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Exercise 5: Rewrite the sentences in past perfect continuous tense.

1.	They	waited for two hour	rs before the bus finally arrived.				
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2.	She danced all night at the party.						
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4.	4. We worked in the garden for hours.						
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5.	She c	ooked all afternoon	for the guests.				
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Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the past perfect continuous tense of the verbs in brackets.

- 1. They had been studying for three hours before the exam.
- 2. By the time I arrived, he had been waiting for over an hour.
- 3. We had been working in the garden all morning before it started raining.
- 4. She had been practicing the piano for months before the recital.
- 5. The children had been playing outside for hours before they came inside.

Exercise 2: Rewrite the sentences using the past perfect continuous tense.

- 1. They had been studying for three hours before the exam.
- 2. He had been waiting for over an hour by the time I arrived.
- 3. We had been working in the garden all morning before it started raining.
- 4. She had been practicing the piano for months before the recital.
- 5. The children had been playing outside for hours before they came inside.

Exercise 3: Complete the sentences with the correct form of the past perfect continuous tense.

- 1. By the time she woke up, her family had been decorating the house for Christmas.
- 2. They had been learning to play the guitar for six months before they joined the band.
- 3. I was exhausted because I had been running for hours.
- 4. We had been waiting for the bus for a long time before it finally arrived.
- 5. The team was tired because they had been practicing all day.

Exercise 4: Choose the correct form of the past perfect continuous tense to complete the sentences.

- 1. By the time they arrived, he had been waiting for two hours.
- 2. She had been cooking for hours before the guests arrived.
- 3. They had been studying for the test all night before they felt prepared.
- 4. We had been working in the garden for hours before it started raining.
- 5. He was exhausted because he had been running for a long time.

Exercise 5: Rewrite the sentences in past perfect continuous tense.

- 1. They had been waiting for two hours before the bus finally arrived.
- 2. She had been dancing all night by the time she arrived at the party.
- 3. He had been studying for the exam for weeks before he felt confident.
- 4. We had been working in the garden for hours before it started raining.
- 5. She had been cooking all afternoon before the guests arrived.