

Mixed Verb Tense Story

Fill in the blanks with the correct verb tense. (10pts each)

Mary 1. _____ (walk) in the park every Saturday at 8 pm. Every week, she calls her dog Foxie and the two of them 2. _____ (follow) a path through the trees. Today something strange happened. Foxie saw a squirrel and ran after it. Mary wasn't worried because Foxie often chased squirrels. Mary called Foxie but he 3. _____ (not come back). 'Maybe something's wrong. Maybe he hurt himself.' Mary 4. _____ (begin) to panic a little. "Foxie! Foxie!" she called as she ran through the park. Suddenly she saw Foxie up ahead, he 6a. _____ (bark) and 6b. _____ (run) around a tree. When Mary looked up she didn't see a squirrel, she 7. _____ (see) a person dressed like a squirrel. "What 8. _____ you _____ (do)?" Mary asked. The person answered, "I 9. _____ (go) to a Halloween party when your dog chased me up this tree." "But Halloween is next week," Mary said. "Oh," said the man. "I guess I 10a. _____ (pick) a different costume so dogs 10b. _____ (not chase)."

