

Past or Past Perfect Tense – Simple: Fill in the correct form.

1. Mary _____ (*give*) me Tony's address before she left.
2. When the boys arrived at the cinema, the film _____ (*already, start*).
3. Before we reached the station we saw that we _____ (*lose*) our way.
4. All the tickets _____ (*be*) sold before the concert began.
5. They took a shower after they _____ (*finish*) the game.
6. I asked Mr Green how many books he _____ (*read*).
7. Mum asked me why I _____ (*not tidy*) up my room.
8. Bob was sorry that he _____ (*told*) me the story.
9. Alan watched TV after he _____ (*have*) lunch.
10. The sun _____ (*shine*) yesterday after it _____ (*be*) cold for many weeks.
11. Uncle David _____ (*go*) to the doctor after he _____ (*be*) ill for a month.
12. Before the police _____ (*catch*) the thief, he _____ (*steal*) two more watches.
13. Mum once _____ (*paint*) a picture although she _____ (*never, learn*) it.
14. I _____ (*not tell*) my teacher that my mum _____ (*help*) me with my homework.
15. I _____ (*be*) very angry when I _____ (*see*) that my brother _____ (*eat*) my apple.
16. The bike _____ (*be*) much more expensive than he _____ (*think*) at first.
17. Dad _____ (*drive*) me home after I _____ (*fall*) into the water.
18. Marion _____ (*ask*) me what _____ (*happen*) to me last week.
19. We _____ (*eat*) two Big Macs before we _____ (*go*) home.
20. Paul _____ (*not say*) that he _____ (*take*) Albert's watch.
21. The days _____ (*become*) colder after it _____ (*snow*).
22. Martin _____ (*tell*) me that he _____ (*be*) in London.
23. I _____ (*feel*) great after I _____ (*pass*) the exam.
24. It _____ (*be*) Freddy who _____ (*clean*) the room.
25. When I _____ (*get*) off the bike I _____ (*see*) that one of those tires _____ (*lose*) air.
26. I _____ (*be*) sorry that I _____ (*not be*) nicer to him.
27. Nobody _____ (*come*) to the meeting because Angela _____ (*forget*) to tell them about it.
28. I know that I _____ (*see*) her somewhere before.
29. Because she _____ (*not check*) the oil for so long, the car _____ (*break*) down.
30. She couldn't find the book that I _____ (*lend*) her.
31. They never _____ (*never find*) where he _____ (*hide*) the money.
32. It was a firm that I _____ (*never hear*) of.
33. When she _____ (*come*) in we all knew where she _____ (*be*).
34. The lesson _____ (*already start*) when I _____ (*arrive*).
35. When I _____ (*get*) to the park I found out that I _____ (*lose*) my keys.
36. She told me that she _____ (*work*) in Germany.
37. When he _____ (*paint*) the kitchen he _____ (*decide*) to have a rest.
38. After I _____ (*finish*) the report, I saw that it _____ (*be*) too late.