Past perfect tenses

Grade 4 Verbs Worksheet

Rewrite the sentences in the past perfect tense.

- 1. I saw the movie.
- 2. Martha ate her dinner.
- 3. The computer worked well.
- 4. The driver went to the garage.
- 5. My parents said they were going to the new restaurant.
- 6. Lauren wanted to go to the Bahamas.
- 7. The team played very well.
- 8. The artist painted a beautiful painting.

Now try on your own:

- 1. Write a sentence using the **past** tense.
- 2. Write the same sentence using the **past perfect** tense.



Past perfect tense: I had played tennis.





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Answers

- 1. I saw the movie. I had seen the movie.
- Martha ate her dinner.
 Martha had eaten her dinner.
- The computer worked well.
 <u>The computer had worked well.</u>
- The driver went to the garage.
 <u>The driver had gone to the garage.</u>
- My parents said they were going to the new restaurant.
 My parents had said they were going to the new restaurant.
- Lauren wanted to go to the Bahamas.
 Lauren had wanted to go to the Bahamas.
- The team played very well.
 <u>The team had played very well.</u>
- The artist painted a beautiful painting.
 <u>The artist had painted a beautiful painting.</u>

Now try on your own:

- 1. Write a sentence using the past tense. Answers will vary.
- 2. Write the same sentence using the past perfect tense. Answers will vary.

