Past Simple – Present Perfect – Past Perfect

Part 1. Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. When we arrived at the station, the train _____ already _____. (leave)
2. I _____ my homework, so I can go out with my friends now. (finish)
3. We _____ to Da Nang last summer and really enjoyed the trip. (go)
4. Before Anna _____ the competition, she _____ for it every day. (win / practise)
5. My brother _____ this film three times, so he doesn't want to watch it again. (see)
6. After we _____ dinner, we went for a walk in the park. (have)
7. I _____ my keys yesterday, but I found them under the sofa later. (lose)
8. They _____ each other since they were children. (know)
9. By the time the teacher arrived, the students _____ all the exercises. (finish)
10. She was upset because she _____ her wallet on the bus. (forget)
11. We _____ in this neighbourhood for nearly ten years. (live)
12. Jack _____ to school late yesterday because he _____ the bus. (arrive / miss)
13. I _____ never _____ such a beautiful waterfall before. (see)
14. After Tom _____ the door, he realised he _____ his phone inside the house. (close / leave)
15. My parents _____ to Singapore twice. (be)
16. Before we went to bed, we _____ all the windows. (check)
17. Sarah _____ her grandparents last weekend. (visit)

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18. I was nervous because I _____ in front of so many people before. (never / speak)
19. The children were excited because they _____ snow before. (never / see)
20. Since I joined the music club, I _____ many new friends. (make)

Part 2. For each question, write ONE word only in each gap.

A School Trip to Remember

Last month, my class went on a school trip to a science museum in the city centre. I was very excited because I (1) _____ never been to a museum like that before.

We arrived at 9 a.m., but some students were still getting off the bus when it (2) _____ raining heavily. While we were waiting inside the entrance, our teacher told us that she (3) _____ already bought the tickets online, so we could go in quickly.

Inside the museum, we saw many interesting experiments. One guide explained that scientists (4) _____ discovered a new type of energy in recent years.

While I (5) _____ taking notes, my friend suddenly called me to look at a robot demonstration. It was amazing because the robot moved as if it (6) _____ been programmed to think like a human.

Before we left, I realised that I (7) _____ learned more in one day than in many science lessons at school.

After the trip, our teacher said she was glad we (8) _____ enjoyed the experience so much.

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Part 3. For each question, choose the correct word (A, B or C) to complete the text.

A Lucky Day

Last Saturday, I went to a small town festival with my friends. We arrived in the morning, and the streets were already full of people. While we were walking around, I suddenly realised that I (1) _____ my wallet at home.

I was very worried because I (2) _____ never lost anything important before. My friends suggested going back, but just then I received a message from my mum. She said she (3) _____ my wallet at home after I left in a hurry.

I felt relieved and continued enjoying the festival. We watched a dance show while a band (4) _____ on the main stage nearby. The music was loud, and everyone was having fun.

Later that day, I met my cousin, who I (5) _____ not seen for over two years. We talked about what we had done since we last met.

Before I went home, I realised that I (6) _____ a really amazing day, even though it had started badly.

1. A. left	B. had left	C. have left
2.A. have	B. had	C. was
3. A. found	B. had found	C. has found
4. A. played	B. was playing	C. had played
5. A. had	B. have	C. had had
6. A. had	B. have had	C. had had

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