

## The Past

Fill in each blank by putting the verb in (brackets) into the correct past tense.

1 I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) my first baseball game when I \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in New York.

2 How many pints of beer \_\_\_\_\_ (he/drink) before he \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) the pub?

3 It \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) so we \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) to stay at home all afternoon.

4 By the time I \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) university I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) to France fifteen times.

5 What \_\_\_\_\_ (you/do) at the time the murder was committed?

6 When we \_\_\_\_\_ (get) home we saw that someone \_\_\_\_\_ (break) in to steal the DVD recorder.

7 He \_\_\_\_\_ (send/passive) to prison four times before he \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) that it would be better to go straight.

8 I didn't realise I \_\_\_\_\_ (lose) my credit cards until I \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to pay for dinner at the restaurant.

9 I \_\_\_\_\_ (write) an email to my sister when she \_\_\_\_\_ (ring) me.

10 She was so upset by the news that she \_\_\_\_\_ (drop) her tea and \_\_\_\_\_ (start) crying.