

Past Tenses

1. Jane ____ (be) hungry she _____ (not/ eat) since early morning.
2. Bob _____ (talk) on the phone while his friend _____ (repair) his car.
3. This time yesterday my friends _____ (have) classes.
4. After Meg _____ (do) the shopping she _____ (go) home to cook dinner.
5. Her Granny ____ (be) tired she _____ (plant) roses for 4 hours.
6. When Tom _____ (walk) his dog he _____ (find) a thin little kitten under the tree.
7. Kate _____ (not/ can) cook her favourite dish because her husband _____ (not/ buy) all the ingredients.
8. Kim's boots were absolutely wet as she _____ (walk) in the rain for half an hour.

9.The man's life wasn't long he _____
(die) in 1989.

10.Dave _____ (lock) the door when
he suddenly _____ (understand) that he
_____ (leave) his mobile phone inside.

11.Little Jane _____ (turn) on some popular
music and _____ (start) dancing.

12.While Lizzy _____ (do) the shopping
she _____ (come) across a wonderful
Christmas present for her little son.

13.By the time father _____ (come) home
children _____ (clean) up the mess in
the living room.

14.While her granddaughter _____ (roller
skate) Jean _____ (read) a magazine on
the park bench.

15.By the time Any _____ (arrive) at the
airport, her friend _____ (already /
buy) the tickets.

16. When the telephone _____ (ring)
they _____ (sleep) for 2 hours.