Lesson 26 — Grammar Clinic: Past Perfect Review

Grammar clinic: Past perfect tense review
Laser B1+ SB p. 34 — Grammar clinic: Past perfect tense review: ex.1 ikki gap bo‘yicha T/F (I’d had lots of jobs / I had been doing things I didn’t like), ex.2 to‘g‘ri zamonni tanlash, ex.3 xatolarni tuzatish (bitta gap xatosiz), ex.4 past perfect simple yoki continuous (inkor ham bo‘lishi mumkin); Grammar database pp. 174–175; Solutions Upper-Intermediate p. 10 (Past perfect simple and continuous, stunt double matni, Learn this!); Workbook p. 26 ex.1–3

Class	Grade 10
Lesson type	Grammar
Aim	By the end of the lesson students can choose between the past perfect simple, the past perfect continuous and the past simple, and explain their choice (completed action before the main past time / continuing action / sequence of events).
Materials	Laser B1+ SB p. 34, Grammar database pp. 174–175; slides; vocabulary sheet (29 items) and flashcards with audio (sozlar.com/vocab) — handed out only AFTER the book tasks are checked (the cards contain the book answers); Workbook p. 26.
New items	29 words and phrases

Learning outcomes

• decide if four statements about two past perfect sentences are true or false (ex. 1)

• choose the correct tense in five sentences (ex. 2)

• correct three mistakes and find the correct sentence (ex. 3)

• complete six sentences with the past perfect simple or continuous, including negatives (ex. 4)

Stage by stage (45 minutes)

Min	Stage	Teacher	Students
3	**Lead-in**	Board: When I got to the station, the train left / had left. Ask: Did I see the train? Vocabulary sheet and flashcards stay closed.	Explain the difference; say what they had done by 8 o’clock this morning.
3	**Form table**	Form table slide only (+, −, ?, time words). Do not show the focus or the vocabulary slides yet.	Copy the form table.
10	**Book p.34 ex.1–3 (test)**	Book tasks slide. ex.1 in pairs, ex.2 and ex.3 alone. Books open, word list closed; the Grammar database is for checking.	Decide T/F, circle the tense, correct the mistakes.
6	**Book p.34 ex.4**	Students complete the six sentences on their own; remind them that a negative may be needed.	Complete the six gaps.
7	**Check and teach**	Answer key slide: students say WHY (completed / continuing / sequence / first time / never). Then the focus slide and card sections A–C as consolidation; hand out the vocabulary sheet now.	Check, correct their answers and justify each form.
5	**Matching halves**	Practice slide orally (1 min), then the match-halves worksheet (groups A and B).	Match the halves, read the sentences aloud, name the tense.
5	**Speaking — why were you tired?**	Pairs: three things they had done by the time they got to school; then explain feelings with had been + -ing.	Ask and answer; two pairs report to the class.

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4	**Reading — The day Sardor got the job**	Students read (or listen to) the short text on the lesson page and answer the five questions.	Underline the past perfect forms and answer.
2	**Wrap-up and homework**	Memory check slide; correct ‘He had never been working from home’; set homework.	Complete the sentences orally and write down the homework.

Form — past perfect simple and continuous

	PAST PERFECT SIMPLE	PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS
+	I/you/he/she/we/they **had** (’d) worked	I/you/he/she/we/they **had been** working
–	I **hadn’t** worked · she **hadn’t** finished	I **hadn’t been** working · she **hadn’t been** sleeping
?	**Had** you worked …? · **How many** … **had** she …?	**Had** you **been** working …? · **How long had** she **been** …?
time	by the time, before, after, already, as soon as, It was the first time …	for, since, all day, all morning, for months

With **after** or **before** the past simple is often possible too: *I ate my lunch after my friend left / had left* (Grammar database p. 175).

If you are running late (skip in this order)

Bu bosqichlar darsning maqsadiga ta’sir qilmaydi — vaqt yetmasa, shu tartibda tashlab keting.

1. «The day Sardor got the job» matni — vaqt yetmasa uyga o‘qish va tinglash (~4 daq.).
2. Talaffuz slaydi (yangi so‘zlar + weak forms) (~2 daq.).
3. «Memory check» slaydi (~2 daq.).

