English 11

Read the story and then use the correct verbs of <u>past simple.</u>

MY MOST EMBARRASSING EXPERIENCE

My most embarrassing experience (1) _____(happen) a few years ago when I (2)_____(be) a grade 9 student. In those days, my biggest dream (3) _____(be) a red hat - a floppy cotton hat like the one my pop star idol (4)_____(wear) in her video clip. I (5)_____(think) I would look great in it. My father (6) _____(know) this, so on my birthday he (7) _____(give) me some money so that I could buy the hat for myself I (8)_____(be) extremely excited and (9)_____(decide) to go to the shop at once. I (10)_____ (get on) the bus and (11)_____(sit down) next to a schoolboy about my age. The boy (12)_____(glance) at me and (13)_____(turn away). There was a sneaky look on his face, but I (14)_____(not think) much about it. I (15)_____(be) busy imagining how I would look in the hat. After a while, I (16) _____(turn around) and (17)_____(notice) that the boy's schoolbag was open. Inside it, I saw a wad of dollar notes exactly like the ones my father had given me. I quickly looked into my own bag - the notes had gone! I was sure that the boy was a thief He had stolen my money. I didn't want to make a fuss, so I (18) _____(decide) just to take my money back from the schoolboy's bag, without saying a word about it. So I carefully (19) _____(put) my hand into the boy's bag, (20) _____(take) the notes, and put them in my own bag.

With the money, I (21)_____(buy) the pretty hat of my dreams. When I got home, I (22) _____(show) it to my father.

"How did you pay for it?" he asked.

"With the money, you gave me for my birthday, of course, Dad," I replied.

"Oh? What's that then?" he asked, as he pointed to a wad of dollar notes on the table.

Can you imagine how I felt then?

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