YOUR DICTIONARY

Irregular Verb Worksheet C

Past Simple Form

Fill in the blanks with verbs in the past simple form.

Charlie _____ a good first day of school. First, he _____ his teacher, Mrs. Arnold. She _____ him that he could choose his own seat. Charlie _____ to sit near the front of the class. Next, his friend, Clayton, _____ next to him. They _____ all about their summer. When class _____, Mrs. Arnold _____ everyone about their favorite part of summer vacation. Charlie _____ that he _____ ziplining at summer camp. Clayton _____ that his favorite part was when he _____ asleep on the beach in Hawaii. It _____ relaxing – except when he _____ up and found that he was sunburned! Overall, it _____ out to be a great start to the school year.

Past Participle Form

Fill in the blanks with verbs in the past participle form.

Marian had _____ a chef for many years before buying her restaurant. Beforehand, she had _____ in an Italian restaurant. Marian had _____ all about cooking in culinary school, but working at that restaurant had _____ her how to keep a kitchen moving smoothly when business had _____ busy. On days when deliveries had _____ late, Marian learned how to prepare meals from ingredients she had _____ beforehand. Marian had _____ she was ready to own a restaurant when several customers had _____ how delicious her food was. After After Marian had _____ a great restaurant space, she was ready to hire servers and chefs. She had _____ her new employees carefully because she wanted her restaurant to run efficiently. Now she is a successful restaurant owner!

Fill in the Blanks

Fill in the blanks with the verb in parentheses in either past simple or past participle.

1. I_____ (see) three movies this week.
2. Rob_____ (crash) his car last year.
3. We_____ (live) in California for five years before we _____ (move) to Oregon in 1999.
4. The Titanic_____ (sink) in 1912.
5. Eden_____ (fall) off her bike 3 times this month.
6. _____ you ever_____ (have) the chicken pox?
7. I_____ (not/drink) any coffee yet today.
8. I_____ (not/drink) any coffee yesterday either.
9. We_____ (not/go) to Grandma's house at all this year.
10. I wanted to tell him he_____ (break) my heart.

Answer Key

Past Simple Form

Charlie <u>had</u> a good first day of school. First, he <u>met</u> his teacher, Mrs. Arnold. She <u>told</u> him that he could choose his own seat. Charlie <u>chose (or wanted).</u> to sit near the front of the class. Next, his friend, Clayton, <u>sat</u> next to him. They <u>talked</u> all about their summer. When class <u>started (or began)</u>, Mrs. Arnold <u>asked</u> everyone about their favorite part of summer vacation. Charlie <u>said</u> that he <u>went (or liked)</u> ziplining at summer camp. Clayton <u>said</u> that his favorite part was when he <u>fell</u> asleep on the beach in Hawaii. It <u>was</u> relaxing – except when he <u>woke</u> up and found that he was sunburned! Overall, it <u>turned</u> out to be a great start to the school year.

Past Participle Form

Marian had <u>been</u> a chef for many years before buying her restaurant. Beforehand, she had <u>worked</u> in an Italian restaurant. Marian had <u>learned</u> all about cooking in culinary school, but working at that restaurant had <u>taught</u> her how to keep a kitchen moving smoothly when business had <u>been</u> busy. On days when deliveries had <u>arrived</u> late, Marian learned how to prepare meals from ingredients she had <u>bought (or prepared)</u> beforehand. Marian had <u>known</u> she was ready to own a restaurant when several customers had <u>said (or commented)</u> how delicious her food was. After Marian had <u>found</u> a great restaurant space, she was ready to hire servers and chefs. She had <u>chosen</u> her new employees carefully because she wanted her restaurant to run efficiently. Now she is a successful restaurant owner!

Fill in the Blanks

1. saw
2. crashed
3. lived, moved
4. sank
5. fell
6. Have, had
7. haven't drunk
8. didn't drink
9. haven't gone
10. broke