

Mini test 1

Put the verb into the correct form: past simple (I did), past continuous (I was doing), past perfect (I had done) or past perfect continuous (I had been doing).

1. Yesterday afternoon Sarah _____ (go) to the station to meet Paul. When she _____ (get) there, Paul _____ (already / wait) for her. His train _____ (arrive) early.
2. When I got home, Ben _____ (lie) on the sofa. The TV was on, but he _____ (not / watch) it. He _____ (fall) asleep and _____ (snore) loudly. I _____ (turn) the TV off and just then he _____ (wake) up.
3. Last night I _____ (just / go) to bed and _____ (read) a book when suddenly I _____ (hear) a noise. I _____ (get) up to see what it was, but I _____ (not / see) anything, so I _____ (go) back to bed.
4. Lisa had to go to New York last week, but she almost _____ (miss) the plane. She _____ (stand) in the queue at the check-in desk when she suddenly _____ (realise) that she _____ (leave) her passport at home. Fortunately, she lives near the airport, so she _____ (have) time to take a taxi home to get it. She _____ (get) back to the airport just in time for her flight.
5. I _____ (meet) Peter and Lucy yesterday as I _____ (walk) through the park. They _____ (be) to the Sports Centre where they _____ (play) tennis. They _____ (go) to a cafe and _____ (invite) me to join them, but I _____ (arrange) to meet another friend and _____ (not / have) time.