

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

- 1) A team of reporters _____ (**cover**) the story before the morning news.
- 2) A group of students _____ (**leave**) the campus after the seminar had had had had finished.
- 3) The big supermarket _____ (**sell**) all the apples by afternoon.
- 4) The legal team _____ (**finalize**) the contract by the time the partners met.
- 5) A set of scientists _____ (**study**) the data before publishing the results.
- 6) A committee of experts _____ (**discuss**) the proposal before the meeting ended.
- 7) A group of musicians _____ (**perform**) before the audience arrived.
- 8) The security team _____ (**check**) all entrances before the event started.
- 9) The volunteers _____ (**arrive**) early to help set up.
- 10) The children _____ (**finish**) their homework before they played outside.
- 11) The students _____ (**not / finish**) the project before the professor returned.
- 12) The workers _____ (**not / finish**) the project before the deadline passed.
- 13) The science museum _____ (**receive**) many visitors last year.
- 14) A couple of workers _____ (**arrive**) late yesterday.
- 15) The board _____ (**discuss**) the proposal before the final vote took place.
- 16) A group of engineers _____ (**not / arrive**) on time for the meeting.
- 17) Several participants _____ (**submit**) their forms before the event started.
- 18) A team of athletes _____ (**compete**) in the event before the final round.
- 19) The logistics team _____ (**deliver**) all packages before the snowstorm.
- 20) The local museum _____ (**organize**) a special exhibition last winter.
- 21) The participants _____ (**arrive**) on time for the seminar yesterday.
- 22) The students _____ (**read**) the book before the teacher gave the test.
- 23) The small lake _____ (**freeze**) last December.
- 24) The players _____ (**not / attend**) the meeting before the match.
- 25) The authors _____ (**complete**) their drafts before the publisher reviewed them.

Answer Sheet (C5FC6)

Simple Past Tense or Past Perfect Tense: Advanced Level: Fill In The Blanks Quiz 6

- 1) covered
- 2) left
- 3) sold
- 4) had finalized
- 5) studied
- 6) had discussed
- 7) had performed
- 8) had checked
- 9) arrived
- 10) had finished
- 11) hadn't finished
- 12) hadn't finished
- 13) received
- 14) arrived
- 15) had discussed
- 16) didn't arrive
- 17) had submitted
- 18) competed
- 19) delivered
- 20) organized
- 21) arrived
- 22) had read
- 23) froze
- 24) didn't attend
- 25) had completed



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