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Grammar

English | Grade 7 | 25 minutes

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Student's details

Full name _____

Class _____

I. Complete the text with the past simple or past continuous, active or passive.

Kate would never forget her Prom night

Prim night is a big deal in the USA. It's a party at the end of your last year at high school. Before my Prom, I _____ (1.drive) to my girlfriend Kate's house. She _____ (2. still get) ready. An hour later, when she finally _____ (3. come) downstairs, she _____ (4. wear) a long red dress. She looked wonderful. But then - disaster! As we _____ (5. walk) to the car, I_____ (6. not see) a step in the path. I _____ (7. fall), and landed on the bottom of Kate's dress. The dress ripped _____ (8. be ruined)! The next few minutes were terrible. Kate _____ (9. cry) and her dad _____ (10. shout) at me. I felt really bad. Eventually, though, a dress _____ (11. be borrowed) from Kate's cousin, and we could drive to the Prom. By the time we finally _____ (12. arrive), all our friends _____ (13. have) dinner. They were very pleased to see us - even if we were three hours late!

II. Complete each gap with one suitable word. Don't forget to read the whole text before you complete the gaps

Shia LeBeouf is now a famous Hollywood actor, star of the latest Indiana Jones and Transformers films, but he (14) _____ his show business career at the age of ten, telling jokes in comedy clubs.

Every weekend he (15) _____ go surfing. One of his surfing friends always used (16) _____ have cool stuff - new games consoles, new shoes, new watches. Shia (17) _____ not have any of these things, and he was jealous. He found out that his friend acted in a TV show and Shia decided to try something similar.

A few days later he walked into an agent's office, and before long he (18) _____ chosen to be the star of the Disney TV show Even Stevens. It was challenging at first because he wasn't (19) _____ to the long working days. When he (20) _____ filming, he hardly saw his parents. But he soon (21) used to it.

III. Choose the correct word or phrase.

21. When she was a girl, my mum would / used to live in a village.
22. I really can't be / get used to having a new baby brother.
23. People would / are used to die of diseases in the past that we can cure today.
24. There would / used to be a cinema on this corner, but they knocked it down.
25. It was strange at first, but I'm used to play / playing the bagpipes now.
26. Didn't you use to / be used to have blonde hair?
27. Christopher was being / getting used to the idea of joining the army.
28. People never would / used to be so worried about crime in this area.

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