

6A – Preview Answers



You try

Complete the sentences by putting the words into the correct tense.

I didn't see John at the party. When I arrived he had already left. (already/leave)

1. When I got home everyone *had gone* to bed. (go)
2. Before I moved to Japan I *had lived* in five other countries. (live)
3. Rachel was very tired yesterday. She *had just come back* from holiday. (just/come back)
4. When I saw Julian last week he still *had not got/gotten* a haircut. (not/get)
5. After I handed in my homework I realised I *had forgotten* to write my name on it. (forget)
6. I met Michael last week. I *hadn't seen* him for three years. (not/see)



You Choose

Circle the correct word or words to complete the sentence.

1. Harry *had* gone home early because he was tired.
2. When we came home, the house was very dirty. No one *had cleaned* it for weeks.
3. I played ice hockey last week, but I wasn't very good. I *had never played* before.
3. Jessica *broke* her leg snowboarding last weekend.
4. I was snowboarding last weekend when I *saw* a young girl on the ground. She *had fallen* over. My friend and I *took* her to the hospital. Unfortunately she *had broken* her leg.



Your Turn

Change these verbs into the past participle.

go	<i>been/gone</i>
arrive	<i>arrived</i>
see	<i>seen</i>
forget	<i>forgotten</i>
leave	<i>left</i>

Now complete the story using the past participle forms of the verbs above.

I had just *arrived* at my hotel. I looked in my bag and realised I had *lost* my cell phone. I went downstairs to use the telephone, but the clerk had *gone* out. I used a payphone to call my wife. She said I had *left* my cell phone on the refrigerator.

Write the rest of the story yourself. Use these words to help you:

surfing competition *prize money* *nervous* *hula dancing*
excited *beach* *shark*

When I went back to my room there was a man waiting outside. I had never *seen* him before. *He told me he had been in a surfing competition and he had been chased by a shark, but he had escaped. He had been nervous but got excited when he won the prize money. After that, he had been hula dancing on the beach.*