

VERBS | Mixed past tense exercise 1

*Fill in each blank with the best response. The third choice **C** means that either **A** or **B** can be used depending on the situation:*

1. He _____ to her last night.
a) has talked b) talked c) either a or b

2. I _____ when you came in.
a) was sleeping b) slept c) either a or b

3. I _____ that movie.
a) have seen b) saw c) either a or b

4. I _____ feeling well.
a) haven't been b) hadn't been c) either a or b

5. I _____ living in Taipei for five years. (and I still live here)
a) have been living b) was living c) either a or b

6. My brother _____ in Dallas for five years.
a) lived b) was living c) either a or b

7. She _____ in Dallas when I met her.
a) has been living b) was living c) either a or b

8. He _____ her all day = He has called her many times during the day
a) has been calling b) was called c) either a or b

9. The witness was _____ to testify by the judge.
a) calling b) called c) either a or b

10. I don't understand why he _____ so strange recently.
a) has been acting b) did act c) either a or b

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ANSWERS:

1) b 2) a 3) c 4) c 5) a 6) c 7) b 8) a 9) b 10) a