12A GRAMMAR past perfect

a Look at the pictures and complete the sentences. Use the simple past and past perfect.

1 When they *got* (get) to the station, the train *had already left* (already leave).
2 She _____ (be) very cold because she _____ (not take) her coat.
3 The printer _____ (not work) because he _____ (not turn it on).
4 I _____ (not take) a photo of the crocodile because I _____ (forget) to charge the battery.
5 They _____ (never fly) before, and they _____ (be) very nervous.
6 When he _____ (arrive) at the pool, he realized he _____ (not bring) his swimsuit.
7 She _____ (just have) dinner, so she _____ (not be) hungry.
8 She _____ (have to) pay again because she _____ (lose) her ticket.
9 The waitress _____ (run) after him because he _____ (not pay) the bill.
10 The fire engine _____ (arrive) after the fire _____ (go out).
11 They _____ (can) speak French because they _____ (learn) it in school.
12 She _____ (be) tired because she _____ (be) in line all night.

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b Cover the sentences. Look at the pictures and remember the sentences.

c Continue these sentences with the past perfect.

I didn't recognize him because…

My father was really angry because…

When I got to school today, I realized that…