SEQUENCE OF TENSES
СОГЛАСОВАНИЕ ВРЕМЁН

Ex.1. Выберите правильную форму глагола.

1. He said he (will come, would come) to the station to see me off.
2. They realized that they (lost, had lost) their way in the dark. 3. He asked me where I (study, studied).
4. I think the weather (will be, would be) fine next week.
I hope it (will not change, would not change) for the worse.
5. He said he (works, worked) at school two years ago.
6. Victor said he (is, was) very busy.
7. My friend asked me who (is playing, was playing) the piano in the sitting-room.
8. He said he (is staying, was staying) at the "Penza" Hotel.
9. I was sure he (posted, had posted) the letter.
10. I thought that I (shall finish, should finish) my work at that time.
11. I knew that he (is, was) a very clever man.
12. We want to know what he (has bought, had bought) for her birthday.
13. I asked my sister to tell me what she (has seen, had seen) at the museum.

Exercise 2. Поставьте глаголы в нужную форму.

1."We sold our house 5 years ago", the stranger said.
The stranger said that they_____ their house 5 years before.
2."I am leaving tomorrow", said the guest.
The guest said that he _____the next day.
3."Yes, I can see your point", said the judge.
The judge said that he_____ the point.
4."You are not right now", said his friend.
His friend said that he _____ not right then.
5."He will be certainly happy when he gets the present", said mother.
Mother said that he _____certainly happy when he _____the present.

Exercise 3. Найдите и исправьте ошибки, если они есть. Запишите правильный вариант предложения. Если ошибки в предложении нет, пишите Right.

1. He promised that he will visit us as soon as possible.

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2. I said that I did it many times before.

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3. She said that she had already been to England three times.

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4. We thought that we would stay there a little bit longer.

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5. They asked us if we could give them a lift to the hotel.

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Exercise 2. Переведите в косвенную речь.

Model: "No hurry (спешка) at all," I said, "but there's nothing more I can do."

I said there was no need to hurry, but there was nothing more I could do.

1. She said, "It looks like lizard skin, but it seems to be from a warm-blooded animal, perhaps a bird. We don't understand what it is."

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2. "I don't think so," said Malcolm.

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3. "That picture of Velma Valento is really mine and I'd like to keep it," I said.

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5. "I've come to ask you about a five-pound note which you paid into your bank yesterday," he said.

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