

1. _____ had he entered the room than everyone started clapping.
A. Hardly
B. No sooner
C. Never
D. Rarely
2. _____ had I finished my essay than the teacher asked me to write another one.
A. No sooner
B. Seldom
C. Never
D. Rarely
3. _____ had I spoken when he interrupted me.
A. No sooner
B. Hardly
C. Rarely
D. Seldom
4. _____ had they left the classroom when the teacher arrived.
A. Rarely
B. Hardly
C. No sooner
D. Never
5. _____ had the bell rung than the students rushed out.
A. Hardly
B. No sooner
C. Rarely
D. Never
6. _____ had the boy started running when he fell down.
A. No sooner
B. Hardly
C. Never
D. Rarely
7. _____ had she arrived at the party than it started raining heavily.
A. Hardly
B. No sooner
C. Never
D. Rarely
8. _____ had we finished lunch when the phone rang.
A. Hardly

- B. No sooner
- C. Never
- D. Rarely

9. _____ had she opened the book when the bell rang.

- A. Hardly
- B. No sooner
- C. Rarely
- D. Seldom

10. _____ had the film started than the electricity went off.

- A. No sooner
- B. Rarely
- C. Hardly
- D. Never