

"Needn't Have" or "Didn't Need To" Worksheet

1. I _____ (go) to work today but I went as I knew they were really busy on this new contract.
2. I _____ (take) any money to the museum - I didn't realise it was free to enter.
3. Sheila _____ (got) a taxi to the party. I would have given her a lift in my car.
4. Oh Mike, you _____ (buy) me anything for my birthday! A simple card would have been perfectly acceptable.
5. Today was the last day of school and we _____ (attend) classes in the afternoon.
6. We went for a lovely walk in the woods yesterday. We took a huge picnic with us but there was a café there anyway. We _____ (take) anything!
7. Our boss told us we had an extra three days to finish the project so we _____ (work) so hard.
8. You _____ (say) anything to Carla about the broken vase. She understood what had happened anyway.

9. She _____ (walk) . I would have given her a lift in my car.
10. We _____ (do) overtime. Business seems to be slackening these days.
11. I _____ (write) her telephone number in my diary. I never phoned her once.
12. I _____ (write) her telephone number in my diary. I still had a mind for numbers then.
13. We _____ (come) to school today! There is a teachers' strike.
14. The car wasn't dirty. You _____ (wash) it.
15. I _____ (tell) her what I felt for her. It was written all over my face. She understood.
16. We _____ (wait) for the ferry. We found out later that it doesn't operate in winter.
17. They _____ (send) each other postcards. They could e-mail!
18. You _____ (buy) me a newspaper. I've already got one!

