

Name _____

Continuity In Context Answer Key

Sample Answers (students' wording may vary):

1. The girl **has been studying** all afternoon.
2. The boys **have been playing** basketball.
3. The family **has been baking** in the kitchen.
4. The students **have been painting** the classroom wall.
5. The man **has been gardening** and planting flowers.
6. The woman **has been knitting** a scarf.
7. The friends **have been riding** their bicycles.
8. The dog **has been chewing** the shoes.
9. The musicians **have been practicing** in the garage.
10. The teacher **has been teaching** for a long time.

Teacher Notes:

- Accept **logical answers** even if worded differently, as long as students use the **present perfect continuous tense** correctly.
- Encourage time expressions like *"for hours"* or *"since this morning"* to strengthen responses.
- For group work: Display real pictures (sports, study, cooking, etc.) and ask students to create their own **"They have been..."** sentences.
- Extension: Students can **draw their own picture** and classmates guess by writing sentences using the target tense.