

Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the past perfect simple tense of the verbs in brackets.

1. By the time she arrived, the train (leave) _____.
2. After they had finished their dinner, they (go) _____ for a walk.
3. He (already / study) _____ for the test before the teacher announced it.
4. By the end of the day, she (write) _____ five emails.
5. They (not / visit) _____ that museum before.

Exercise 2: Rewrite the sentences using the past perfect simple tense.

1. She found her lost keys. Then she opened the door.
 - She _____ her lost keys before she _____ the door.
2. They went to the concert. The band had already finished performing.
 - They went to the concert after the band _____ performing.
3. He ate lunch. He went to the gym.
 - He _____ lunch before he _____ to the gym.
4. The children played in the park. They had done their homework.
 - The children _____ in the park after they _____ their homework.
5. She saw the movie. She read the book.
 - She _____ the movie after she _____ the book.

Exercise 3: Complete the sentences with the correct form of the past perfect simple tense.

1. After they (finish) _____ their exams, they went out for a celebration.
2. By the time we arrived, the party (already / start) _____.
3. He (never / see) _____ such a beautiful sunset before.
4. They (buy) _____ tickets to the concert before it was sold out.
5. She (visit) _____ several countries before she turned 25.

Exercise 4: Choose the correct form of the past perfect simple tense to complete the sentences.

1. By the time they arrived at the restaurant, all the tables (be) _____ taken.
2. After she (finish) _____ her book, she started writing a new one.
3. He (never / eat) _____ sushi before he went to Japan.
4. By the time the movie ended, they (watch) _____ three other films.
5. They (not / study) _____ for the exam, so they didn't do well.

Exercise 5: Rewrite the sentences in past perfect simple tense.

1. She opens the letter after she reads it.

- She _____ the letter after she _____ it.

2. They arrive at the party after it starts.

- They _____ at the party after it _____.

3. He calls his friend after he finds his phone.

- He _____ his friend after he _____ his phone.

4. We see the movie after it begins.

- We _____ the movie after it _____.

5. She leaves for work after she finishes breakfast.

- She _____ for work after she _____ breakfast.

Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the past perfect simple tense of the verbs in brackets.

1. By the time she arrived, the train had left.
2. After they had finished their dinner, they went for a walk.
3. He had already studied for the test before the teacher announced it.
4. By the end of the day, she had written five emails.
5. They had not visited that museum before.

Exercise 2: Rewrite the sentences using the past perfect simple tense.

1. She had found her lost keys before she opened the door.
2. They went to the concert after the band had already finished performing.
3. He had lunch before he went to the gym.
4. The children played in the park after they had done their homework.
5. She had seen the movie after she had read the book.

Exercise 3: Complete the sentences with the correct form of the past perfect simple tense.

1. After they had finished their exams, they went out for a celebration.
2. By the time we arrived, the party had already started.
3. He had never seen such a beautiful sunset before.
4. They had bought tickets to the concert before it was sold out.
5. She had visited several countries before she turned 25.

Exercise 4: Choose the correct form of the past perfect simple tense to complete the sentences.

1. By the time they arrived at the restaurant, all the tables had been taken.
2. After she had finished her book, she started writing a new one.
3. He had never eaten sushi before he went to Japan.
4. By the time the movie ended, they had watched three other films.
5. They had not studied for the exam, so they didn't do well.

Exercise 5: Rewrite the sentences in past perfect simple tense.

1. She had opened the letter after she read it.
2. They had arrived at the party after it started.
3. He had called his friend after he found his phone.
4. We had seen the movie after it began.
5. She had left for work after she finished breakfast.