

Read the text and sort out the paragraphs in the correct order.

( ) I really enjoyed visiting that place, especially because of the company of my friends, who made the trip even more exciting. Definitely, that was the best week that summer. I really want to visit that place again!

( ) *I had quit* my job by the day we *left*. I used to go to University and have a part-time job at the same time, so *I hadn't had* enough time for myself, that's why I *decided* to finally have some fun and relax.

( ) Like three summers ago, my friends and I *went* on a little trip. *We had planned* it for months, until summertime finally *arrived*.

( ) Before leaving towards Cosalá, we *had bought* food, water, napkins, glasses... our plan was to visit the Ecological Reserve, which is in the mountains, far from town.

( ) As soon as we arrived at our cabin, my friends and I started unpacking everything, we were staying for one whole week in the Reserve. *I had visited* forests before, but never a jungle. There was a lot of nature, insects, plants, beautiful landscapes and such nice cloudy weather. One day I took a ride on the zipline, which is the second longest in Latin America. It *took* two hours! *I had never done* something similar.

( ) We *went* to a small magic town called Cosalá, *I hadn't gone* to that place before so I was happy and excited. The town was so beautiful, but the best part *hadn't arrived* yet...



**Put the verbs in brackets in the Past Perfect or Past Simple.**

1. Nobody *had walked* (walk) the amazon before Ed Stafford.
2. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not think) of going to Brazil until we \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) about Ed Stafford's adventure.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the shop to get some bread, but they \_\_\_\_\_ (sell out).
4. The meeting \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) by the time I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) there.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ (invite) Florence to dinner, but she \_\_\_\_\_ (already arranged) to do something else.
6. When I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) to the airport, I realized that I \_\_\_\_\_ (forget) my passport.
7. Erika \_\_\_\_\_ (ask) me to go to Spain with her, but I \_\_\_\_\_ (already book) a holiday in Italy.
8. I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) Trevor Robertson when I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) in town yesterday. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) him for ten years!

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