

Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date: _____
Topic: **He had never been abroad** Teacher: _____

Vocabulary

Choose the best adverb to complete the sentence.

1. As soon as Rachel heard my voice, she ____ hung up the phone. She's still angry with me.
A) wonderfully
B) quickly
C) badly
2. Liam's presentation to the class went _____. He spoke clearly and didn't make any mistakes.
A) gently
B) smoothly
C) recently
3. I'm so glad my neighbor turned down his loud music. Now I can ____ get some sleep.
A) finally
B) well
C) suddenly
4. The teacher spoke ____ to the upset students about the new grading policy for tests.
A) obviously
B) unfortunately
C) calmly
5. ____, Sam caught his smartphone before it hit the ground, so he was very relieved.
A) Sadly
B) Luckily
C) Hopefully
6. Mrs. Travis tried to buy tickets to the movie, but ____ there weren't any left.
A) independently
B) angrily
C) unfortunately
7. Brian's bedroom is a mess. He never puts anything away. Instead he ____ throws all his belongings on the floor.
A) wonderfully
B) carelessly
C) noisily
8. Elena ____ gave me her cake because she doesn't like sweet things.
A) happily
B) surprisingly
C) hopefully

Grammar

Choose the correct verbs to complete the sentence.

9. How many English classes ____ before you ____ this one?
A) had you taken / had taken
B) did you take / had taken
C) had you taken / took
10. By the time we ____ the project, our boss ____ another one to us.
A) had finished / assigned
B) finished / had assigned
C) finished / assign
11. When Roberto ____ a tablet, the prices ____ already.
A) bought / dropped
B) had bought / dropped
C) bought / had dropped
12. Until I ____ Japanese, I ____ comfortable traveling around Japan.
A) had learned / hadn't felt
B) learned / hadn't felt
C) had learned / didn't feel
13. After Oliver ____ a week in Los Angeles, he ____ to Chicago.
A) had spent / had flown
B) spent / had flown
C) had spent / flew
14. By the time Chelsea ____ the door, her visitors ____.
A) opened / had left
B) had opened / had left
C) had opened / left

Complete the sentence. Use the simple past or past perfect form of the verb in the parentheses.

15. Colleen _____ (see) five hockey games by the time she _____ (understand) all the rules.
16. Lydia _____ (read) more than a hundred novels before she _____ (think) about writing one of her own.
17. We _____ (be) to Paris three times before we finally _____ (go) inside the Louvre Museum.
18. By the time Leo _____ (bring) all the patio furniture inside, the rain _____ (soak) everything.
19. When we _____ (arrive) at the dance club, most of the crowd _____ (leave) already.

20. After I _____ (get) Veronica's birthday present, I found out James _____ (buy) her the same thing!

Reading

Read the text. Choose True or False.

Last year, my brother and I went to Miami for a vacation. We had never been there, so we were obviously excited about the trip. We had planned for months, so when the day came, we were ready.

After our plane landed, we went to the hotel. We had made our reservation six months earlier, but the man at the front desk said there had been a mistake. Our rooms hadn't been reserved for that week, but for the week before. The hotel was full, so we didn't have a room, and my credit card had been charged for the earlier reservation. Luckily, the manager came out and talked to us. She was surprisingly helpful. She apologized for the mistake and gave us a huge room on the top floor. We had never stayed in such an amazing room, and we weren't charged extra.

The next day, we went to the beach. I swam in the ocean while my brother watched some people play volleyball. We got a little sunburned, but the day had been so relaxing that we didn't mind. In the evening, we ate some great Cuban food at a restaurant in South Beach.

Later in the week, we went to Parrot Jungle Island. I had read that it was one of the best places to see tropical birds up close. We were not disappointed! After our trip to Parrot Jungle Island, we took a boat trip through Everglades National Park. We also enjoyed an easy walk through the subtropical jungle. It was a wonderful vacation.

21. The writer and his brother had not taken any vacations to Miami in the past.
A) True
B) False
22. The writer's credit card was charged after he and his brother stayed in the hotel.
A) True
B) False
23. The writer and his brother played volleyball on the beach.
A) True
B) False
24. The sunburn did not ruin their day.
A) True
B) False
25. The writer didn't know anything about Parrot Jungle Island before he visited it.
A) True
B) False
26. The writer and his brother walked to Everglades National Park from Parrot Jungle Island.
A) True
B) False

Listening

Listen. Choose *True* or *False*.

- 31. Rick and Dana went to Sydney at the same time.
 - A) True
 - B) False
- 32. Rick had put the hotel's phone number in his wallet before he lost his luggage.
 - A) True
 - B) False
- 33. Dana didn't have problems with the traffic on the bridge.
 - A) True
 - B) False

Listen again. Choose the best answer to complete the sentence.

- 34. Another driver stopped to help because _____.
 - A) their taxi had broken down
 - B) Rick had lost the guidebook
 - C) the other driver needed directions to the hotel
- 35. Rick didn't get his luggage sooner because _____.
 - A) the airlines had lost his phone number
 - B) it hadn't arrived yet
 - C) the airlines had called the wrong number
- 36. At the end of his trip, Rick had to _____.
 - A) leave some things in Brazil
 - B) buy a new suitcase
 - C) mail things home