### We use 'had' when we talk about yesterday (past).

#### For example:

- Bhola had a parrot last year, but it flew away.
  - The school had many outdoor games.
  - I had a little money.
  - Meenu had high fever.
  - Kamal had a beautiful pair of shoes. Has he lost them?
  - The school had a competition last Sunday.





#### Has/have/had are also used to show that an action has been completed.

#### For example

- He has finished his work.
- We have visited the temple in the morning.
- Mani has played cricket.
- George has gone to school.
- Puja had cooked the food yesterday.
- Suzane and Prateek have recited the poem.
- Adam had taken his breakfast.
- Kundan has prepared his lesson.

### Remember

We use 'have', 'has' to show that an action has been done recently. Example, Raju has sung a song a short while ago.

But when the action was done long before we use 'had.' Example, yesterday, day before yesterday and so on.

## A Fill in the blanks with 'has', 'have' and 'had'. One has been done for you.

- 1. Anil: Do you ...have.... a pen?

  Rekha: Sorry, I don't ...have.any.
- 2. Neelu: You ...had... a robot yesterday. Kanak: Yes, I ...have. it now also.
- 4. Leela ... two brothers.



- 5. This book ... has ... 50 pages.
- 6. Bani, Apreen and Sargun .. have. a test tomorrow.
- 7. Last Monday I ...had .. a competition in the school.
- 8. Girdhar ...had... a nice bungalow in Mumbai last year but he shifted to Delhi. Now he ....had... a mansion.
- 9. The file ....has... many pages.
- 10. Sheela .... has... long hair.
- 11. The cow has four legs.
- 12. The clock ... has two hands.



## B Fill in the blanks with 'has', 'have' and 'had'. One has been done for you.

- 1. Chetna ....has..... done her work now.
- 2. We ...hand. our computer class today.
- 3. We ...had... visited the temple last year.
- 4. Sanya and I ... Man Cooked the food today.
- 5. Last year we had purchased a car, but we have sold it.
- 6. My Grandpa ....................... visited Australia in 1999.
- 7. They ...have... taught many students today.
- 8. He ...ha.d... received many gifts from his friends this birthday.
- 9. Mehul ..... driven the car very fast.
  - 10. My mother ...... cooked very tasty food.





# Tick ( $\checkmark$ ) the correct word in the given sentences.

- The old man (was/were) very weak. 1.
- When I visited them, it (was/were) raining. 2.
- Leela (was/were) sick. So, her parents (was/were) worried about her. 3.
- All the animals (was/were) very happy when they saw uncle bear. 4.
- 5. The fat boy (was/were) lazy.
- That phone (was/were) purple in colour. 6.
- V7. The people (was/were) happy in the party.
  - Nikunj and Manas (was/were) very hardworking. 8.
  - The house (was/were) very beautiful. 9.
  - 10. Timmy (was/were) a very lovely puppy.



# Fill in the blanks with 'was', 'were'. One has been done for you.

- Sahil ...... was..... in a party with his friends.
- Gopi ...... a naughty boy in his childhood. 2.
- 3.
- The building ......... very huge. 4.
- The whole house .......... full of guests. 5.
- My father bought a book. It ................................ interesting. 6.
- The song they sang ... was ... nice. 7.
- 8. Mohan ate an apple, it ................................ sweet.
- - 10. I visited a village last year. People ..... very nice.



