

PAST TENSES

Fill in the gaps with the Simple Past or the Past Continuous

1. 'Why you (MAKE) so many mistakes at the personal project?' 'Well my sister (PRACTISE) the violin while I (PREPARE) it.
2. Yesterday , Martin (WAKE UP), (EAT) breakfast and (LEAVE) for work.
3. No one liked Mary as she constantly (INSULT) everybody.
4. The students (WRITE) a test when the fire alarm (SOUND).
5. What you (DO) at the time of the burglary?
6. The little child (PLAY) tennis when he (HIT) the ball too hard and (BREAK) the window.
7. 'I (KNOCK) on your door but you (NOT/ANSWER). 'Yes, I (LISTEN) to music.

Fill in the gaps with the Past Perfect or the Past Perfect Continuous

1. Sam (STUDY) for 4 years before he got his Bachelors Degree,
2. That was the best movie they ever (WATCH)
3. I (NOT / REALISE) she was the new CEO until she introduced herself.
4. Martha and her husband never (HAVE) an argument before.
5. It (SNOW) for hours and everything looked so beautiful.
6. She(CORRECT) all the essays by 7 o'clock.
7. They only (DRIVE) for half and hour when their car broke down.

Fill in the gaps with the correct Past Tense. (SIMPLE PAST, PAST CONTINUOUS, PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS)

1. I couldn't use my mobile phone as I (NOT/CHARGE) it.
2. When she was young she(GO) to bed early at night.
3. He wasn't worried about the maths test as he
(PREPARE) for it for weeks.
4. At 10 O'clock last night they still(WORK)
5. (HAVE) tablets 10 years ago?
6. He (GET) ready to leave for work when his
mother (CALL) him.
7. By the time Ian (GET) to the theatre, the play
..... already (START).
8. Thomas (READ) a book while his little
daughter..... (SLEEP) next to him.
9. They (TRAIN) for an hour when their coach
..... (TELL) them to have a break.
10. That was the first time they (VISIT) London