Questions to ask

• What is the difference between When I arrived, the train left and When I arrived, the train had left?

• Which tense follows It was the first time …?

• Why is He had never been working from home wrong?

• What does The boss phoned before I had finished the letter mean?

Anticipated problems and solutions

• ‘By the time Claire retired, she worked there for 20 years.’ — a continuing action up to a past time: she had been working there.

• ‘He had never been working from home.’ — never is not used with the continuous: he had never worked.

• ‘Before I hadn’t had a chance …’ — no negative after before: before I had had a chance.

• ‘Dad had been driven all day.’ — continuous = had been + -ing: had been driving.

• Using the past perfect for every past action — for a simple sequence (worked … and then decided) the past simple is enough.

Fast finishers / weaker students

Fast finishers write a short story (six sentences) that begins ‘By the time I got to school yesterday, …’ with three simple and three continuous forms; weaker students do ex.2 and ex.4 with the form table on the board and the first word of each ex.4 answer.

Homework

• Laser B1+ Workbook p. 26, ex. 1–3.

• Learn the 29 items with the flashcards: sozlar.com/vocab/cards/?set=grade10-lesson26

• Write six sentences about a busy day you had: three with had + past participle and three with had been + -ing.

Reading text — The day Sardor got the job

Last spring my cousin Sardor finally **found a job** at a hotel in Samarkand. He had been looking for work for almost a year, and he had **sent in** more than forty **CVs**. By the time the hotel phoned him, he had almost given up.

On the day of the **job interview** he arrived early, but **the owner** had been talking on the phone all morning, so Sardor waited for an hour. He was nervous: it was the first time he had ever had a real interview.

Luckily, he had prepared well. He had read everything about the hotel, he had done a short **training course**, and he had been practising his English with me for weeks. When **the owner** offered him the job, Sardor couldn't believe it. That evening his face hurt, because he had been smiling all day!

Reading questions — answer key

1. For almost a year.; 2. He had almost given up.; 3. Because the owner had been talking on the phone all morning.; 4. After 'It was the first time' we use the past perfect simple, and ever is not used with the continuous.; 5. Because he had been smiling all day.

Book task — answer key

Ex.1: 1 T, T · 2 T, F.

Ex.2: 1 had been working · 2 had called · 3 had worked · 4 had finished (= the letter wasn't finished yet) · 5 decided.

Ex.3: 1 correct · 2 had never worked · 3 before I had had / before I had a chance · 4 had been driving.

Ex.4: 1 had (ever) worked · 2 had already written · 3 had been waiting · 4 had been having (had had) · 5 had worked · 6 had been trying.

Word list (quick reference)

find a job — ish topmoq

a CV — rezyume (tarjimai hol)

a full-time job — to'liq kunlik ish (to'liq stavka)

a fireman — o't o'chiruvchi

a colleague — hamkasb

be responsible for — …uchun javobgar bo'lmoq

be fed up with — …dan bezor bo'lmoq

a fighter pilot — qiruvchi samolyot uchuvchisi

an action film — jangari film

win an award — mukofot olmoq (sovrin yutmoq)

a part-time job — yarim kunlik ish (to'liq bo'lmagan stavka)

send in — (ariza, hujjatni) yubormoq, topshirmoq

a training course — o'quv kursi (malaka oshirish)

write a report — hisobot yozmoq

quit your job — ishdan bo'shamoq (o'z xohishi bilan)

a deadline — oxirgi muddat (topshirish muddati)

a stunt double — kaskadyor (aktyor o'rniga xavfli sahnalarni ijro etuvchi)

an extra — ommaviy sahna aktyori (statist)

a director — rejissyor

rehearse — repetitsiya qilmoq, (chiqishni) mashq qilmoq

a job advert — ish (vakansiya) e'loni

a job interview — ishga qabul suhbati (intervyu)

the boss — boshliq, rahbar

have problems with — … bilan muammosi bo'lmoq

be in charge of — …ga boshchilik qilmoq, …ga mas'ul bo'lmoq

the owner — ega, xo'jayin (do'kon, firma egasi)

on set — suratga olish maydonchasida

a role — rol (filmda, spektaklda)

take off — (martabasi, ishi) birdan yuksalib ketmoq