

5 Fill in the gaps with the past simple, past perfect or past perfect continuous form of the verbs.

- 1 I 'd never ridden (*never ride*) a bike until I went (*go*) to live in Amsterdam.
- 2 When Martin _____ (*come*) into the room, his mother nearly _____ (*faint*) because she _____ (*not see*) him for nearly 20 years.
- 3 We were held up in a traffic jam so the concert _____ (*begin*) by the time we _____ (*arrive*).
- 4 How long _____ (*you / apply*) for jobs when you _____ (*get*) this one?
- 5 I _____ (*not see*) Lisa when I went round last night because she _____ (*go*) to stay with her grandmother.
- 6 I _____ (*drive*) for about four hours when I _____ (*realise*) that I was completely lost.
- 7 When I _____ (*go*) into the room, everyone _____ (*stop*) talking and _____ (*look*) at me.
- 8 After he _____ (*wash*) his clothes, he _____ (*hang*) them outside to dry.
- 9 The manager was shocked when he _____ (*discover*) that Jane was a thief. Up until then, he _____ (*believe*) that she was completely honest.
- 10 (*you / ever do*) _____ any carpentry before you _____ (*build*) that cupboard?