

A) Fill-in-the-blank using various types of present tense (simple, continuous, perfect, perfect continuous)

1. She usually _____ (wake) up at 6 a.m. and goes for a jog.
2. I have been waiting for your reply since morning, but you still _____ (not respond).
3. The team _____ (work) on the project since dawn, and they have completed only half of the tasks.
4. Right now, the investigators _____ (analyze) the data meticulously, hoping that the results shed new light on the issue.
5. Since the policy's implementation, the administration _____ (observe) a significant increase in productivity, which reflects the employees' renewed enthusiasm.

B) Answer the following questions:

1. Margie's dislike for school reflects her struggle with a system lacking human connection. Comment briefly. 2
2. The story critiques a future dominated by machines in education. Examine how the author uses Margie's experiences to highlight the limitations of a fully mechanical learning system. 3