

ABILITY / INABILITY IN THE PAST

She.....paint before she started school.

The burglar.....to get in through the bathroom window

I.....cook until I went to university.

When I lived next to the pool, I.....go swimming every day.

The speaker.....to attend the conference due to illness.

She.....watch the match because she was working.

I.....play the guitar.

I.....to see the teacher well from my seat yesterday.

I.....to only sleep 4 hours a day.

She.....to buy the tickets last Monday

She.....watch the match because she was working

They.....to finish the project last night

We.....travel to Baños city

I.....to play soccer at 8 year ago

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