

Mr. Bean Rides Again

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■ Read the summary below and change the verbs to Simple Past Tense.



Last year, Mr. Bean went on quite an interesting journey. First, he wrote a letter to his cousin in Liverpool to let him know he was coming to visit. He left his house early one morning to mail the letter. However, because his car didn't start, he **1 (have)** _____ to walk to a bus stop to wait for a bus. He **2 (see)** _____ that another man was also waiting for the bus. After a short while, the man **3 (fall)** _____ down because he **4 (have)** _____ a heart attack and Mr. Bean



5 (do) _____ many things to try to save him. Finally, an ambulance **6 (arrive)** _____, Mr. Bean **7 (fix)** _____ his car and he **8 (drive)** _____ away.



After he arrived at the post box, he discovered that he **9 (do not / have)** _____ a stamp. What **10 (do)** _____ Mr. Bean do? He **11 (take)** _____ the stamp off another person's letter and **12 (put)** _____ it on his own letter! Mr. Bean **13 (think)** _____ he **14 (be)** _____ smart, but he **15 (be / lock)** _____ in the post box for a long time, and then he **16 (lose)** _____ his car key.



After he got home, he packed his suitcase. It **17 (be)** _____ a very small suitcase, so he **18 (can not / put)** _____ many things in it. He even **19 (break)** _____ his toothbrush to make it fit! When he **20 (finish)** _____ packing, he **21 (discover)** _____ that he already **22 (have)** _____ a much larger suitcase.



Later, he got on a train to get to the airport. He decided to relax and read a book, but the man across from him was also reading a book and the man **23 (begin)** _____ to laugh very loudly. This **24 (annoy)** _____ Mr. Bean very much, so he **25 (put)** _____ many things in his ears.



Finally, Mr. Bean arrived at the airport and got on the plane. He sat in a window seat and next to him in the aisle seat there **26 (be)** _____ a small boy. After he accidentally **27 (hit)** _____ the flight attendant, she **28 (ask)** _____ Mr. Bean to ***keep an eye on** the boy because he was traveling alone. Mr. Bean **29 (try)** _____ to make the boy happy, but in the end Mr. Bean's bad luck **30 (continue)** _____.



Although a lot of bad things happened on his journey, Mr. Bean still had a good time.

***keep an eye on** = watch carefully

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ANSWERS

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| 1. had | 11. took | 21. discovered |
| 2. saw | 12. put | 22. had |
| 3. fell | 13. thought | 23. began |
| 4. had | 14. was | 24. annoyed |
| 5. did | 15. was locked | 25. put |
| 6. arrived | 16. lost | 26. was |
| 7. fixed | 17. was | 27. hit |
| 8. drove | 18. couldn't put | 28. asked |
| 9. didn't have | 19. broke | 29. tried |
| 10. did | 20. finished | 30. continued |