## Perfect Verb Tense

Perfect tense shows an action completed before a given point in time. They are formed by using "has/have/had" before the past participle of the main verb.

| Verb tense            | Rules   | Examples                                      |
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| Past perfect tense    | add " <b>had</b> "+ past<br>participle of verb        | They had walked                               |
| Present perfect tense | add " <b>has/have</b> " + past<br>participle of verb  | They have walked<br>She has walked            |
| Future perfect tense  | add " <b>will have</b> " + past<br>participle of verb | They will have walked<br>She will have walked |

Directions: Complete the sentence with a verb that follows the perfect tense given in parentheses. Do not use the same verb more than once.

| 1.(Past perfect) By the time the sailors spotted the shimi | mering tails, the mermaids |
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| into the depths.   |                            |
| 2.(Present perfect) Gamers                                 | themselves in worlds       |
| more vivid and entertaining than reality.                  |                            |
| 3.(Future perfect) In a decade, AI                         | the way                    |
| we gather information and learn.                           |                            |
| 4.(Past perfect) Candace                                   | the Renaissance era        |
| before deciding to switch majors.                          |                            |
| 5.(Future perfect) Scientists                              | the cloning                |
| techniques for endangered species or deceased pets.        |                            |
| 6. (Present perfect) The city                              |                            |