



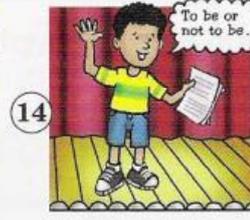
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Past Perfect Tense

Past Perfect Continuous Tense

- Discussing Things People Had Done
- Discussing Preparations for Events
- Describing Consequences of Being Late
- Discussing Feelings
- Describing Accomplishments

VOCABULARY PREVIEW



1. discuss
2. fly a kite
3. go canoeing
4. go window-shopping
5. pack

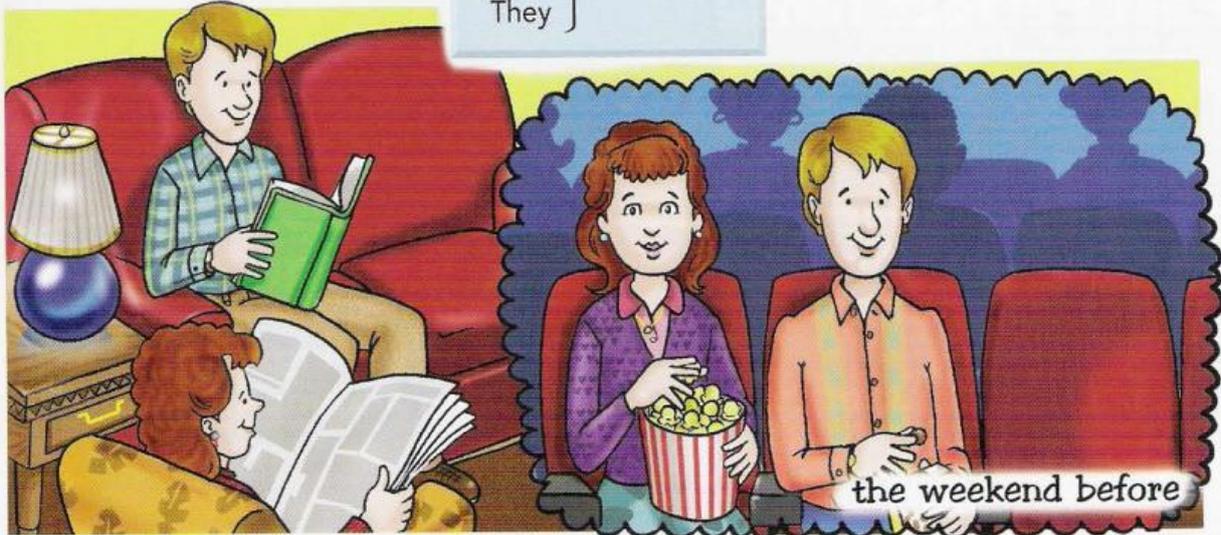
6. purchase
7. realize
8. shine
9. water
10. wrestle

11. forget
12. remember
13. memorize
14. rehearse
15. perform

They Didn't Want to

I
He
She
It
We
You
They

} had eaten.



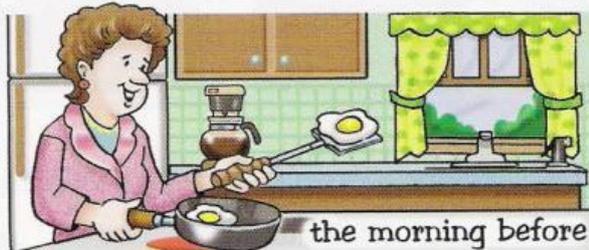
- A. Why didn't Mr. and Mrs. Henderson see a movie last weekend?
- B. They didn't want to. They **had seen** a movie the weekend before.



1. Why didn't your parents eat out yesterday evening?



2. Why didn't Barry go canoeing last Saturday?



3. Why didn't Martha make eggs for breakfast yesterday morning?



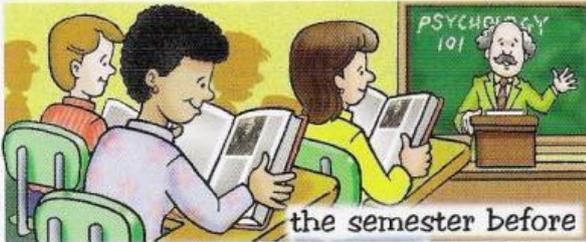
4. Why didn't you have pizza for dinner last night?



