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Join The Pasts

Directions: Each pair of sentences describes two past events. Combine them into **one clear sentence**. Use the **past perfect tense** for the *earlier* event and the **simple past tense** for the *later* event. You may use words such as *before, after, when, by the time, already*.

Story Connections

1. The teacher collected the homework. I realized I forgot mine.

2. She packed her suitcase. The taxi arrived.

3. They sold their house. We visited the neighborhood.

4. The movie ended. We got to the theater.

5. He studied for hours. The exam began.

Creative Challenge

6. I lost my keys. I found them in my bag later.

7. She never tried sushi. She ate it in Japan for the first time.

8. We practiced the song. We performed it at the concert.

9. He read the book. He watched the movie.

10. They finished building the house. The family moved in.
