

D. Each sentence below has three prompts (verb; verb; time marker). Fill in the spaces with the correct tense and use the time marker appropriately

- 1 I had already eaten last night when you called me. (call; eat; already)
- 2 When we _____, the party _____ (arrive; start; just)
- 3 I _____ watching how fast food is made. I _____ that before. Now I want more and more. (know; love; never)
- 4 Wow! I _____ the Crusty Wiper roller coaster! It _____ awesome! (be; ride; never)
- 5 After all these years I _____ he was wrong, but you _____ me today that he was right (think; convince; still)
- 6 We _____ a big lunch yesterday, and I _____ breakfast only two hours earlier. I felt like I was going to have a baby later on. (eat; order; just)
- 7 When Ray _____ born, the internet _____ for some time. (be; exist; already)
- 8 Sherry _____ the news when Bob _____ it last Monday. (announce; hear; already)
- 9 I _____ my clothes on Monday morning when I _____ go to work in those ridiculous yellow pants with the big brown circle on the butt. Who creates fashion like that? (wash; have to; still)
- 10 Mom _____ with the house cleaning when the guests _____ to arrive. She hates it when that happens. (start; finished; yet)





NOT every “**have + past participle verb**” is a **perfect tense**. This is because “**have**” is often a **verb** (not an auxiliary) and **past participle verbs** are sometimes used as **adjectives**. We need to consider the context of a sentence or paragraph to know the difference.

G. Study the sentences below. In the boxes on the right, write “**PP**” if the sentence uses **Past Perfect**, and “**PS**” if it uses **Past Simple**.

- 1 Sharon had damaged fruits and vegetables in a box. I had an Xbox. Which box do you think was more fun?
- 2 My parents had warned neighbors all over the block about our pet lion.
- 3 We had borrowed furniture in our living room. People thought we were rich, but we weren't.
- 4 I had dried banana peels for lunch. It was quite fulfilling and more delicious than fried chicken.
- 5 We had filmed videos all summer, which is why weren't prepared for the return to classes.
- 6 She had disturbed people to a degree that they felt very uncomfortable.
- 7 Ron had used batteries in his flashlight. That's why it didn't last very long.
- 8 Melissa had grown plants for several years until she moved on to carpentry.
- 9 Randall and I had shared interests in music. That's why we formed a band.
- 10 We had washed cars all throughout our childhood and made pretty good money doing it.
- 11 They had accepted jobs that they knew they could not do, but they tried very hard.

