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Grammar

Unit10 – Lesson2

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MATCH THE SENTENCES HALVES AND FILL IN THE BLANKS.

1. By the time Sarah arrived at the party,
2. After she had finished her homework,
3. By the time the movie started,

A. we had already bought our tickets and popcorn.
B. Emily went out for a walk in the park.
C. her friend had already left.

Complete the rules:

We can use adverbial clauses of time to show when something in the past happened in relation to another event in the past. Adverbial clauses of time are introduced by time expressions such as as soon as, when, before, ___ the time, ___ , and once.

Present the sentences and ask for the Ss' opinions to answer the questions.

Teach the structure deductively for the maximum of 5 minutes. Feel free to add any necessary explanations.

RULES:

As soon as: This expression is used to indicate that an action or event occurred immediately after another action or event. For example: "She'd left the party as soon as she saw her ex-boyfriend."

When: "When" simply denotes the time at which something happened. For instance: "The sun had already set when they arrived home."

Before: This indicates that one action or event happened prior to another. For example: "He'd finished his homework before going out with his friends."

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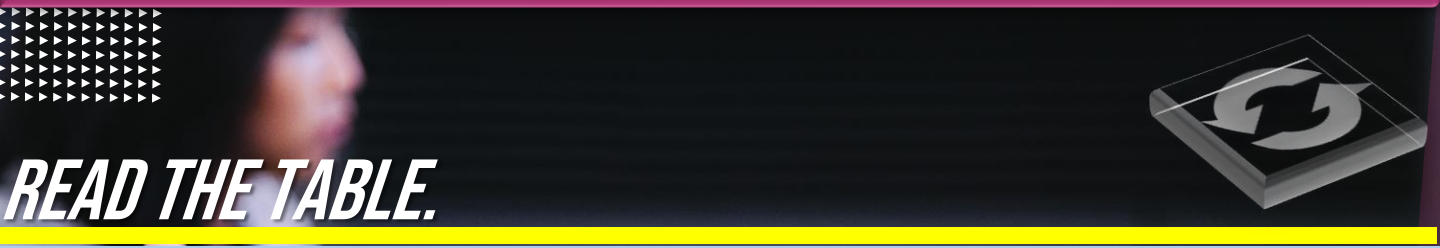
RULES:

By the time: This expression signifies that an action or event was completed before a certain point in time. For instance: "She had already eaten dinner by the time her guests arrived."

After: "After" indicates that an action or event occurred subsequent to another action or event. For example: "After the rain stopped, they went for a walk in the park."

Once: This expression suggests that as soon as one action or event occurs, another action or event follows. For example: "Once he heard the news, he immediately called his family."

Have your Ss read the sentences aloud. Recap any tips if necessary.



READ THE TABLE.

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Adverbial clause of time				Main clause		
Time expression		**Simple past**			**Past perfect**	
By the time	I	arrived	at my friend's house,	everyone	had gone	home.
Time expression		**Past perfect**			**Simple past**	
After	I	had passed	a few stations,	I	knew	something wasn't right.

Notes

- Adverbial clauses are dependent clauses and cannot stand alone as a sentence.
- When an adverbial clause of time begins a sentence, use a comma to separate the clauses.
- Do not use a comma to separate the clauses when the adverbial clause of time comes after the independent clause.

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B Rewrite the sentences using the words in parentheses.

1. When we pulled into the garage, she had already left. (by the time)
   By the time we pulled into the garage, she had already left.
2. As soon as I had crossed the bridge, the light turned red. (after)
   _____
3. By the time I got off the train, the rain had already stopped. (before)
   _____
4. When she called, we had already pulled out of the driveway. (by the time)
   _____
5. By the time he got to the theater, the movie had already ended. (when)
   _____
6. As soon as he had finished his breakfast, he headed out to the store. (once)
   _____
7. Before he pulled in, they had already started eating. (by the time)
   _____
8. Before I got to the office, the meeting had already started. (when)
   _____

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Oral Practice



Practice different forms of grammar by providing the context to Ss and having them produce sentences individually.

Ask your students to do the task in a couple of minutes.



C MAKE IT PERSONAL Imagine that you missed your train. Write sentences about what happened next. Use the past perfect with adverbial clauses of time.

1. By the time I got to the station, I had already missed my train.
2. By the time _____
3. As soon as _____
4. When _____

Create breakout rooms to have the Ss share their ideas. Give FEEDBACK right after.

IN PAIRS!

Share what you have written and add more details.



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4. When _____

Ask your students to do the task in as homework. Provide them with the answers the following session.

HOMEWORK

A Complete the conversation with the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.

A: When we _____arrived_____ at the train station, the train
1 (arrive)

_____ already.
2 (leave)

B: Oh, no!

A: Wait. It gets better. By the time we _____ someone to help us,
3 (find)

we _____ the next train, too! So, we were stuck at the train station
4 (miss)

waiting for six hours for the next available train.

B: That sounds awful!

A: Yep, it was! By the time we _____ home, we _____
5 (arrive) **6 (traveled)**

a total of twenty hours.

B: Oh! You must have been exhausted! That happened to me once. By the time we

_____ at the airport, our airplane _____. We had to wait
7 (arrive) **8 (take off)**

until the next day to catch another flight.

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2 (leave)

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we _____'d / had missed_____ the next train, too! So, we were stuck at the train station
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