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**Sentence Match Quiz for Category: preterite\_poder**

Mark the sentence that matches each item below.

**1) ¿Sabes si María pudo hacer las tareas esta tarde?**

- A: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- B: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- C: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.
- D: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?

**2) Nadie nos pudo ayudar. Nadie pudo ayudarnos.**

- A: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: Were you able to take them together?
- D: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.

**3) No pude acostarme a las nueve porque tenía muchas tareas que hacer.**

- A: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- B: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- C: Were you able to call him?
- D: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.

**4) Quiso abrir la puerta pero no pudo. Entonces decidió esperarme. Pero yo tampoco pude.**

- A: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- B: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- C: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- D: We couldn't find the airmail envelopes.

**5) ¿Pudiste encontrar a alguien que pudiera ayudarnos?**

- A: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- B: Could you help the boys?
- C: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- D: Marta could beat the record by swimming faster than ever.

**6) ¿Pudiste ayudar a los muchachos?**

- A: Were you able to drive it?
- B: Were you able to change the tire?
- C: Could you help the boys?
- D: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?

**7) Tuvimos mucho que hacer y no pudimos ir a la fiesta.**

- A: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- B: I told you that I couldn't reach it.
- C: We had lots to do and couldn't go to the party.
- D: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?

**8) No pude levantar mi maleta del suelo.**

- A: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- B: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.
- C: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

**9) ¿Pudieron ustedes hablar inglés cuando llegaron a Utah?**

- A: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- B: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: We couldn't sleep because the baby was crying.

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**10) Anoche no pude ir al gimnasio, estaba cansado.**

- A: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- B: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.
- C: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**11) ¿Pudiste tomarlos juntos?**

- A: We couldn't find the airmail envelopes.
- B: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- C: Were you able to take them together?
- D: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.

**12) Sí, traté de ir pero no pude porque mi carro no arrancó.**

- A: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- B: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: Were you able to drive it?

**13) Del viaje trajimos lo más que pudimos.**

- A: It was raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- B: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- C: From the trip we brought as much as we could.
- D: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?

**14) Por causa de la oscuridad, no pudieron jugar más.**

- A: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- B: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- C: Anna couldn't visit her grandmother last year.
- D: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.

**15) Marta pudo romper el récord nadando más rápido que nunca.**

- A: Marta could beat the record by swimming faster than ever.
- B: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- C: Were you able to drive it?
- D: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.

**16) No pudimos dormir porque el bebé estaba llorando.**

- A: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.
- B: We couldn't sleep because the baby was crying.
- C: Was one able to go by bus?
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

**17) ¿Lo pudiste manejar?**

- A: I was able to go to the pool.
- B: Were you able to drive it?
- C: She couldn't keep the party a secret.
- D: We couldn't sleep because the baby was crying.

**18) Pude ir a la piscina.**

- A: I was able to go to the pool.
- B: Were you able to change the tire?
- C: It was raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- D: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?

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**19) Te dije que no pude alcanzarlo.**

- A: We couldn't find the airmail envelopes.
- B: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- C: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- D: I told you that I couldn't reach it.

**20) Ana no pudo visitar a su abuela el año pasado.**

- A: We couldn't sleep because the baby was crying.
- B: Anna couldn't visit her grandmother last year.
- C: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- D: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?

**21) No cambié la llanta porque no pude encontrar el gato.**

- A: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.
- B: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- C: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

**22) No pudimos encontrar los sobres de correo aéreo.**

- A: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- D: We couldn't find the airmail envelopes.

**23) Ella no pudo mantener la fiesta en secreto.**

- A: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- B: She couldn't keep the party a secret.
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.

**24) ¿Se pudo ir en autobús?**

- A: Was one able to go by bus?
- B: Could you help the boys?
- C: We couldn't find the airmail envelopes.
- D: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.

**25) Olvidó el número de teléfono, de manera que no pudo llamar.**

- A: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- B: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- C: I couldn't help you this morning.
- D: Could you help the boys?

**26) ¿Pudiste llamarlo?**

- A: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.
- B: Anna couldn't visit her grandmother last year.
- C: Were you able to call him?
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

**27) ¿Pudiste resolver el problema?**

- A: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: Were you able to drive it?
- D: Were you able to solve the problem?

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**28) Yo no pude ayudarte esta mañana.**

- A: I couldn't help you this morning.
- B: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?
- C: Last night I couldn't go to the gym; I was tired.
- D: I told you that I couldn't reach it.

**29) ¿Pudiste cambiar la llanta?**

- A: Could you help the boys?
- B: Were you able to change the tire?
- C: Marta could beat the record by swimming faster than ever.
- D: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?

**30) ¡Qué lástima que ella no pudo venir!**

- A: What a shame that she could not come!
- B: Were you able to drive it?
- C: Were you able to take them together?
- D: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.

**31) Llovía, por eso no pudimos salir.**

- A: Were you able to take them together?
- B: It was raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- C: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- D: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.

**32) Me traumaticé y no pude dormir.**

- A: I was traumatized and I couldn't sleep.
- B: I couldn't go to bed at nine o'clock because I had a lot of homework to do.
- C: Were you able to solve the problem?
- D: Do you know if Mary was able to do the homework this afternoon?

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**Answer Key for Worksheet 4889e**

*Sentence Match Quiz starting on page 1*

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