

To Get + Adjective = Become. show A CHANCE OF STATE.

I am getting old.

It's getting hotter.

By the time they reached the house they were getting hungry.

I am getting tired of all this nonsense.

My mother's getting old and needs looking after.

It gets dark very early in the winter.

Don't touch the stove until it gets cool.

The past perfect tense is for talking about something that happened before something else.

Example: We were shocked to discover that someone had graffiti'd on our front door.

Past simple: We were shocked to discover

Past perfect: Someone had graffiti'd on our front door.

the teacher explained about past perfect

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Questions

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- 1 I thought I knew her. I thought I had seen.
- 2 He had driven only twice in his life before the accident.
- 3 Benny no longer had her car. She had sold it.
- 4 I saw Annabel last week. She had changed a lot.
- 5 Terry wasn't at home. He had gone out.
- 6 I tried to find Mr. Jones but he wasn't around. Then I found out he had died.
- 7 He didn't need to borrow the car because he had had his bike repaired.
- 8 Jenny had gotten home when the phone rang.
- 9 The new restaurant wasn't open any longer. It had closed down.
- 10 He fed the cat because no-one had fed it for days.

Ejercicios:

*I had worked *We had listened *They had found

*he had painted *You had spoken

- 1 We ate cherries from the tree that my grandfather had planted many years before.
- 2 When we arrived, the show had already started.
- 3 We went to a place where I had never been before.
- 4 The teacher wanted to know whether we had read the book.
- 5 Yesterday I met a friend that I had not seen for ages.

- 1 Had your husband made dinner when you got home?
- 2 Had Lisa finished her homework when she went out with her friends?
- 3 Had you had breakfast when you started to work?
- 4 What had he done that made you so upset with him the other day?
- 5 Had she already moved to London when she met her boyfriend?