

Reported Statements: Past Simple

1. "I went to the cinema yesterday."
She said _____
2. "Jane left the party early."
She told me _____
3. "I didn't go out at the weekend."
She said _____
4. "He didn't like chocolate as a child."
She said _____
5. "They visited Japan."
She said _____
6. "She didn't buy the dress."
He told me _____
7. "I travelled through India and Pakistan."
She told me _____
8. "He met his girlfriend in a café."
She said _____
9. "David didn't arrive until 10 o'clock."
She said _____
10. "We went to the park to have a picnic."
She told me _____

11. "We ate Chinese food, then we walked home."
She told me _____
12. "She forgot to bring the CDs."
He told me _____
13. "I didn't like the food in the restaurant."
She said _____
14. "He didn't take a shower."
She said _____
15. "I worked until six."
She said _____
16. "We went to Paris for the weekend."
She said _____
17. "The plane left at seven."
She said _____
18. "I came to London in 2004."
She said _____
19. "Lucy didn't go to university."
She told me _____
20. "John never studied German."
She said _____

Answers:

1. She said she had been / went to the cinema yesterday.
2. She told me Jane had left / left the party early.
3. She said she hadn't gone / didn't go out at the weekend.
4. She said he hadn't liked / didn't like chocolate as a child.
5. She said they had visited / visited Japan.
6. He told me she hadn't bought / didn't buy the dress.
7. She told me she had travelled / travelled through India and Pakistan.
8. She said he had met / met his girlfriend in a café.
9. She said David hadn't arrived / didn't arrive until 10 o'clock.
10. She told me they had gone / went to the park to have a picnic.
11. She told me they had eaten / ate Chinese food, then they walked home.
12. He told me she had forgotten / forgot to bring the CDs.
13. She said she hadn't liked / didn't like the food in the restaurant.
14. She said he hadn't taken / didn't take a shower.
15. She said she had worked / worked until six.
16. She said they had gone / went to Paris for the weekend.
17. She said the plane had left / left at seven.
18. She said she had come / came to London in 2004.
19. She told me Lucy hadn't gone / didn't go to university.
20. She said John had never studied / never studied German.