



TOPIC	PAST PERFECT	LEVEL	English 2	UNIT	6	SKILL	Reading
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PAST PERFECT

¿Where were they? ¿What happened?
¿What had they done?



Last night, Dane and Emily danced in a competition. They danced a salsa dance. They had practiced for 6 months before they danced in the competition. They were very good.

Dane and Emily's friends were in the audience. Before that night, they had never seen Dane and Emily dance. In fact, Dane and Emily had never danced in front of anyone at the competition.

After everyone had danced, the judges announced the winners. Dane and Emily won. They were the best dancers in the competition. Emily said she had never practiced so hard before. She was glad they had practiced a lot.

1. Answer the following questions. use the past perfect tense:

1. How long had Dane and Emily practiced before the competition? _____
2. Before that night, ¿who had seen Dane and Emily dance? _____
3. What happened after everyone had danced? _____

2. Complete the following sentences with past simple or past perfect. Use short forms when negative:

1. When the police [] (arrive) the
thieves [] (steal) everything.

2. We [] (arrive) at 11 o'clock in the morning but
Sue [] (not be) at home because
she [] (already / leave).

3. Steve [] (tell) us
Mary [] (not buy) that car the month before.

4. Alice [] (not be) hungry because
she [] (just / eat).

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