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Grammar in context

Past simple, past continuous and past perfect

NARRATIVE TENSES

Past tenses
- ***Past simple***
- ***Past continuous***
- ***Past perfect***

1. Complete the rules. Then match sentences a-c with each rule (write: rule1, 2 or 3)

past simple | past continuous | past perfect

1. We use the [ ] to talk about actions that happened before another action in the past.

2. We use the [ ] to describe finished actions or situations in the past, or to say that one thing happened after another.

3. We use the [ ] to talk about activities in progress at a moment in the past, to describe scenes in a story or description, or to talk about an activity in progress in the past that is interrupted by another action.

a. When I **had eaten** my sandwich, I **returned** to the hotel. [ ]

b. I **went** to the correct platform and I **sat** down. [ ]

c. While I **was eating** my sandwich, I **took** out my timetable. [ ]

2. Rewrite the sentences, first in negative form and then in question form

1. He sat down.

   Negative: _____

   Question: _____

2. He had eaten his sandwich.

   Negative: _____

   Question: _____

3. He was eating his sandwich.

   Negative: _____

   Question: _____

3. Complete the sentences with the past simple or past continuous form of these verbs

buy • catch • hear • look • ride • shine • snow • wait

1. When I left home this morning, the sun _____.
2. I _____ the bus at 8.45.
3. While I _____ my bike to school this morning, I saw an accident.
4. When we arrived at the station, a lot of people _____ to buy tickets.
5. She _____ her ticket and got on the train.
6. Somebody stole his passport while he _____ for something in his luggage.
7. There was a delay with the plane because it _____ very hard.
8. As she was leaving the shop, she _____ somebody call her name.

4. Choose the best alternative.

1. I fell asleep while I _____ the film.
2. The teacher called me back as I _____ the classroom.
3. The head teacher _____ in while we were doing the exam.
4. As we _____ to the airport, I realised I didn't have my passport.
5. While you _____, three people called for you.
6. She _____ one of her friends while she was taking the dog for a walk.
7. As we _____, I realised that I'd met her before.
8. They didn't speak while they _____ their homework.

5. Look at the examples, Write explanations in the past perfect for each situation.

1. Why was she crying? **miss the plane**

   Because she had missed the plane.

2. Why couldn't he find his bike? **somebody steal it**

   _____

3. Why did they buy a new car? **have the old one for 15 years**

   _____

4. Why were you scared of flying? **never fly before**

   _____

5. Why was everything white in the morning? **snow the night before**

   _____

6. Why didn't she pass her exam? **not study much**

7. Why didn't he board the plane? **lose passport**

8. Why didn't Alex have any money? **spend it**

9. Why did she miss the bus? **not leave on time**