

PAST SIMPLE AND PAST PERFECT

A. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION.

1. Last week, Florencia **went had gone** to the beach for the weekend. When she **arrived had arrived**, she noticed that she **forgot had forgotten** to take her swimsuit.
2. Nikki **lost had lost** the phone that she **bought had bought** the day before.
3. Natalia **didn't take hadn't taken** the plane because she **forgot had forgotten** her passport at home.
4. Martin **was had been** very excited because he **didn't fly hadn't flown** in an airplane before.
5. A virus **ruined had ruined** all the information on the computer I **bought had bought** the week before.

B. MATCH THE BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS OF THE SENTENCES.

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| 1. My parents took the plane... | A. when she had saved enough money. |
| 2. Natalie bought a new motorbike... | B. when they announced the news. |
| 3. When we finally reached the box office... | C. after everyone had copied. |
| 4. When I arrived at the party... | D. that I had bought for me! |
| 5. Marco had turned off the TV... | E. after they had done the check-in. |
| 6. She got a great result in the test... | F. because she had studied really hard. |
| 7. The teacher cleaned the board... | G. everybody had left! |
| 8. Jenny ate all the chocolate... | H. they had sold all the tickets. |



C. COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES. USE THE VERBS IN BRACKETS.

1. They _____ (spend) all day at the beach. After that, they _____ (take) a shower.
2. Karen _____ (read) the novel before she _____ (see) the film.
3. The students who _____ (finish) the test _____ (can) leave earlier.
4. I _____ (meet) my girlfriend after I _____ (move) to Montevideo.
5. She _____ (have) breakfast but, before that, she _____ (brush) her teeth.
6. The WiFi _____ (not-work) because somebody _____ (turn) off the router.
7. When I _____ (get) up, my wife _____ (already-leave).
8. After Lena _____ (prepare) her luggage, she _____ (go) to the airport.
9. They _____ (check) the weather forecast before they _____ (go) camping.
10. Ashley _____ (not-buy) the boots because she _____ (not-take) enough money.

