

We use the past perfect when we are happened before.

THE FORM

Had they done it?

had / hadn't + the past participle I had done it. She hadn't done it.

USAGE

Study the examples:

She was afraid because she had never flown before. After we had done our HW, we went to bed. They had left before I could say anything.

Match the sentence halves using the past simple and past perfect. Use WHEN or AFTER. e.g. After / when they had done their HW, they could play PC games.

They ate the dinner. Rita took a hot bath.

She felt much better. He finished eating.

Jack decided to have a rest. The robbers left.

They went to a pub to celebrate it. Mark cleared the table.

The bank clerk called the police. They won the match.







Finish the sentences using the past perfect:

- Sue didn't pass the exams because...
- 2. When we got to the party...
- 3. Mark was broke because...
- 4. By the time Lara finally got up...



Answer the questions using the past perfect:

- I. Why was she so excited?
- 2. Why did he feel tired?
- 3. Why was the fridge empty?

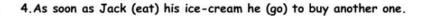


Rewrite the sentences using the past simple and past perfect:

1. She soon (realize) that she (spend) all her money.



- 2. He (be) tired because he (not eat) anything since the morning.
- 3. When all the guests (leave) I (start) tidying.





5. The police never (find out) where he (hide) the money.