5. Why didn't you and your friends drive to the beach last Sunday?



6. Why didn't Paul wear his polka dot shirt to work yesterday?



7. Why didn't Susan take a psychology course last semester?



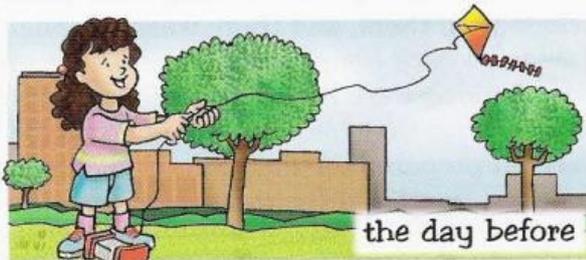
8. Why didn't your neighbors give a party last month?



9. Why didn't Mozart write an opera last week?



10. Why didn't you go window-shopping last Saturday afternoon?



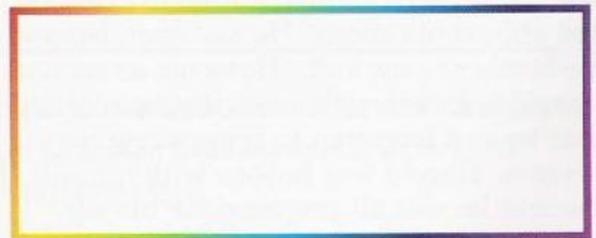
11. Why didn't Monica fly her kite yesterday?



12. Why didn't you and your family discuss politics at the dinner table yesterday evening?



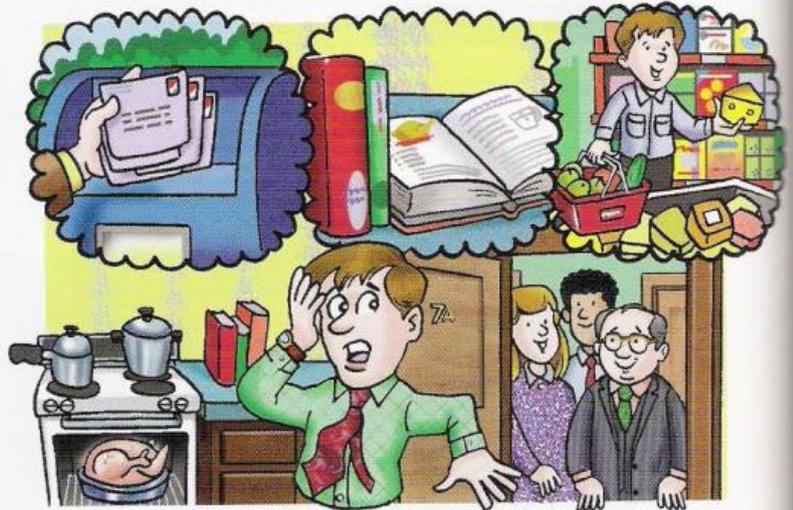
13. Why didn't George do card tricks for his friends last weekend?



- 14.

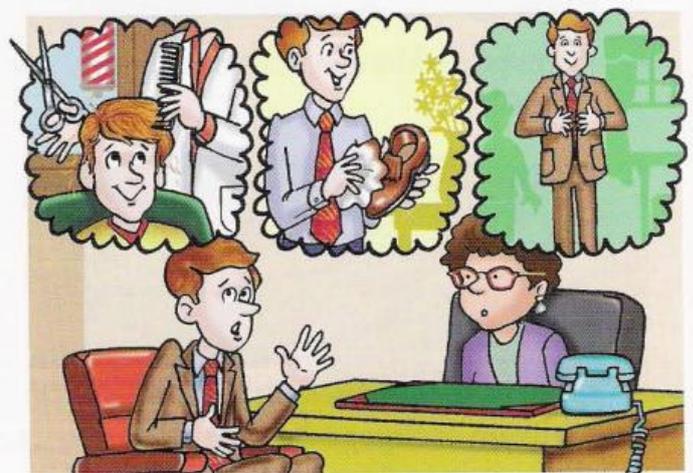
THE MOST IMPORTANT THING

Roger thought he was all prepared for his dinner party last night. He had sent invitations to his boss and all the people at the office. He had looked through several cookbooks and had found some very interesting recipes. He had even gone all the way downtown to buy imported fruit, vegetables, and cheese, which he needed for his dinner. However, as soon as Roger's doorbell rang and his guests arrived, he realized that he had forgotten to turn on the oven. Roger felt very foolish. He couldn't believe what he had done. He thought he was all prepared for his dinner party, but he had forgotten to do the most important thing.



Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins thought they were all prepared for their vacation. They had packed their suitcases several days ahead of time. They had gone to the bank and purchased traveler's checks. They had even asked their next-door neighbor to water their plants, feed their dog, and shovel their driveway if it snowed. However, as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins arrived at the airport, they realized that they had forgotten to bring their plane tickets with them, and there wasn't enough time to go back home and get them. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins were heartbroken. They couldn't believe what they had done. They thought they were all prepared for their vacation, but they had forgotten to do the most important thing.

Harold thought he was all prepared for his job interview yesterday. He had gone to his barber and gotten a very short haircut. He had bought a new shirt, put on his best tie, and shined his shoes. He had even borrowed his brother's new suit. However, as soon as Harold began the job interview, he realized that he had forgotten to bring along his resume. Harold was furious with himself. He thought he was all prepared for his job interview, but he had forgotten to do the most important thing.



Janet thought she was all prepared for the school play. She had memorized the script several weeks in advance. She had practiced her songs and dances until she knew them perfectly. She had even stayed up all night the night before and rehearsed the play by herself from beginning to end. However, as soon as the curtain went up and the play began, Janet realized that she had forgotten to put on her costume. Janet was really embarrassed. She couldn't believe what she had done. She thought she was all prepared for the play, but she had forgotten to do the most important thing.



✓ READING CHECK-UP

TRUE, FALSE, OR MAYBE?

Answer True, False, or Maybe (if the answer isn't in the story).

1. Roger had remembered to buy the ingredients he needed.
2. Roger hadn't remembered to cook the food.
3. Roger's guests couldn't believe what he had done.
4. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins had forgotten to buy their plane tickets.
5. When Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins realized what had happened, they felt very sad and upset.
6. Harold thinks it's important to bring a resume to a job interview.
7. Harold doesn't have a suit.
8. Janet hadn't seen the script until the night before the play.
9. Before the play began, Janet hadn't realized that she had forgotten to put on her costume.

WHICH IS CORRECT?

1. Before Barbara went on her vacation, she went to the bank and bought (tickets traveler's checks).
2. Peter wanted his boss to come over for dinner, but he forgot to send him (a resume an invitation).
3. Sheila (borrowed bought) her roommate's laptop for a few days.
4. Our grandchildren were (heartbroken foolish) when our dog ran away.
5. At the supermarket next to the United Nations, (imported important) people buy (imported important) food.

How About You?



Have you ever thought you were all prepared for something, but you realized you had forgotten to do something important?

What were you preparing for?

What had you done?

What had you forgotten to do?

They Didn't Get There on Time



A. Did you get to the **concert** on time?

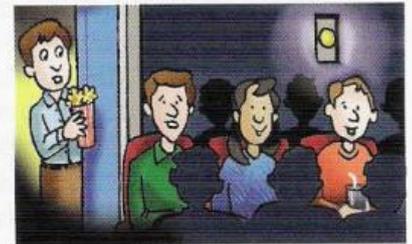
B. No, I didn't. By the time I got to the **concert**, it had already **begun**.



