

PASADO PERFECTO VS PASADO SIMPLE - EXERCISE 3

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Complete the following exercise using past perfect or past simple:

1. Last week John _____ [went/had gone] to catch the 10 a.m. train, but he _____ [had arrived/arrived] at 10.5 a.m. John _____ [missed/had missed/] the train because he _____ [arrived/had arrived/] late and the train _____ [had gone/went] .

2. Yesterday _____ [had been/was/] Vanessa's birthday. Tom _____ [had given/gave/] her a blue dress, her sister _____ [had given/gave] her a blue dress and Aunt Sarah _____ [had given/gave] her a blue dress. Tom, her sister and Aunt Sarah _____ [gave/had given] her three blue dresses.

3. Steve's car _____ [stopped/had stopped/] suddenly in High Street yesterday. A policewoman _____ [helped/had helped/] him to push the car to the side of the road. Steve _____ [had been/was] very embarrassed when he _____ [had found/found] the petrol tank was empty. He _____ [forgot/had forgotten] to fill the tank. He _____ [didn't put/hadn't put] any petrol in the tank.