

**A) WHICH ACTION HAPPENED FIRST? WRITE 1 AND 2. THEN REWRITE THE SENTENCE USING THE PAST PERFECT.**

- 1 When the police arrived ( 1 ), the drug dealer threw away all the drugs ( 2 )
- 2 Because the owners came home (   ), the burglar jumped out the window (   )
- 3 When the owners came home (   ), the burglars had stolen their television (   )
- 4 The murder had already killed the victim (   ), when the witness saw him (   )
- 5 The murder killed the victim (   ) because the witness had seen him (   )
- 6 After the judge read the sentence (   ), the man began to cry (   )
- 7 By the time the judge read the sentence (   ), the man had already begun to cry (   )

**B) CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTIONS.**

- 1 Did the judge give you a short prison sentence because you didn't commit / hadn't committed a crime before
- 2 When he got home, the unsuccessful mugger realized he had lost / lost his own wallet.
- 3 The woman hadn't shoplifted / didn't shoplift before bank robber, so this time she wasn't given a prison sentence
- 4 The bank had already been robbed by the time the unlucky bank robber had arrived / arrived
- 5 Before he had come / came out of the fitting room, the shoplifter had put the sweater on under his coat.
- 6 When police searched the house, they discovered the burglar hid / had hidden the jewelry in the freezer.

**C) JOIN THE SENTENCES. USE THE PAST PERFECT AND THE PAST SIMPLE IN EACH SENTENCE.**

- 1 The Thieves escaped overseas. Then a detective found out about it.  
A detective \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 The suspect was released from prison. The new evidence was found  
When new evidence \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 The robbers drove away in a black jeep. The police new about it.  
The police \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 The mugger took my cell phone. I couldn't call the police  
I \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_