1. *post office*
closed



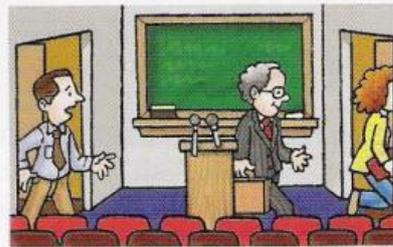
2. *plane*
take off



3. *movie*
start



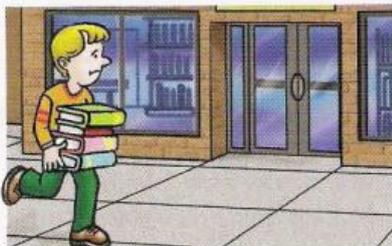
4. *train*
leave



5. *lecture*
end



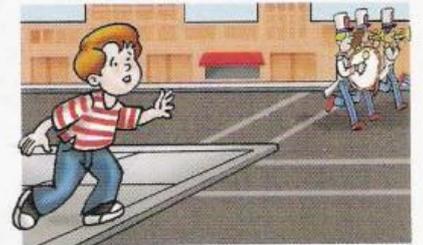
6. *meeting*
finish



7. *library*
close

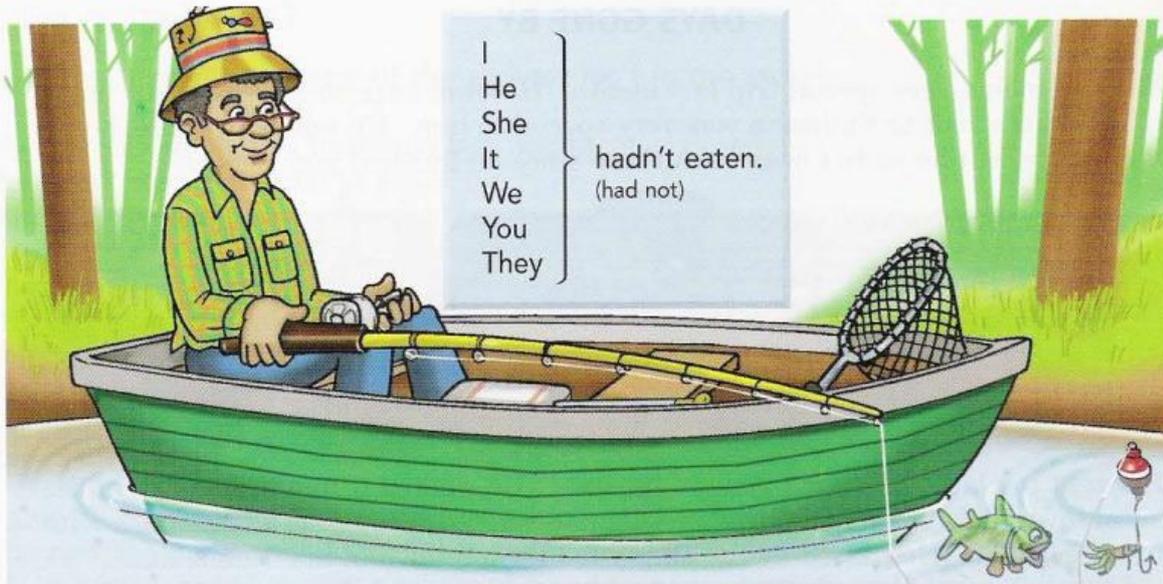


8. *boat*
sail away



9. *parade*
go by

He Hadn't Gone Fishing in a Long Time



A. Did Grandpa enjoy **going fishing** last weekend?

B. Yes, he did. He hadn't **gone fishing** in a long time.



1. Did Natalie enjoy swimming in the ocean last weekend?



2. Did you enjoy seeing a movie yesterday evening?



3. Did Mr. and Mrs. Ramirez enjoy taking a walk along the beach yesterday?



4. Did you and your friends enjoy eating at Burger Queen yesterday?



5. Did Henry enjoy singing with the choir last Sunday?



6. Did you enjoy having strawberry shortcake for dessert last night?



7. Did Jim and Tess enjoy riding on a roller coaster this afternoon?



8. Did Kevin enjoy playing "hide and seek" with his children last night?



9. Did Mrs. Kramer enjoy reading her old love letters last weekend?

DAYS GONE BY

Michael took a very special trip last month. He went back to Fullerton, his home town. Michael's visit to Fullerton was very special to him. He was born there, he grew up there, but he hadn't been back there since he finished high school.



