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**Sentence Match Quiz for Category: preterite\_poder**

Mark the sentence that matches each item below.

**1) Por causa de la oscuridad, no pudieron jugar más.**

- A: Were you able to solve the problem?
- B: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- C: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**2) No pude ver la película porque tuve que acostarme temprano.**

- A: We could not speak English but now we can.
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Were you able to drive it?

**3) ¿Pudiste tomarlos juntos?**

- A: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- B: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.
- C: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**4) ¿Pudiste sacar las otras tuercas?**

- A: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- B: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- C: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.
- D: We were not able to bring them.

**5) Olvidó el número de teléfono, de manera que no pudo llamar.**

- A: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- B: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- C: I couldn't see the face of the thief.
- D: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.

**6) ¿Pudieron ustedes hablar inglés cuando llegaron a Utah?**

- A: I couldn't dial his phone.
- B: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.

**7) Juan encontró a alguien que nos pudo ayudar. / Juan encontró a alguien que pudo ayudarnos.**

- A: John found someone who was able to help us.
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: I saw Luis but I couldn't speak with him.
- D: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.

**8) El paró de trabajar en la fábrica a las cinco, así que pudimos hablar con él.**

- A: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.
- B: Were you able to take them together?
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Were you able to drive it?

**9) No pudimos hablar inglés pero ahora sí podemos.**

- A: We could not speak English but now we can.
- B: It's raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

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**10) ¿Lo pudiste manejar?**

- A: John found someone who was able to help us.
- B: No, I was not able to change it.
- C: Were you able to drive it?
- D: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.

**11) Nadie nos pudo ayudar. Nadie pudo ayudarnos.**

- A: I don't know if Mary was able to go to the store yesterday.
- B: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.
- C: John found someone who was able to help us.
- D: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.

**12) No pude levantar mi maleta del suelo.**

- A: I couldn't see the face of the thief.
- B: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.

**13) Vi a Luis pero no pude hablar con él.**

- A: I saw Luis but I couldn't speak with him.
- B: I couldn't dial his phone.
- C: Were you able to drive it?
- D: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.

**14) Yo no fui a la tienda ayer porque yo no pude.**

- A: I didn't go to the store yesterday because I couldn't.
- B: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- C: He forgot the telephone number so he couldn't call.
- D: I don't know if Mary was able to go to the store yesterday.

**15) Nosotros no los pudimos traer.**

- A: Were you able to take them together?
- B: We were not able to bring them.
- C: I saw Luis but I couldn't speak with him.
- D: No, I was not able to change it.

**16) ¿Pudiste ayudar a Juan?**

- A: Were you able to help John?
- B: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: Were you able to solve the problem?

**17) Yo no sé si María pudo ir a la tienda ayer.**

- A: Could you help the boys?
- B: I don't know if Mary was able to go to the store yesterday.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**18) Llueve, por eso no pudimos salir.**

- A: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.
- B: It's raining, therefore we couldn't go out.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.

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**19) ¿Pudiste encontrar a alguien que pudiera ayudarnos?**

- A: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.
- B: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: Nobody was able to help us. Nobody could help us.

**20) Pablo no pudo situar Noruega en el mapa.**

- A: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- B: I couldn't see the face of the thief.
- C: Were you able to solve the problem?
- D: Were you able to take off the other nuts?

**21) No pude verle la cara al ladrón.**

- A: Were you able to take them together?
- B: I couldn't see the face of the thief.
- C: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- D: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.

**22) ¿Pudiste resolver el problema?**

- A: Were you able to help John?
- B: Were you able to solve the problem?
- C: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?
- D: I couldn't lift my suitcase from the floor.

**23) ¿Pudiste ayudar a los muchachos?**

- A: I didn't go to the store yesterday because I couldn't.
- B: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- C: Could you help the boys?
- D: Were you able to find anyone who could help us?

**24) No pude ver el último episodio porque estaba trabajando.**

- A: Were you able to solve the problem?
- B: I couldn't see the last episode because I was working.
- C: Were you able to help John?
- D: I don't know if Mary was able to go to the store yesterday.

**25) No, no pude cambiárselo.**

- A: I don't know if Mary was able to go to the store yesterday.
- B: No, I was not able to change it.
- C: What a shame that she could not come!
- D: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.

**26) Quiso abrir la puerta pero no pudo. Entonces decidió esperarme. Pero yo tampoco pude.**

- A: He tried to open the door but he couldn't. So, he decided to wait for me. But I couldn't either.
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: I saw Luis but I couldn't speak with him.
- D: It's raining, therefore we couldn't go out.

**27) ¡Qué lástima que ella no pudo venir!**

- A: What a shame that she could not come!
- B: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- C: We could not speak English but now we can.
- D: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.

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**28) No se pudo nadar en esta playa por muchos meses.**

- A: We were not able to bring them.
- B: Swimming was not allowed on this beach for many months.
- C: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**29) No cambié la llanta porque no pude encontrar el gato.**

- A: I didn't change the tire because I couldn't find the jack.
- B: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- C: Were you able to take off the other nuts?
- D: Could you speak English when you arrived in Utah?

**30) No pude marcar su teléfono.**

- A: I couldn't dial his phone.
- B: He stopped working at the factory at 5:00 o'clock so we were able to talk to him.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Were you able to help John?

**31) Sí, traté de ir pero no pude porque mi carro no arrancó.**

- A: Yes, I tried to go but I couldn't because my car did not start.
- B: Pablo couldn't find Norway on the map.
- C: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- D: Were you able to take them together?

**32) Ana no pudo visitar a su abuela el año pasado.**

- A: Anna couldn't visit her grandmother last year.
- B: I wasn't able to see the movie because I had to go to bed early.
- C: They couldn't play more because of the darkness.
- D: Were you able the solve the problem?

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**Answer Key for Worksheet 8117**

*Sentence Match Quiz starting on page 1*

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