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Sentence Match Quiz for Category: preterite_vs_imperfect_1

Mark the sentence that matches each item below.

1) Fue un escándalo.

- A: How was Rock and Roll born?
- B: It was a scandal.
- C: I mastered written and spoken English.
- D: The boys you were playing with are very nice.

2) María creía que yo la iba a ayudar a limpiar la casa.

- A: I called Oscar.
- B: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- C: He arrived a little late.
- D: I used to see him in the barbershop.

3) Mi madre murió el año pasado.

- A: I called Oscar.
- B: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- C: I arrived at about 3.
- D: My mother died last year.

4) La pista de aterrizaje estaba bien iluminada.

- A: The injured people were in such a serious condition that we had to take them to the hospital.
- B: The landing strip was very well illuminated.
- C: No, I told the waitress it was good.
- D: What a shame I didn't meet you sooner.

5) Él se perdió en el Museo.

- A: He got lost in the museum.
- B: I lost my checkbook.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: The nuclear plant remained closed for two months.

6) Yo llamé a Oscar.

- A: I lost the fork.
- B: I called Oscar.
- C: They said they didn't feel like playing soccer.
- D: The boys you were playing with are very nice.

7) Llegó un poco tarde.

- A: He arrived a little late.
- B: You had a car accident.
- C: Were you able to walk further last week?
- D: It was a scandal.

8) Al cabo de cinco minutos me acerqué.

- A: After five minutes, I got closer.
- B: How was Rock and Roll born?
- C: My mother died last year.
- D: It was needing a complete inspection.

9) Los niños con los que jugabas son muy simpáticos.

- A: The boys you were playing with are very nice.
- B: I mastered written and spoken English.
- C: I arrived at about 3.
- D: After five minutes, I got closer.

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10) Dominaba el inglés hablado y escrito.

- A: They said they didn't feel like playing soccer.
- B: My mother died last year.
- C: She used to have Grimm (fairytale) books.
- D: I mastered written and spoken English.

11) Usted tuvo un accidente automovilístico.

- A: What a shame I didn't meet you sooner.
- B: You had a car accident.
- C: My mother died last year.
- D: It was a scandal.

12) ¿Podía caminar más lejos la semana pasada?

- A: My mother died last year.
- B: Were you able to walk further last week?
- C: The landing strip was very well illuminated.
- D: It was a scandal.

13) Perdí mi chequera.

- A: I lost my checkbook.
- B: After five minutes, I got closer.
- C: How was Rock and Roll born?
- D: It was a scandal.

14) Quería hablar contigo.

- A: I wanted to speak with you.
- B: He arrived a little late.
- C: How was Rock and Roll born?
- D: I called Oscar.

15) Desde hacía más de un año esperaba a que la llamaran.

- A: It was a scandal.
- B: You had a car accident.
- C: For more than a year she waited for them to call her.
- D: The landing strip was very well illuminated.

16) Estaba delicioso.

- A: It was delicious.
- B: He got lost in the museum.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: No, I told the waitress it was good.

17) Dijeron que no tenían ganas de jugar fútbol.

- A: They said they didn't feel like playing soccer.
- B: I lost the fork.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: After five minutes, I got closer.

18) Necesitaba una revisión completa.

- A: It was needing a complete inspection.
- B: My mother died last year.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: The landing strip was very well illuminated.

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19) Qué pena que no te conocí antes.

- A: It was a scandal.
- B: What a shame I didn't meet you sooner.
- C: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- D: My mother died last year.

20) La central nuclear permaneció cerrada dos meses.

- A: After five minutes, I got closer.
- B: The nuclear plant remained closed for two months.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: It was needing a complete inspection.

21) Los heridos estaban en estado tan grave que tuvimos que trasladarlos al hospital.

- A: The injured people were in such a serious condition that we had to take them to the hospital.
- B: What a shame I didn't meet you sooner.
- C: The boys you were playing with are very nice.
- D: It was needing a complete inspection.

22) No, yo dije a la mesera que está bien.

- A: No, I told the waitress it was good.
- B: It was a scandal.
- C: Mexico, Argentina, Colombia, attracted me with their exoticism.
- D: It was needing a complete inspection.

23) El torero salió por la puerta principal.

- A: I called Oscar.
- B: It was delicious.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: The matador left through the main door.

24) Llegué más o menos a las tres.

- A: The nuclear plant remained closed for two months.
- B: I arrived at about 3.
- C: Were you able to walk further last week?
- D: It was a scandal.

25) ¿Cómo nació el Rock and Roll?

- A: I wanted to speak with you.
- B: It was delicious.
- C: How was Rock and Roll born?
- D: The landing strip was very well illuminated.

26) Tenía los libros de Grimm.

- A: She used to have Grimm (fairytale) books.
- B: It was a scandal.
- C: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- D: Were you able to walk further last week?

27) Ellos veían el lago.

- A: They were seeing the lake.
- B: It was a scandal.
- C: They said they didn't feel like playing soccer.
- D: My mother died last year.

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28) ¿Sabe usted en dónde empezó el fuego?

- A: It was a scandal.
- B: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- C: Do you know where the fire started?
- D: My mother died last year.

29) México, Argentina, Colombia, me atraían por su exotismo.

- A: Mexico, Argentina, Colombia, attracted me with their exoticism.
- B: It was a scandal.
- C: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.
- D: How was Rock and Roll born?

30) ¿Fueron ustedes a México?

- A: Did you all go to Mexico?
- B: After five minutes, I got closer.
- C: It was a scandal.
- D: María thought that I was going to help her clean the house.

31) Lo veía en la barbería.

- A: It was a scandal.
- B: The landing strip was very well illuminated.
- C: I used to see him in the barbershop.
- D: The boys you were playing with are very nice.

32) Perdí el tenedor.

- A: It was a scandal.
- B: I arrived at about 3.
- C: I lost the fork.
- D: No, I told the waitress it was good.

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Answer Key for Worksheet c60d1

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1 = B , 2 = B , 3 = D , 4 = B , 5 = A , 6 = B , 7 = A , 8 = A , 9 = A , 10 = D , 11 = B , 12 = B , 13 = A , 14 = A , 15 = C , 16 = A , 17 = A , 18 = A , 19 = B , 20 = B , 21 = A , 22 = A , 23 = D , 24 = B , 25 = C , 26 = A , 27 = A , 28 = C , 29 = A , 30 = A , 31 = C , 32 = C