

RECUPERATORIO 1st YEAR

TENSES

1- Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use all the tenses you have learnt. Pay attention to time expressions!

1. After we _____ dinner we _____ to bed. **(EAT , GO)**
2. I _____ several matches this season, but I _____ to a single game last season. **(SEE, NOT GO)**
3. What _____ when the headmaster _____ the classroom yesterday?
(YOU DO, ENTER)
4. My granddad doesn't _____ well so he always _____ up the volume on the radio. **(NOT HEAR, TURN)**
5. We _____ hard since 7 o'clock in the morning. **(WORK)**
6. She _____ in such cold water before. **(NEVER SWIM)**
7. When we _____ at the stadium thousands of spectators _____ in front of the gates. **(ARRIVE, WAIT)**
8. We _____ for over an hour when we _____ out that we were in the wrong village. **(TRAVEL, FIND)**
9. Here are your shoes Jimmy. I _____ them **(JUST CLEAN).**
10. She _____ well yesterday because she _____ too much. **(NOT FEEL, EAT)**
11. Look at those fans! They're so excited because their team _____ the winning goal. **(JUST SCORE)**
12. Last Saturday Susan _____ an accident. She _____ off the ladder and _____ her knee while she _____ to pick some apples. **(HAVE, FALL, CUT, TRY)**
13. We _____ to Chris's party last Tuesday because nobody _____ us.
(NOT GO, INVITE)
14. Whenever Kevin is in England, he _____ to his parents back in Australia every weekend. **(WRITE)**
15. When I was at school, I often _____ adventure stories written by Jack London **(READ).** – _____ any of his books yet? **(YOU READ)**
16. Who _____ that terrible noise outside? – It's a group of hooligans. They _____ around with flags in their hands. **(CAUSE, WANDER)**
17. How _____ to school, Marvin? – I _____ the bus but today my dad _____ me a lift. **(YOU USUALLY GET, USUALLY TAKE, GIVE)**
18. It _____ so cold last night so the water in the lake _____. **(NOT BE, NOT FREEZE)**

2- PAST SIMPLE – PAST PERFECT – PAST CONTINUOUS

Last week I [1 take] _____ my car to the garage for a service, and on my return home I [2 realise] _____ that I [3 leave] _____ the keys to my house at the garage. I [4 decide] _____ to phone the garage from the call-box on the corner. On the way to the call-box, I [5 have] _____ an idea. Opposite my house some workmen [6 do] _____ some painting. I [7 explain] _____ to them what [8 happen] _____ and they [9 lend] _____ me one of their ladders. I [10 carry] _____ it back to the house and [11 start] _____ to the climb towards an upstairs window which I [12 leave] _____ open. Unfortunately, while I [13 go] _____ up the ladder I [14 slip] _____ and [15 fall] _____ down. I [16 wake up] _____ later in hospital.

A nurse [17 tell] _____ me I [18 break] _____ an arm and a leg, and that a policeman [19 wait] _____ to see me. The helpful workmen [20 be] _____ actually burglars and [21 break into] _____ my house!



3- Form questions which ask for the underlined words.

1. I usually have salad for dinner.

2. My sister has a new house.

3. The street festival takes place on the first Friday in August.

4. My sister usually helps my mother with the housework.

5. They went to the beach last summer holidays.

6. My brother has lived in the same house for 15 years.

7. Peter broke his arm while he was skiing.