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## Past Perfect Storytelling



**Directions:** Write a short paragraph (5-7 sentences) using the **past perfect tense** to show the order of past events. Use the guided prompts below to help structure your writing. Your paragraph must include **at least 3 verbs in the past perfect tense**. (*Tip: Look for places to use time markers like **before, after, by the time, already, never.***)

### Guided Prompts:

- Write about a trip, event, or special day you experienced.
- Begin with what had happened before the main event.
- Include what you had prepared, planned, or forgotten.
- Describe what had already taken place by the time something else happened.
- End with how you felt after everything had happened.

### Example Starter Sentences

- By the time we arrived at the park, we \_\_\_\_\_.
- I was nervous because I \_\_\_\_\_.
- After the event ended, I realized I \_\_\_\_\_.

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