❶ Fill in the blanks with the best words.

careless

lazy

colleague

chance

moment

fault

seem

gain

1. When Nicole failed her math exam, the teacher said she can't have another _____.
2. Steven was _____ and left the oven on. He nearly burned the house down!
3. He said it wasn't his _____ that he forgot to turn it off.
4. "Can I help you?" the police officer asked. "You _____ to be lost."
5. I am worried I'm going to _____ a lot of weight if I eat that dessert.
6. Isn't that Mark, your _____ from the office?
7. I don't like Steven, he's so _____. He never gets off the couch.
8. Can you please give me a _____? I'm trying to finish writing this story.

❷ Listen and circle the correct answers. R1-01

1. Marcus is loud when he gets _____.
   a. cheerful b. nervous c. hopeful
2. Mary would like a chance to _____ before she decides.
   a. feel anxious b. sit down c. eat
3. Mary doesn't know if she wants to _____ lunches.
   a. swap b. gotten c. change

❸ Fill in the blanks. Use the correct form of the verbs provided.

1. I had not _____ to the store yet. (be)
2. I had been _____ my homework when my mom called me down for dinner. (do)
3. I hadn't _____ an A on my test, so I felt very disappointed. (get)
4. I had been _____ the pie when my grandmother arrived. (make)
5. I had _____ at the school before the storm came. (be)

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