

Past Simple, Continuous and Perfect

Past Simple

- + He changed his password.
- He didn't change his password.
- ? Did he change his password?

Past Continuous

- + They were eating breakfast.
- They weren't eating breakfast.
- ? Were they eating breakfast?

Past Perfect

- + They had seen the movie before.
- They had not seen the movie before.
- ? Had they seen the movie before?

Ja nepieciešams, uzdevumos drīkstat izmantot e-klasē pievienoto tabulu ar neregulāro vārdu locīšanu Past Simple un Past Perfect laikos.

1 Use the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences in Past Perfect.

- 1 He called all his friends because he had had (have) a great idea.
- 2 When I met her, she had moved (move) from Glasgow to London.
- 3 Laura was angry because she had seen (see) her boyfriend with another girl.
- 4 I didn't see him after he had won (won) the competition.
- 5 I woke up late because I had worked (work) all night.
- 6 Nick went to the hospital after a fox had bitten (bite) him in the forest.
- 7 Julia didn't pass the exam because she had not studied (not study) enough.
- 8 The dinner had gone already had gone (go) cold when the guests arrived.

2 Past Simple or Past Perfect? Read the sentences and circle the correct options.

The robbers **left / had left** the bank when the policemen finally **arrived / had arrived**.

When the rain **started / had started**, the Atkinsons **finished / had finished** planting trees.

Darcey **saw / had seen** this castle before she **came / had come** again last Sunday.

Mr. Palmer **didn't speak / hadn't spoken** any Chinese before he **moved / had moved** to Peking.

Sonny **got / had got** fainted by the time the ambulance **reached / had reached** the hospital.

3 Past Simple or Past Perfect Simple – fill in the correct form.

I had not told (not tell) my teacher that my mum had helped (help) me with my homework.

Paul had not said (not say) that he had taken (take) Albert's watch.

The bike had been (be) much more expensive than he had thought (think) at first.

Dad had driven (drive) me home after I had fallen (fall) into the water.

Marion had asked (ask) me what had happened (happen) to me last week.

We had eaten (eat) two Big Macs before we had gone (go) home.

4 Complete the story with correct forms of the verbs in the past tenses (Past Simple, Past Continuous and Past Perfect).

When Jack first 1) saw (see) Helen at a party, she 2) _____ (dance) alone to some African music. He 3) _____ (fall) in love at once.

Helen 4) _____ (not pay) attention to Jack, she 5) _____ (think) about her best friend, Alice who 6) _____ (leave) for Egypt the day before. She 7) _____ (feel) sad but when Jack 8) _____ (come) up to her and 9) _____ (start) a conversation, she 10) _____ (not walk) away. They 11) _____ (talk) for a few minutes when Jack 12) _____ (realise) he 13) _____ (meet) Helen before...

Pēc tam, kad būsiet nosūtījuši darbu, jums ir iespēja pārbaudīt jūsu atbildes, uzejot ar peles kurSORU virsū attiecīgajam atbildes lodziņam – pēc brīža jums parādīsies pareizā atbilde. Lūdzu, pārbaudiet savas kļūdas.

5. Our boss _____ (not make) the decision yet when management changed their mind.

6. The students _____ (nezinu) (write) the report, but the teacher made them do it again.

7. Mark _____ (want) to go to New York, but his wife changed his mind.

Right answer: had written