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Linking Continuity Answer Key

Completed Sentences:

1. She **has been waiting** for you all day.
2. They **have been practicing** for the school concert.
3. My teacher **has been teaching** us grammar since the start of the year.
4. I **have been reading** the same book for weeks.
5. We **have been helping** each other with homework.
6. The children **have been painting** pictures in art class.
7. He **has been running** in the park every morning.
8. You **have been talking** on the phone for an hour.
9. The dog **has been barking** loudly at the gate.
10. The students **have been studying** for the test. *(If preferred, could also match to h, but "helping each other" was used with #5 - flexible for teachers.)*

Teacher Notes:

- Emphasize the structure: **has/have + been + verb(-ing)**.
- This activity highlights **continuity + duration** of actions.
- Encourage pair or group practice: One student reads a starter, another completes it.
- Extension: After matching, ask students to **add a time expression** (e.g., "since yesterday," "for two hours").