

### Mixed tenses exercise

1. Andy is tired because he \_\_\_\_\_ (work) all day.
2. By 1960 most of Britain's old colonies \_\_\_\_\_ (become) independent.
3. David broke his leg when he \_\_\_\_\_ (ski) last week.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ (you/have) a nice time in Rome?
5. \_\_\_\_\_ (you/finish) your homework yet?
6. He \_\_\_\_\_ (be) at his computer for six hours.
7. How long \_\_\_\_\_ (she/have) that car?
8. How many people \_\_\_\_\_ (die) in the fire yesterday?
9. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/know) much about art, but I like some artists.
10. I \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for ages when finally the bus arrived.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ (receive) a postcard from Jane yesterday.
12. I \_\_\_\_\_ (correct) all morning, I'm exhausted.
13. I \_\_\_\_\_ (never/be) sailing, what's it like?
14. It was late. Most of the shops \_\_\_\_\_ (close) .
15. It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) when I got up this morning.
16. Janet \_\_\_\_\_ (start) a new job in September.
17. Nelly \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a great time in New York at the moment.
18. She was cooking dinner when we \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) .
19. She \_\_\_\_\_ (just/come) back from a Mediterranean cruise.
20. My husband \_\_\_\_\_ (be) free for most of the afternoon.
21. The children were tired because they \_\_\_\_\_ (swim) in the pool all afternoon.
22. They \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to spend six weeks in the USA.
23. We can use the car, I \_\_\_\_\_ (repair) it.

24. We were tired because we \_\_\_\_\_ (be) to a party the night before.
25. We \_\_\_\_\_ (be) too late for the train, it had just left.
26. When I got to the airport I realized I \_\_\_\_\_ (forget) my passport.
27. As soon as they \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) we had dinner.
28. When they were driving home last night they \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a terrible accident.
29. Where \_\_\_\_\_ (Robert/live) now?
30. Who \_\_\_\_\_ (Mandy/talk) to?