

John and Pete have both recently been burgled. Here are two conversations describing what happened to each of them. Separate them and put them in order.



Conversation 1

When John came home he found the burglars still in his house.

Alex: I hear you were burgled the other day, John. Did you see the burglars?

John: Yes, I did.

Alex: c

John: 1

Alex: 2

John: 3

Alex: 4

John: 5



Conversation 2

When Pete came home he found his house empty.

Lynn: I hear you were burgled the other day, Pete. Did you see the burglars?

Pete: No I didn't; I got home later.

Lynn: g

Pete: 6

Lynn: 7

Pete: 8

Lynn: 9

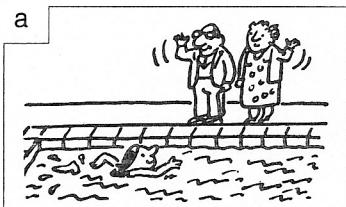
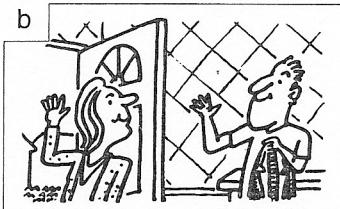
Pete: 10

- a) Yes, I did, and I found someone had been looking through my papers.
- b) Did you go up?
- c) How did you know there was someone there?
- d) Did you go up?
- e) Yes, when I looked through the bedroom window I saw someone taking my car.
- f) Well, they left footmarks on the carpet so I realised someone had been upstairs.
- g) How did you know someone had been there?
- h) How awful! Was there anyone else there?
- i) Yes, I did, and I found someone looking through my papers.
- j) Yes, when I looked through the bedroom window I saw someone had taken my car.
- k) Well, first of all, I heard a noise, and I realised there was someone upstairs.
- l) How awful! Had they done anything else?

A Match each sentence with the correct picture, **a** or **b**.



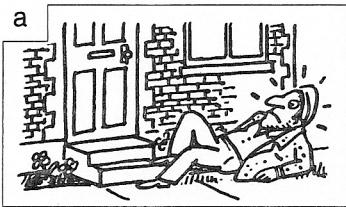
1 She left when he arrived.
2 She had left when he arrived.



3 She had been swimming when they saw her.
4 She was swimming when they saw her.



5 It had been raining when he went out.
6 It was raining when he went out.



7 Ray had an accident when he came home.
8 Ray had had an accident when he came home.



B Match each sentence with its correct meaning.

1 He had dinner when we arrived.

a) He was in the middle of dinner when we arrived.

2 He was having dinner when we arrived.

b) He finished dinner before we arrived.

3 He had had dinner when we arrived.

c) We arrived and then he started dinner.

C Decide which two of the sentences mean the same thing in each case.

1 a) He had finished work when I got there.
b) He finished work when I got there.
c) He finished work before I got there.

4 a) She spoke and then I sat down.
b) I sat down when she'd spoken.
c) I sat down when she spoke.

2 a) He had just had a bath when I called.
b) He was having a bath when I called.
c) He was in the bath when I called.

5 a) They had been arguing when I met them.
b) They were arguing when I met them.
c) I saw and heard them arguing.

3 a) She was ill when I last saw her.
b) I last saw her after her illness.
c) She had been ill when I last saw her.

6 a) He learnt to knit before he was seven.
b) He had learnt to knit before he was seven.
c) He had been learning to knit before he was seven.

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Conversation 1: 1 k 2 b/d 3 i 4 h 5 e
Conversation 2: 6 f 7 b/d 8 a 9 l 10 j

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A

1b 2a 3b 4a 5a 6b 7a 8b

B

1c 2a 3b

C

1a c 2b,c 3b,c 4a,b 5b,c 6a,b