

## MCQ Past tenses

- 1) Last week I only \_\_\_\_\_ three days. a) work b) was working c) worked d) did worked
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ the train this morning? a) Did he took b) He took c) Had he take d) Did he take
- 3) She said she \_\_\_\_\_ do it. a) could b) will c) may d) can
- 4) He had probably told her the truth, \_\_\_\_\_? a) didn't he b) did he tell c) had he d) hadn't he
- 5) When I saw Jim, he \_\_\_\_\_ in his office. a) was sat b) sat c) was sitting d) had sit
- 6) My neighbours \_\_\_\_\_ the jackpot two years ago. a) win b) won c) had winning d) have won
- 7) I asked him, yet he \_\_\_\_\_ to. a) did want not b) didn't wanted c) not wanted d) didn't want
- 8) I went to buy some bread but they \_\_\_\_\_ any left. a) had b) had got c) did haven't d) didn't have
- 9) We \_\_\_\_\_ about it for a few minutes and decided against. a) think b) didn't think  
c) thought d) thank
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ at home last night? a) Did you be b) Were you not c) Was you not d) have you been
- 11) I was sure he \_\_\_\_\_ the report on my desk but now I can't find it anywhere. a) had laid b) have lay  
c) has let d) lied
- 12) I \_\_\_\_\_ a nightmare when the alarm clock rang. a) was having b) had c) have had d) did have
- 13) \_\_\_\_\_ the same clothes yesterday? I don't think he went home last night. a) Did he wore  
b) He was wearing c) Hasn't he worn d) Wasn't he wearing
- 14) While we were gardening, he \_\_\_\_\_ dinner. a) was making b) made c) cooked d) has cooked
- 15) Where \_\_\_\_\_ when you started working? a) have you lived b) were you living  
c) did you lived d) had you living
- 16) I \_\_\_\_\_ if you'd be interested in two tickets to the opera tomorrow evening. I have another commitment. a) wondered b) was wondering c) had wonder d) have wondering
- 17) I last \_\_\_\_\_ of my cousin 6 months ago. a) heard b) had hear  
c) was hearing d) have heard
- 18) They insisted on the fact that they \_\_\_\_\_ find a sponsor. a) had b) have had to  
c) have had d) had had to
- 19) Before Jenny arrived in London, she \_\_\_\_\_ several British places. a) already visited  
b) had visited already c) had already visited d) already has visited
- 20) The dog tore up the sofa while I \_\_\_\_\_ the baby. a) was feeding b) feed c) fed d) had fed

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