

Future in the past

A Choose the correct options.

- 1 Olivia was going to start / will be starting work last week, but she had an accident. She'll start sometime next week.
- 2 Karl would be / was supposed to be here an hour ago. I wonder what happened to him.
- 3 Becky went to the office early. She would be meeting / was meeting her new boss that day and wanted to make a good impression.
- 4 Paul told us that he and his girlfriend were going to get / will get married that weekend.
- 5 Tomiko and Celia were supposed to give / would be giving their presentation yesterday, but they said they needed more time.
- 6 Judd and Martha plan to come / were planning to come to my party, but they got caught up in traffic.
- 7 Lydia mentioned to her team that she would be / was supposed to be late for the afternoon sales meeting.
- 8 John went over his notes one final time. He was giving / would have given a speech that evening and knew he had to be fully prepared.

B Find and correct one error in each sentence.

1. James was suppose to be here at 4:00.
2. Cindy told everyone that she would missing her own party.
3. Eric said that he were going to the lecture.
4. Tina is going to call in sick, but decided to go in.
5. Pete felt nervous because he is meeting his girlfriend's parents.
6. Iris was supposed call me last night.

