Spotlight 9 Module 3C – 1

Name _____



1. Complete the sentences with the past simple or past continuous form of the verbs in brackets:

1) This time last week I _____ (lie) on the beach.

2) I was having a beautiful dream when the alarm _____ (go) off.

3) When the teacher _____ (arrive) all the students stood up.

4) He _____ (see) the accident while he was walking to work.

5) The phone rang while we _____ (have) dinner.

6) When the phone rang, I _____ (get) up to answer it.

2. Put the verbs into the correct tense (Past Simple or Past Perfect).

1. The removal van _____(arrive) before they_____(finish) packing.

2. Before they _____(move) to this town, they _____(live) in Chicago.

3. After the kids _____(eat) their lunch, they _____(take) a little nap.

4. After school we always _____(meet) at the youth club.

5. Soon after sunrise we _____(cycle) to an observation point that I_____ never _____(hear) of before.

6. When I _____(come) home, my mother _____ already _____(prepare) dinner.

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7. When Monica _____(finish) her homework, she _____(go) out to play with her friends.

8. When we _____(meet) Andrew, we _____(tell) him about our plans.

3. Complete the sentences with the past perfect or past perfect continuous form of the verbs in brackets:

1. Peter was Sally's best friend. She _____ (know) him all her life.
2. The children were wet because they_____ (play) football in the rain.
3. We were very hungry because we _____ (not / eat).
4. I was delighted when I found my keys. I_____ (look) for them for hours.
5. She was exhausted because she _____ (work) since eight o'clock that morning.
6. Everything was white because it _____ (snow).
7. The passengers were cross because the airline_____ (lose) everyone's bags.
8. I _____ (not / see) Jacob for several years, but I recognized him immediately.

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