

Fill In The Blanks using **Simple Past Tense** or **Past Perfect Tense** .

- 1) The children \_\_\_\_\_ (**play**) in the yard all afternoon.
- 2) The boy \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) his work just in time.
- 3) A woman \_\_\_\_\_ (**see**) her friends yesterday.
- 4) A boy \_\_\_\_\_ (**finish**) his meal before the guests arrived.
- 5) Several students \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / complete**) their assignments before the class ended.
- 6) The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (**write**) the homework on the board before the students arrived.
- 7) My brother \_\_\_\_\_ (**play**) football last Saturday.
- 8) Some kids \_\_\_\_\_ (**play**) outside yesterday.
- 9) I \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / speak**) to him last week.
- 10) A child \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / sleep**) well last night.
- 11) The students \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / understand**) the lesson before the explanation.
- 12) A friend \_\_\_\_\_ (**help**) her neighbor yesterday.
- 13) The cat \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / eat**) its food before it ran away.
- 14) The workers \_\_\_\_\_ (**leave**) by the time the manager arrived.
- 15) He \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / eat**) his breakfast before school.
- 16) The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (**give**) the homework before the students left.
- 17) The man \_\_\_\_\_ (**close**) the window before it started raining.
- 18) The man \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / fix**) his car before the rain started.
- 19) The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (**explain**) the task before the students started.
- 20) The children \_\_\_\_\_ (**not / finish**) their homework on time.
- 21) Several children \_\_\_\_\_ (**sing**) at the concert.
- 22) The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (**write**) the instructions before the class started.
- 23) A man \_\_\_\_\_ (**arrive**) before the train left.
- 24) The children \_\_\_\_\_ (**play**) on the playground last Saturday.
- 25) The children \_\_\_\_\_ (**leave**) after the show had had had had had had had finished.

# Answer Sheet (C5FA9)

## Simple Past Tense or Past Perfect Tense: Beginner Level: Fill In The Blanks Quiz 9

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- 1) played
- 2) finished
- 3) saw
- 4) had finished
- 5) hadn't completed
- 6) had written
- 7) played
- 8) played
- 9) didn't speak
- 10) didn't sleep
- 11) didn't understand
- 12) helped
- 13) hadn't eaten
- 14) had left
- 15) didn't eat
- 16) had given
- 17) had closed
- 18) hadn't fixed
- 19) had explained
- 20) didn't finish
- 21) sang
- 22) had written
- 23) had arrived
- 24) played
- 25) left



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