

**The Simple Past Tense, Past Continuous Tense, Past Perfect Tense or Past Perfect Continuous Tense.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (not watch) TV when it started to rain?
2. The movie \_\_\_\_\_ (just begin) when I entered the cinema.
3. Priscilla \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) to her friend all night before she dozed off.
4. The entire family \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) at 11 at night.
5. Henry \_\_\_\_\_ (work) in a hotel for years before he joined the cruise liner as the head chef.
6. What would you do if you \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a ghost?
7. Julia \_\_\_\_\_ (suffer) from cancer for a decade before she passed away.
8. Florence \_\_\_\_\_ (not volunteer) herself for the position but she was chosen by the teacher.
9. He \_\_\_\_\_ (help) the puppy out of the ditch when he \_\_\_\_\_ (lose) his balance.
10. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ (do) her homework before she left for school.
11. The dog \_\_\_\_\_ (follow) us several streets before we shoed it away.
12. Mark \_\_\_\_\_ (clear) the table after everyone \_\_\_\_\_ (eat).
13. Peter \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) there when the theft happened.
14. The thief could not find my money because I \_\_\_\_\_ (hide) it so well.
15. After he \_\_\_\_\_ (apologise) to the teacher, he was forgiven.
16. We \_\_\_\_\_ (chat) away when they interrupted us.
17. I would spend more time with my parents if I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) more time.
18. Jon \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) mangoes when he was bitten by the red ants.
19. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (know) the answer, I would tell you.
20. A moment ago, Lucas \_\_\_\_\_ (drop) my at my shop to get a loaf of bread.
21. Before her husband returned, she \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) the house all day.
22. Even though, she \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) him not to, Dave still took her eraser. That's why she was so mad at him.
23. The students \_\_\_\_\_ (take) down notes as the teacher was teaching.
24. They cried when they left the town as they \_\_\_\_\_ (live) there since childhood.
25. Vince \_\_\_\_\_ (not fiddle) his phone when his girlfriend was talking to him.