He went to places he hadn't gone to in years. He walked through the park in the center of town and remembered the days he had walked through the same park with his first girlfriend. He passed by the empty field where he and his friends had played baseball every day after school. And he stood for a while in front of the movie theater and thought about all the Saturday afternoons he had spent there sitting in the balcony, watching his favorite movie heroes and eating popcorn.



He did things he hadn't done in a long time. He had some homemade ice cream at the ice cream shop, he rode on the merry-go-round in the park, and he went fishing at the lake on the outskirts of town. For a while, he felt like a kid again. He hadn't had homemade ice cream, ridden on a merry-go-round, or gone fishing since he was a young boy.



He also saw people he hadn't seen in years. He visited several of his old neighbors who had never moved out of the neighborhood. He said hello to the owners of the candy store near his house. And he even bumped into Mrs. Riley, his tenth-grade science teacher.

During his visit to his home town, Michael remembered places he hadn't gone to, things he hadn't done, and people he hadn't seen since his childhood. Michael's trip back to Fullerton was a very nostalgic experience for him. Going back to Fullerton brought back many memories of days gone by.

✓ READING CHECK-UP

TRUE, FALSE, OR MAYBE?

Answer True, False, or Maybe (if the answer isn't in the story).

1. Michael moved back to Fullerton last month.
2. He hadn't seen Fullerton in years.
3. When Michael passed by the field last month, children were playing baseball.
4. Michael enjoyed going to the movies when he was young.
5. The ice cream shop was near Michael's home in Fullerton.
6. Michael rode on the merry-go-round when he was a young boy.
7. Some of Michael's old neighbors still live in the same neighborhood.
8. Mrs. Riley still teaches science.

WHICH IS CORRECT?

1. I always enjoy eating Aunt Betty's (home town homemade) food.
2. The new shopping mall is located in the (outskirts outside) of our city.
3. She recently visited the town where she had (spent grown up) her childhood.
4. I bumped (through into) an old friend on the street the other day.
5. They hadn't been (back by) to their old neighborhood in several years.
6. Seeing my old college friends was a (nauseous nostalgic) experience for me.

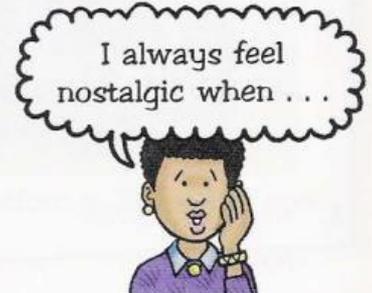
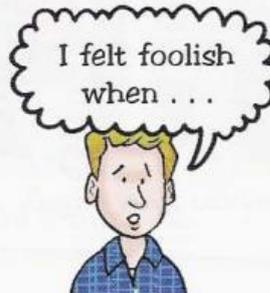
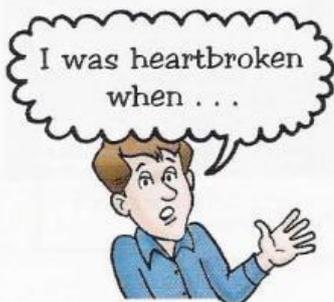
LISTENING

Listen and choose the correct answer.

1. a. Yes. They've never eaten there.
b. Yes. They had never eaten there.
2. a. I had already seen it.
b. I've already seen it.
3. a. No. It had already started.
b. No. It has already started.
4. a. But I had already done it.
b. But I've already done it.
5. a. She had memorized all the important names and dates.
b. She's going to study very hard.
6. a. Have you ever stayed there before?
b. Had you ever stayed there before?

THINK ABOUT IT! *Feelings and Experiences*

Think about times you have had these feelings. Share your experiences with other students.



Have You Heard About Harry?



- A. Have you heard about Harry?
- B. No, I haven't. What happened?
- A. He broke his leg last week.
- B. That's terrible! How did he do THAT?
- A. He was roller-skating . . . and he had never roller-skated before.
- B. Poor Harry! I hope he feels better soon.

- A. Have you heard about _____?
- B. No, I haven't. What happened?
- A. (He/She) _____ last week.
- B. That's terrible! How did (he/she) do THAT?
- A. (He/She) was _____ing . . . and (he/she) had never _____ before.
- B. Poor _____! I hope (he/she) feels better soon.



