INVENTIONS

Past Perfect



Meet Flint Lockwood, an aspiring scientist who lives in Swallow Falls, a tiny island in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean. Sardines is the base of Swallow Falls' economy, but the Baby Brent Sardines cannery has gone bankrupt due to worldwide dislike of sardines. One day, Flint invents the "Flint Lockwood Diatonic Super Mutating Dynamic Food Replicator" (FLDSMDFR), a machine that turns water into food, which ends up shorting out his house's electrical supply.



1- Below you will see all the inventions Flint had done before inventing the (Flint invents the "Flint Lockwood Diatonic Super Mutating Dynamic Food Replicator", watch the video and drag and drop the inventions in order.

Movie Trailer

But before Flint had invented the (FLDSMDFR), **he had invented** the.....

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The past perfect is like a way to show what happened before something else in the past. Imagine you're telling a story about **two events** that happened in the past. The first event is like setting the stage for the second one.

Here's an example:
Event 1: I had studied for my exam.
Event 2: Then, I took the exam and aced it.

In this story, "I had studied for my exam" shows that studying happened before taking the exam. The "had studied" part is the past perfect, telling us about the action that happened first.



2- Now, number the event that happened first by typing the number 1 and the event that happened after by writing number 2 in the sentences below.

1 **2**

1. After **I had finished my homework**, **I went for a walk in the park**.
2. **She had already cooked** dinner by the time **I arrived home**.
3. **They had studied** for the exam before the **teacher handed out the test**.
4. By the time **the movie started**, **I had already bought my popcorn**.
5. After **they had cleaned the house**, **they went out to celebrate**.

3- Read the sentences and complete them with the missing verb with the correct tense form, simple past or past perfect.

1) The team had won (win) the match **before the rain started** pouring down.

2) Once he had read the book, he _____ (return) it to the library.

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3) By the time I _____ (wake) up, my friends had already left for the airport.

4) She _____ (finish) her project before the deadline.

5) After he had finished his meal, he _____ (pay) the bill and left the restaurant.

6) By the time we arrived at the party, the cake _____ (be) eaten.

7) After they _____(watch) the sunrise, they decided to go for a swim.

8) She had visited Paris before she _____ (move) to London.

9) By the time I _____ (remember) to call him, he had already left for the day.

10) After he _____ (fix) the leaky faucet, the bathroom stopped flooding.

4-Drag and drop the sentences to put them in order of events. What happened first (past perfect).

before I went to bed/ I had brushed my teeth

_____, _____.

after she had finished her chores/ she watched her favorite TV show.

_____, _____.

by the time they arrived at the party/ the cake had already been eaten.

_____, _____.

he had read the book/ before he watched the movie adaptation.

_____, _____.

once the sun had set/ we lit a campfire and roasted marshmallows.

_____, _____.



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