

Grammar

1 Choose the correct answers.

- 1 Did you see Jan at the concert? She **wore / was wearing** a red coat.
- 2 Peter wouldn't lend me his dictionary because he **didn't finish / hadn't finished** his homework yet.
- 3 I saw your sister in town yesterday. She **talked / was talking** to a couple of friends.
- 4 Jake phoned me just after he **was leaving / had left** the party.
- 5 When the exam results came through we all **were celebrating / celebrated!**
- 6 While I was walking to the shops, it suddenly **started / was starting** to get very windy.
- 7 They **had waited / had been waiting** for half an hour by the time David arrived.
- 8 When I got to the classroom, the teacher **already started / had already started** the lesson.

Mark: ___/8

2 Complete the sentences with the present perfect simple or continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 I _____ (have) this cold since I went swimming last Friday.
- 2 How often _____ (you be) to the USA?
- 3 I _____ (often wonder) if learning another language would be difficult.
- 4 Where _____ (you stay) for the last few days?
- 5 What _____ (you do) to your hair? It looks great!
- 6 How long _____ (you go out) with Freddy?
- 7 What _____ (you eat)? There are red marks on your shirt.
- 8 Katy and I _____ (know) each other since we were at primary school together.

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3 Rewrite the sentences beginning with the words in bold.

- 1 I had never before seen such a beautiful sunset.

- 2 We not only went out for a meal but we went dancing too.

- 3 They had no sooner started the exercise than the lesson bell rang.
