Past simple or past perfect

Pasado simple y participio: verbos irregulares

El pasado simple cuenta un hecho pasado: write → wrote. El past perfect lleva had + participio: had written. En algunos verbos cambian las dos formas: take → took → taken. En otros coinciden: buy → bought → bought. La frase sobre la actividad habitual nombra el verbo que debes usar. Si had ya está escrito, añade solo el participio.

Ejemplo resuelto

I write letters. Yesterday I ____ to Anna. → I write letters. Yesterday I wrote to Anna.

Escribo cartas. Ayer escribí a Anna.

Completa con el pasado simple o el participio del mismo verbo de la primera frase.

01. Mom knows our neighbors. She had _____ them for years when we moved.

02. I swim in the lake. Last summer I _____ there every weekend.

03. He makes models. Last week he _____ a wooden boat.

04. The children drink milk. Yesterday they _____ some with breakfast.

05. We find shells on walks. We had _____ ten before the rain started.

06. She swims every morning. She had _____ twenty lengths before breakfast.

07. I wear boots in winter. On Saturday I _____ them to the park.

08. She finds old coins. Last Sunday she _____ one on the beach.

09. They fly to Boston. They had _____ there once before that trip.

10. We eat together. Yesterday we _____ at a small café.

11. I write a diary. Yesterday I _____ about my trip.

12. I break eggs into a bowl. I had _____ two before Mom came in.

13. They buy fresh bread. On Monday they _____ two loaves.

14. I take the bus. Yesterday I _____ it at seven.

15. He speaks to clients. He had _____ to this one before the meeting.

16. We drive to the coast. Last Friday we _____ there after work.

17. They eat lunch at school. They had _____ when the fire drill started.

18. Dad speaks French. He _____ French with the waiter last night.

19. They begin class at nine. Yesterday they _____ ten minutes late.

20. We give food to the shelter. Yesterday we _____ them two bags of rice.

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Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Completa con el pasado simple o el participio del mismo verbo de la primera frase.

21. She takes photos. She had _____ one of the bridge before it collapsed.

22. They choose a captain. They had _____ one before the match began.

23. We sing at school. Yesterday we _____ a song about spring.

24. Dad drives a truck. He had _____ it home before the storm began.

25. She writes poems. She had _____ one before the competition opened.

26. She gives music lessons. She had _____ three before lunch that day.

27. She makes jewelry. She had _____ this necklace before her shop opened.

28. The dog breaks toys. Yesterday it _____ its new ball.

29. We begin work at eight. We had _____ before the manager arrived.

30. He forgets names. He had _____ mine when we met again.

31. He sings in a band. He had _____ at that club before he became famous.

32. My aunt flies a plane. She _____ it over the valley yesterday.

33. I see my cousins on Sundays. Last Sunday I _____ them at Grandma's.

34. She wears glasses. She had _____ them for years when we met.

35. We choose our seats. Last night we _____ seats near the door.

36. I drink tea. I had _____ two cups when the guests arrived.

37. He buys books online. He had _____ this one before it sold out.

38. I know the answer now. Yesterday I _____ it too.

39. We forget small things. Yesterday we _____ our shopping list.

40. I see Anna at work. I had _____ her that morning before she called.

Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

01. She had **known** them for years when we moved.
02. Last summer I **swam** there every weekend.
03. Last week he **made** a wooden boat.
04. Yesterday they **drank** some with breakfast.
05. We had **found** ten before the rain started.
06. She had **swum** twenty lengths before breakfast.
07. On Saturday I **wore** them to the park.
08. Last Sunday she **found** one on the beach.
09. They had **flown** there once before that trip.
10. Yesterday we **ate** at a small café.
11. Yesterday I **wrote** about my trip.
12. I had **broken** two before Mom came in.
13. On Monday they **bought** two loaves.
14. Yesterday I **took** it at seven.
15. He had **spoken** to this one before the meeting.
16. Last Friday we **drove** there after work.
17. They had **eaten** when the fire drill started.
18. He **spoke** French with the waiter last night.
19. Yesterday they **began** ten minutes late.
20. Yesterday we **gave** them two bags of rice.
21. She had **taken** one of the bridge before it collapsed.
22. They had **chosen** one before the match began.
23. Yesterday we **sang** a song about spring.
24. He had **driven** it home before the storm began.
25. She had **written** one before the competition opened.
26. She had **given** three before lunch that day.
27. She had **made** this necklace before her shop opened.
28. Yesterday it **broke** its new ball.
29. We had **begun** before the manager arrived.
30. He had **forgotten** mine when we met again.
31. He had **sung** at that club before he became famous.
32. She **flew** it over the valley yesterday.
33. Last Sunday I **saw** them at Grandma's.
34. She had **worn** them for years when we met.
35. Last night we **chose** seats near the door.
36. I had **drunk** two cups when the guests arrived.
37. He had **bought** this one before it sold out.
38. Yesterday I **knew** it too.
39. Yesterday we **forgot** our shopping list.
40. I had **seen** her that morning before she called.