1. *twist his ankle*
fly a kite



2. *injure her knee*
ski

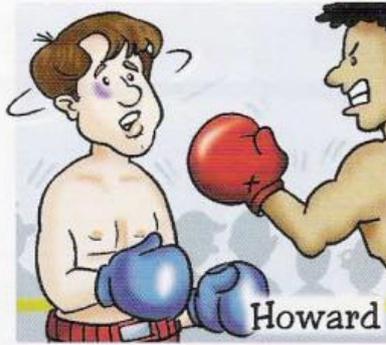


3. *burn himself*
bake brownies



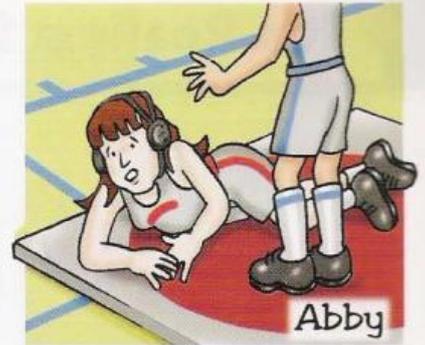
Louise

4. sprain her wrist
play squash



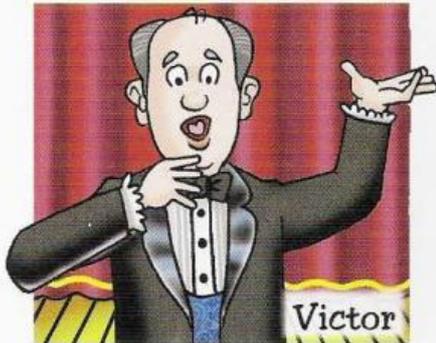
Howard

5. get a black eye
box



Abby

6. hurt her arm
wrestle



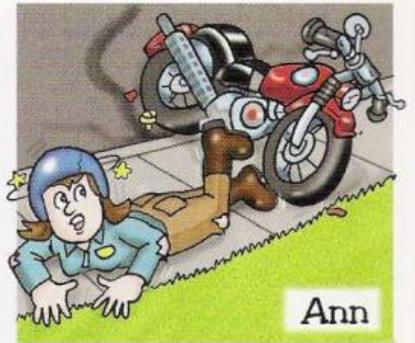
Victor

7. lose his voice
sing opera



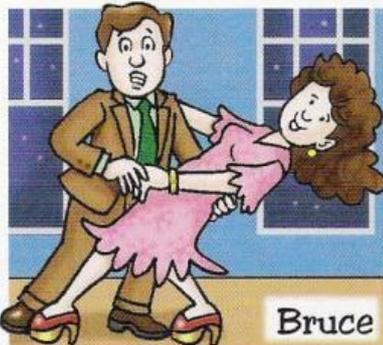
Shirley

8. dislocate her shoulder
do gymnastics



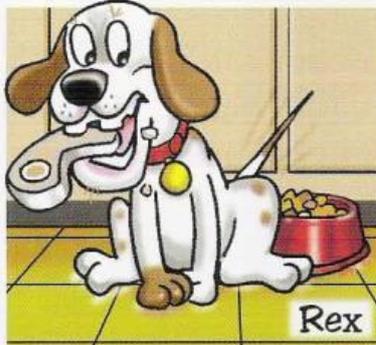
Ann

9. get hurt in an accident
ride a motorcycle



Bruce

10. sprain his back
do the tango



Rex

11. break his front teeth
chew on a steak bone

12.



How to Say It!

Sharing News About Someone

- A. { Have you heard about
Have you heard the news about
Have you heard what happened to } Harry?
- B. No, I haven't. What happened?

