

11C. PRESENT PERFECT vs SIMPLE PAST

1. Inserisci il verbo nella forma del **SIMPLE PAST** nelle seguenti frasi come negli esempi:

0. When (they/to call) **did they call** you?

00. They (to call) **called** an hour ago.

1. "What time (she/to leave) _____ for the gym?"

"She (to leave) _____ early because she (not/to want) _____ to be late."

2. They (to go) _____ to the disco last night and (to have) _____ a few drinks but they (not/to get) _____ drunk.

3. What (you/to eat) _____ yesterday evening?

4. I (to visit) _____ Spain with my family last summer.

5. When he (to be) _____ young he (to try) _____ a lot of different sports.

6. Their sister (to invite) _____ Mary to a party but she (not/to accept) _____.

7. He (to complete) _____ his research in two days.

(...../13 punti)

2. Inserisci il verbo nella forma del **PRESENT PERFECT** nelle seguenti frasi come negli esempi:

0. How long (she/to be) **has she been** out?

00. She (to be) **has been** out for two hours.

1. "(you/to hear) _____ from Bob recently?"

"No, I _____. He (to be) _____ away from Verona."

2. We (to know) _____ her for years but it's the first time we (to see) _____ her so angry.

3. I (never / to have) _____ a dog in my life.

4. Meg (just/to phone) _____.
5. "How long (they/to live) _____ here?" "Oh, not for long! They (to arrive) _____ only recently."
6. "John, where (you/to be) _____ ? I (to call) _____ you at least 10 times!"
7. "(Sally/not/ to come) _____ home yet?" "No, she (to go) _____ out for some shopping."

(...../13 punti)

3. Inserisci il verbo nella forma del **PAST CONTINUOUS** nelle seguenti frasi come negli esempi:

0. *While she (to listen) **was listening** to the radio the phone rang.*
 00. *What (you/to do) **were you doing** when I called?*

1. Louis (to watch) _____ a video and his sister (to surf) _____ the net .
2. "(Steven and Monica/to write) _____ e-mails?" Yes, they _____."
3. We (not/to have) _____ an argument: we (to talk) _____.
4. I (to discuss) _____ football with Tim and he (to get) _____ angry with me.
5. What (they/ to listen) _____ to?
6. "(Sara/to drive) _____ home alone?" "No, she _____ . Tony (to sit) _____ beside her."

(...../12 punti)

4. SIMPLE PAST o PRESENT PERFECT? Scegli la LETTERA che corrisponde **alla forma corretta** (**a**, **b** oppure **c**) come nell'esempio:

0. Tony _____ **b** _____ alone for years.

- a. lived b. has lived c. did live

1. "Where _____ Janet?"

- a. you met b. have you met c. did you meet

2. Dad _____ yet.

- a. hasn't called b. has called c. didn't call

3. _____ to the circus?

- a. Were you ever b. Have you ever been c. Have you ever gone

4. It's the first time I _____ my passport!

- a. have missed b. have lost c. lost

(...../04 punti)

5. SIMPLE PAST o PAST CONTINUOUS? Scegli la LETTERA che corrisponde **alla coppia corretta (a, b oppure c)**:

1. While he _____ a shower the phone _____.

- a. had/was ringing b. was having/rang c. had/rang

2. When I _____ my boyfriend I _____ a language course.

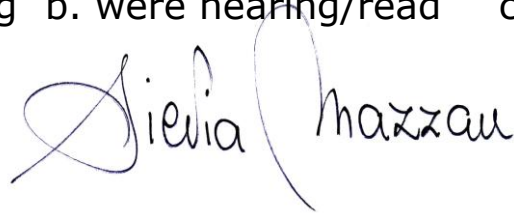
- a. met/was doing b. met/were doing c. was meeting/did

3. He _____ the net when there _____ a blackout.

- a. was surfing/were b. was surfing/was c. surfed/was

4. We _____ someone shouting while we _____ in the park.

- a. heard/were reading b. were hearing/read c. heard/read



(...../04 punti)