

THE PAST SIMPLE AND THE PAST PERFECT

(BÀI TẬP TỰ LUYỆN)

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Các bài tập trong tài liệu này được biên soạn kèm theo bài giảng Bài 14. The past simple and the past perfect thuộc khóa học Tiếng Anh 10 – Cô Nguyễn Thị Phương tại website Hocmai.vn để giúp các bạn kiểm tra, củng cố lại các kiến thức mà giáo viên đã truyền đạt trong bài giảng tương ứng. Để sử dụng hiệu quả, Bạn cần học trước bài giảng sau đó làm đầy đủ các bài tập trong tài liệu này.

Exercise 1: Put the verbs in the past simple or past perfect.

1. I went to the box office at lunch time, but they ... (already/sell) all the tickets.
2. I felt very tired when I got home, so I ... (go) straight to bed.
3. I felt better by the summer, but the doctor warned me not to do too much. I ... (be) very ill.
4. At last the committee were ready to announce their decision. They ... (make) up their mind.
5. Was Tom at the party when you arrived? – No, he (go) home.
6. Sorry I'm late. The car ... (break) down on my way here.
7. I ... (take) the book back to the library when I ... (read) it.

Exercise 2: Choose the correct answers.

1. Was Tom there when you arrived? – Yes, but he ... home soon afterwards.
a. Goes b. went c. had gone d. were going
2. Before Jennifer won the lottery, she ... any kind of contest.
a. Hasn't entered b. doesn't enter c. wasn't entering d. hadn't entered
3. Did you say that you ... here only three days ago?
a. Were coming b. had come c. have come d. come
4. By the time he arrived at the party, all his classmates
a. Has left b. left c. was leaving d. had left
5. When I was a child ... the violin.
a. I was playing b. I had played c. I play d. I played
6. It's two years ... Joe.
a. That I don't see b. That I haven't seen
c. Since I didn't see d. Since I saw
7. The man sitting next to me on the plane was nervous because he ... before.
a. Hasn't flown b. didn't fly c. hadn't flown d. wasn't flying
8. They ... in Scotland for ten years. Now they live in London.
a. Lived b. have lived c. has been living d. had lived
9. As soon as Laura ... the house, it started to rain.
a. Has left b. was leaving c. had left d. had been leaving
10. Sorry we're late, we ... the wrong turning.
a. Had taken b. were taking c. took d. are taking

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