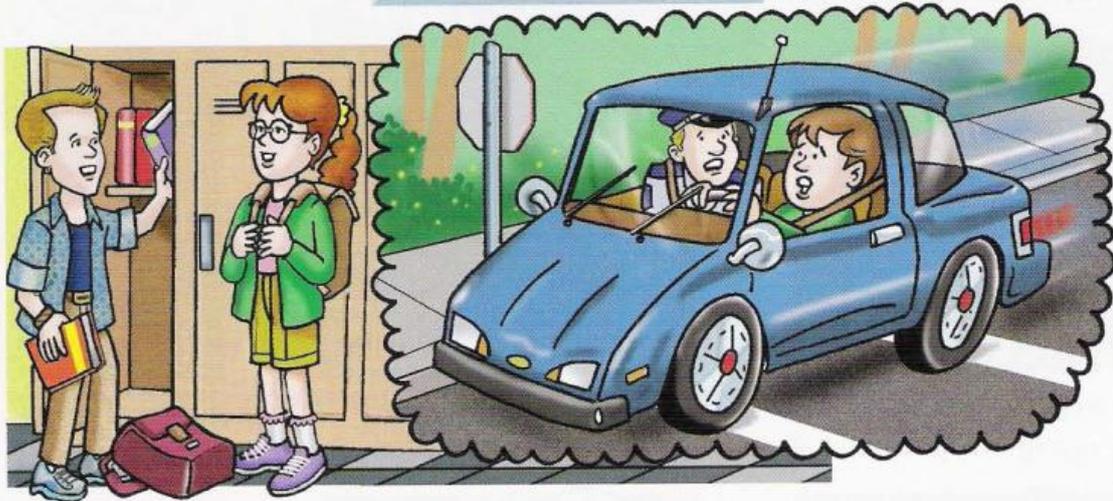


Practice the conversations in this lesson again. Begin your conversations in different ways.

It's Really a Shame

I
He
She
It
We
You
They

} had been eating.



- A. I heard that Arnold failed his driver's test last week. Is it true?
B. Yes, it is . . . and it's really a shame. He had been practicing for a long time.

- A. I heard that _____ last week. Is it true?
B. Yes, it is . . . and it's really a shame. (He/She/They) had been _____ing for a long time.

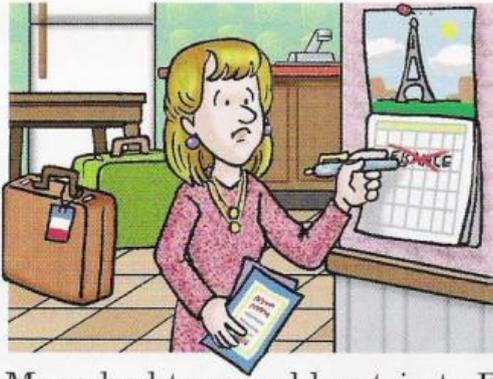
I heard that . . .



1. Fred lost his job at the factory
work there



2. Larry and Jane broke up
go together



3. Mona had to cancel her trip to France
plan it



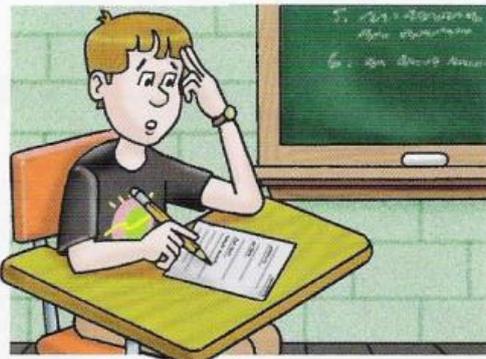
4. Pam and Bob canceled their wedding
plan to get married



5. Mr. and Mrs. Williams moved
live in this neighborhood



6. Walter had another heart attack
feel better



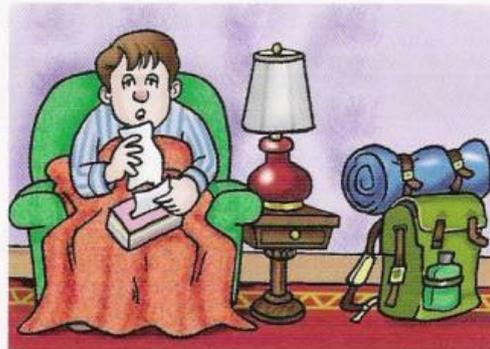
7. Alex did poorly on his science exam
study for it



