

A. Put the words in the correct order and build the sentences.

1. (exam / we / very / it / had / we / for / before / hard / the / studied / took / physics)
Before
2. (action / had / popcorn / they / they / the / after / movie / made / watched)
After
3. (uniform / home / I / school / by / put / time / had / for / my / I / the / on / left)
By
4. (tomatoes / we / the / soon / cooked / chopped / sauce / we / as / the / spaghetti / had / as)
As
5. (theater / had / so / didn't / the / already / Rick / with / the / seen / go / them / to / play / he)
Rick
6. (question / hadn't / the / because / the / couldn't / to / lesson / Martha / teacher's / she / answer / listened)
Martha

B. Rewrite the sentences using the Past Simple and the Past Perfect. Start with the conjunctions in brackets.

1. First, we ate some chocolate cake. Then we drank tea. (After)
.....
2. First, I ironed the shirts. Then I put them into the wardrobe. (Before)
.....
3. First, they finished playing basketball. Then they went into the classroom. (As soon as)
.....
4. First, we packed our suitcases. Then we left home to go to the airport. (By the time)
.....

C. Answer the following questions.

1. What did you do after you had got home from school yesterday afternoon?
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2. What did you do as soon as you had had dinner yesterday evening?
.....
3. What had you done by the time you left home for school this morning?
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D. Read the information below and ask the appropriate questions to elicit the answers (1–7).

The Conquest of İstanbul

The Conquest of İstanbul is one of the most glorious victories in Turkish history. When Sultan Mehmed II conquered the city, which was then called *Constantinople*, the Byzantines had ruled the Eastern Roman Empire from there for more than 1,100 years. Although it had been besieged many times before, nobody could conquer it.

Mehmed II knew it was not easy to conquer İstanbul, so he got prepared really well. He thought very big cannons were necessary for the siege, so the Ottoman engineers created them. The cannons which were called *Şahi* were so big that they could throw the cannonballs up to 1,000 meters. Undoubtedly, that was one of the most important factors in the victory.

Mehmed II besieged the city on 6 April 1453. The siege lasted for 53 days. When the sultan understood that the ships had to enter the Golden Horn, his unexpected move changed everything. The city finally fell on 29 May 1453, and that success earned Mehmed II the well-deserved title *the Conqueror* at the age of 21. According to many historians, the conquest of İstanbul changed the course of history.

1. ?
For over 1,100 years.
2. ?
Şahi.
3. ?
1,000 meters.
4. ?
On 6 April 1453.
5. ?
For 53 days.
6. ?
On 29 May 1453.
7. ?
21.

E. Complete the sentences in your own words.

1. After my father
he
2. As soon as my mother
she
3. By the time we
we
4. Before the teacher
she

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6. As soon as the mechanical engineers the safety tests, they building the new system.
- A) performed – was beginning B) performed – used to begin
C) had performed – used to begin D) had performed – had begun
E) had performed – began
7. By the time Ibn Sina away, he around 200 books about different fields, particularly on medicine and philosophy.
- A) was passing – was writing B) had passed – had written
C) had passed – used to write D) passed – had written
E) passed – was writing
8. When the manager in, some of the workers because they the terrible news.
- A) was coming – had cried – heard B) had come – cried – were hearing
C) came – were crying – had heard D) had come – were crying – heard
E) came – had cried – were hearing

For questions 9 and 10, choose the answer that DOES NOT paraphrase the sentence given.

9. First, I visited the company website for more detailed information, and then I applied for the vacant position.
- A) When I applied for the vacant position, I had visited the company website for more detailed information.
B) I had visited the company website for more detailed information by the time I applied for the vacant position.
C) After I had visited the company website for more detailed information, I applied for the vacant position.
D) I didn't apply for the vacant position until I had visited the company website for more detailed information.
E) I had applied for the vacant position before I visited the company website for more detailed information.
10. When my aunt retired from the bank, she hadn't done voluntary work for a charity yet.
- A) My aunt had done no voluntary work for a charity before she retired from the bank.
B) My aunt retired from the bank as soon as she had done voluntary work for a charity.
C) My aunt started doing voluntary work for a charity after she had retired from the bank.
D) My aunt didn't do any voluntary work for a charity until she had retired from the bank.
E) My aunt had never done voluntary work for a charity when she retired from the bank.



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