

PAST TENSE EXERCISES



Past Tense Exercises with Answers: A practice exercise having mixed sentences of simple past, past progressive, past perfect and past perfect progressive tense.

Sr.	Past Tenses	Answers
1	I _____ two minutes ago.	<i>came</i>
2	It occurred to Hamlet that in his haste he _____ a spy.	<i>had killed</i>
3	He _____ into the room.	<i>was peeping</i>
4	Alexander _____ one-fourth of the world before he was thirty.	<i>had conquered</i>

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5	Somebody _____ at my door.	<i>knocked</i>
6	He was not _____ for her.	<i>waiting</i>
7	He _____ money for many years before he fell ill.	<i>has been saving</i>
8	I _____ my breakfast in the morning.	<i>had</i>
9	The train _____ before I reached the station.	<i>had left</i>
10	She _____ her house for many days before her husband returned.	<i>had been beautifying</i>
11	I _____ for many hours before you came.	<i>had been waiting</i>
12	Who _____ the meeting?	<i>was disrupting</i>