8. Penny twisted her ankle and couldn't
run in the marathon
train for it



9. Your daughter got sick and couldn't
perform in her piano recital
rehearse for it

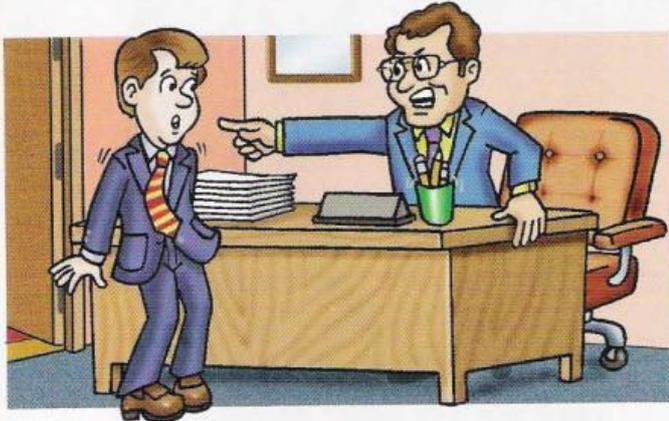
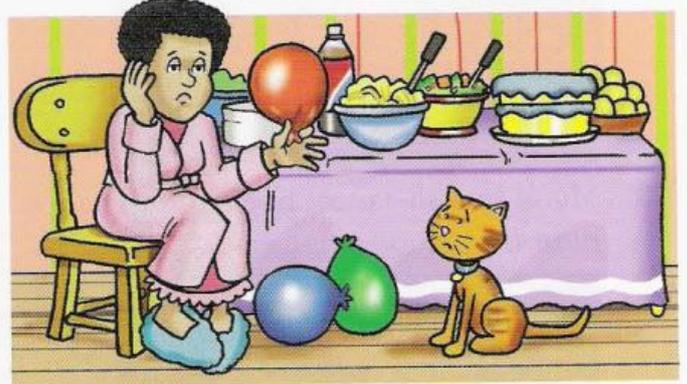


10. Herbert caught a cold and couldn't
go camping
look forward to it

READING

THEIR PLANS "FELL THROUGH"

Patty had planned to have a party last weekend. She had been getting ready for the party for a long time. She had invited all of her friends and several co-workers, she had cooked lots of food, and she had cleaned her apartment from top to bottom. But at the last minute, she got sick and had to cancel the party. Poor Patty! She was really disappointed.



Michael had planned to ask his boss for a raise last week. He had been preparing to ask his boss for a raise for a long time. He had come to work early for several weeks, he had worked late at the office every night, and he had even bought a new suit to wear to the appointment with his boss. Unfortunately, before Michael could even ask for a raise, his boss fired him.

John and Julia had planned to get married last month. They had been planning their wedding for more than a year, and all of their friends and relatives had been looking forward to the ceremony. Julia had bought a beautiful wedding gown, John had rented a fancy tuxedo, and they had sent invitations to 150 people. But at the last minute, John "got cold feet"* and they had to cancel the wedding.



* got scared

IN YOUR OWN WORDS

FOR WRITING AND DISCUSSION

Tell about plans you had that "fell through."

- What had you planned to do?
- How long had you been planning to do it?
- What had you done beforehand?
- What went wrong? What happened?
- Were you upset? disappointed?



ON YOUR OWN Accomplishments



When Stella Karp won the marathon last week, nobody was surprised. She had been getting up early and jogging every morning. She had been eating health foods and taking vitamins for several months. And she had been swimming fifty laps every day after work. Stella Karp really deserved to win the marathon. After all, she had been preparing for it for a long time.



When my friend Stuart finally passed his driver's test the other day, nobody was surprised. He had been taking lessons at the driving school for several months. He had been practicing driving with his father for the past several weeks. And he had been studying the "rules of the road" since he was a little boy. My friend Stuart really deserved to pass his driver's test. After all, he had been preparing for it for a long time.



When Sally Compton got a promotion last week, nobody was surprised. She had been working overtime every day for several months. She had been studying computer programming in the evening. And she had even been taking extra work home on the weekends. Sally Compton really deserved to get a promotion. After all, she had been working hard to earn it for a long time.

We all feel proud when we accomplish something that we have prepared for. Tell other students about an accomplishment you're proud of.



Write in your journal about something you accomplished: What did you accomplish? How long had you been preparing for it? How had you been preparing?

