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LESSON 10

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Task 1. Complete the sentences with the Past Simple or the Past Perfect.

1. Mary _____ (give) me Tony's address before she left.
2. When the boys arrived at the cinema, the film _____ (already, start).
3. Before we reached the station we saw that we _____ (lose) our way.
4. All the tickets _____ (be) sold before the concert began.
5. They took a shower after they _____ (finish) the game.
6. I asked Mr Green how many books he _____ (read)
7. Mum asked me why I _____ (not tidy) up my room.
8. Bob was sorry that he _____ (told) me the story.
9. Alan watched TV after he _____ (have) lunch.
10. The sun _____ (shine) yesterday after it _____ (be) cold for many weeks.
11. Uncle David _____ (go) to the doctor after he _____ (be) ill for a month.
12. Before the police _____ (catch) the thief, he _____ (steal) two more watches.



13. Mum once _____ (paint) a picture although she _____ (never, learn) it.

14. I _____ (not tell) my teacher that my mum _____ (help) me with my homework.

15. I _____ (be) very angry when I _____ (see) that my brother _____ (eat) my apple.

16. The bike _____ (be) much more expensive than he _____ (think) at first.

17. Dad _____ (drive) me home after I _____ (fall) into the water.

18. Marion _____ (ask) me what _____ (happen) to me last week.

19. We _____ (eat) two Big Macs before we _____ (go) home.

20. Paul _____ (not say) that he _____ (take) Albert's watch.

21. The days _____ (become) colder after it _____ (snow).

22. Martin _____ (tell) me that he _____ (be) in London.