything to eat since breakfast.

Mom **(8) _____ (finish)** working on dinner. Let's go eat!