7.7. Past Perfect Tense

PAST PERFECT TENSE

पहचान—

जिस वाक्य के अंत में चुका था, चुके थे, चुकी थी अथवा या था, ये थे, ई थी आए, वह वाक्य Past Perfect Tense का वाक्य कहलाता है; जैसे— राम के आने से पहले मैं स्कूल जा चुका था।

A. POSITIVE FORMS

I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it had gone

साधारण वाक्यों (Affirmative Sentences) के लिए Sentence Structure :

Subject + had + Verb III + Object

Past Perfect Tense के वाक्यों में Helping Verb 'had' के साथ Verb की Third Form का प्रयोग किया जाता है; जैसे—

(a) राम के आने से पहले मैं स्कूल जा चुका था।

I had gone to school before Ram came.

(b) राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल जा चुका था।

He had gone to school before Ram came.

(c) राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल जा चुकी थी।

She had gone to school before Ram came.

(d) राम के आने से पहले हम स्कूल जा चुके थे।

We had gone to school before Ram came.

(e) राम के आने से पहले तुम स्कूल जा चुके थे।

You had gone to school before Ram came.

(f) राम के आने पहले वे स्कूल जा चुके थे।

They had gone to school before Ram came.

B. NEGATIVE FORMS

I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it had not gone
OR
I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it hadn't gone

नकारात्मक वाक्यों (Negative Sentences) के लिए Sentence Structure :

Subject + had + not + Verb III + Object

जैसे—

(a) राम के आने से पहले मैं स्कूल नहीं जा चुका था।

I had not gone to school before Ram came.

(b) राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल नहीं जा चुका था।
He had not gone to school before Ram came.

(c) राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल नहीं जा चुकी थी।
She had not gone to school before Ram came.

(d) राम के आने से पहले हम स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे।
We had not gone to school before Ram came.

(e) राम के आने से पहले तुम स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे।
You had not gone to school before Ram came.

(f) राम के आने पहले वे स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे।
They had not gone to school before Ram came.

C. INTERROGATIVE FORMS

Had I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it gone?

प्रश्नवाचक वाक्यों (Interrogative Sentences) के लिए Sentence Structure :

Had + Subject + Verb III + Object + before + Past Indefinite?

जैसे—

(a) क्या राम के आने से पहले मैं स्कूल जा चुका था?
Had I gone to school before Ram came?

(b) क्या राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल जा चुका था?
Had he gone to school before Ram came?

(c) क्या राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल जा चुकी थी?
Had she gone to school before Ram came?

(d) क्या राम के आने से पहले हम स्कूल जा चुके थे?
Had we gone to school before Ram came?

(e) क्या राम के आने से पहले तुम स्कूल जा चुके थे?
Had you gone to school before Ram came?

(f) क्या राम के आने पहले वे स्कूल जा चुके थे?
Had they gone to school before Ram came?

D. INTERROGATIVE NEGATIVE FORMS

Had I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it not gone?
OR
Hadn't I/ we/ you/ he/ she/ they/ it gone?

नकारात्मक प्रश्नवाचक वाक्यों (Interrogative Negative Sentences) के लिए Sentence Structure :

Had + Subject + not + Verb III + Object + before + Past Indefinite ?

जैसे—

(a) क्या राम के आने से पहले मैं स्कूल नहीं जा चुका था?
Had I not gone to school before Ram came?

(b) क्या राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल नहीं जा चुका था?
Had he not gone to school before Ram came?

(c) क्या राम के आने से पहले वह स्कूल नहीं जा चुकी थी?
Had she not gone to school before Ram came?

(d) क्या राम के आने से पहले हम स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे?
Had we not gone to school before Ram came?

(e) क्या राम के आने से पहले तुम स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे?

Had you not gone to school before Ram came?

(f) क्या राम के आने पहले वे स्कूल नहीं जा चुके थे?

Had they not gone to school before Ram came?

