

**A. VERBAL TENSES. Sentence transformations**

- 1 They came to work here five years ago (for)  
They.....
- 2 I started working for this company in 2010  
I \_\_\_\_\_ since....
- 3 When I was a child, it **was a habit** to visit my grandparents every weekend.  
When I was a child, I \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 I missed the bus so I was late for school.  
I was late for school because.....
- 5 When did you start learning English?  
How long .....?
- 6 I handed in my exam only a few minutes ago.  
(just).....
- 7 Adam read the book, then he fell asleep.  
Adam fell asleep after.....
- 8 The last time I saw Susan was at Christmas.  
I haven't .....
- 9 We arrived an hour after Dan, (wait for)  
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- 10 Mitch waited at the café for an hour. He left before Kelly arrived.  
Mitch left the café because.....
- 11 Kate started to play tennis in March. (since)  
Kate.....
- 12 Jane broke her leg once before. (second)  
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- 13 Tina forgot her glasses, so she couldn't watch the film.  
Tina couldn't watch the film .....
- 14 Tom saw "Gladiator" last week. He saw it again yesterday. (twice)  
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- 15 Will this be your first time on a cruise? (ever)  
.....?
- 16 Zoe bought the CD, then she realised it was the wrong one.  
Zoe realised the CD was the wrong one after.....
- 17 They started arguing two hours ago and they are still arguing (for)  
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- 18 I'm arriving home at 6 but my parents are leaving at 5pm.  
By the time I \_\_\_\_\_