

## Unexpected situation 1 - A bad grade

### I. Read the testimony and answer the questions.



#### TONY'S TESTIMONY

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1. **What** happened? \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Where** was it? \_\_\_\_\_ 3. **When** was it? \_\_\_\_\_
4. **Who** were involved? \_\_\_\_\_
5. **How** did he feel? \_\_\_\_\_

### II. Match the questions with the answer to help you understand what happened.

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| 1. Was the test difficult?             | A. ( ) He said I should try harder next time. |
| 2. What did your teacher say?          | B. ( ) I will study more for the next test.   |
| 3. How will your parents feel?         | C. ( ) Yes, because I didn't study.           |
| 4. What will you do for the next test? | D. ( ) My parents will be very upset.         |
| 5. Did you fail another test?          | E. ( ) No, only the History test.             |

### III. Rewrite the sentences in indirect speech. Look at the examples.

#### Direct Speech Past Tense

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He said, "I **didn't study** for my History test".

1. He said, "I felt very disappointed".
2. He said, "My teacher was surprised".
3. My teacher said, "I should try harder next time".

#### Indirect Speech

**Past perfect** (had + past participle of the verb)

He said **he had gotten** a bad grade.  
He said **he hadn't studied** for **his** History test.

1. He said he \_\_\_\_\_ felt very \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ teacher \_\_\_\_\_ been \_\_\_\_\_.
3. My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ should\* \_\_\_\_\_ harder next time.

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