E. USES ▬

Past Perfect Tense का प्रयोग

(i) TWO ACTIONS

Past Perfect Tense का प्रयोग प्रायः ऐसे कार्यों के लिए किया जाता है जो भूतकाल में पूर्ण हो गए थे। सामान्यतया भूतकाल में जब दो कार्य एक के बाद दूसरा पूर्ण हो गया हो, तो पहले पूर्ण कार्य के लिए Past Perfect Tense और दूसरे पूर्ण कार्य के लिए Past Indefinite Tense का प्रयोग किया जाता है; जैसे—

1. BEFORE

1.1 Sentence Structure :

Subject + had + Verb III + Object + before + Past Indefinite

(a) I had written the letter before he arrived.

(b) The students had left the class before he reached college.

1.2 Sentence Structure :

Before + Subject + had + Verb III + Object + Past Indefinite

(a) Before we had finished our meal he ordered us back to work.

(b) Before we had walked ten miles he complained of sore feet.

2. WHEN

Sentence Structure :

When + Subject + had + Verb III + Object + Past Indefinite

(a) When she had shut the window we opened the door of the cage.

(b) When we had locked all the rooms we left the house.

3. AFTER

Sentence Structure :

Past Indefinite+ after + Subject + had + Verb III + Object

(a) He reached the station, after the train had arrived.

(b) They ran out to play after they had completed their class work.

4. AS

Sentence Structure :

As + Subject + had + Verb III + Object + Past Indefinite

As she had completed her study, she went to the college.

5. AS SOON AS

Sentence Structure :

As soon as + Subject + had + Verb III + Object + Past Indefinite

As soon as they had finished their class work they ran out to play.

6. TILL/ UNTIL

Sentence Structure :

Past Indefinite + till/until + Subject + had + Verb III + Object

(a) He refused to go to school till he had seen all pictures.

(b) He did not wait till I had finished my work.

(ii) ONE ACTION

Past Perfect का प्रयोग दो भूतकाल की घटनाओं में ही हो ऐसा नहीं है। यह Past Perfect का सामान्य प्रयोग है। अतः ध्यान रखें Past Perfect का प्रयोग ऐसे वाक्यों में भी होता है जिनके दो भाग नहीं होते; जैसे—

(a) He had already informed me.
(b) I had never been to Delhi before.
(c) She had not told me about you before.
(d) Had Ram written a book?

(iii) EXPECT, HOPE etc.

Past Perfect का प्रयोग Expect, hope, intend, mean, suppose, think तथा want आदि क्रियाओं के साथ ऐसी **Past** इच्छाओं, आशाओं और कल्पनाओं के बारे में किया जाता है जो पूर्ण नहीं हुईं; जैसे—

(a) I had hoped that you would get here. (but you did not get)
(b) I had intended to go to USA last year. (but I couldn't go)

(iv) UNFULFILLED WISH

Past की unfulfilled wish, condition और desire आदि को प्रकट करने के लिए **I wish, if, as if** तथा **as though** के साथ Past Perfect Tense का प्रयोग किया जाता है। इस तरह के वाक्य स्पष्ट करते हैं कि कार्य हुआ नहीं; जैसे—

(a) I wish I had passed in the first division.
(b) I wish he had seen me earlier.

(v) CONDITIONAL SENTENCES

Sentence Structure :

If + Subject + had + Verb III + … + would have + Verb III + ….

निम्न प्रकार के Conditional Sentences में भी Past Perfect का प्रयोग किया जाता है; जैसे—

(a) If I had come on time, I would have caught the train.
(b) If he had informed me, I would have gone there positively.

इस तरह के वाक्य भी स्पष्ट करते हैं कि कार्य नहीं हुआ।

नोट:— उपरोक्त वाक्यों को इस तरह से भी लिखा जा सकता है-

(a) Had I come on time, I would have caught the train.
(b) Had he informed me, I would have gone there positively.

(vi) SINCE / FOR

Past Perfect का प्रयोग ऐसे actions के लिए since/ for के साथ किया जा सकता है जो वक्ता के बोलते समय से पहले भूतकाल में शुरू हो चुके थे; जैसे—

Ram had been a soldier since he was eighteen.

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