

# Gap Fills Exercise

Fill in the blanks.

1. I told him ..... be late.

to not

not to

2. The teacher asked us ..... our assignments.

that we submit

to submit

3. She asked me if I ..... her before.

saw

have seen

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had seen

4. He told us ..... on time.

that be

to be

5. He told me ..... for him.

to wait

wait

waiting

6. The teacher asked if I .....  
the answer.

know

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knew

had known

7. I asked the manager if I .....  
leave early.

can

could

8. They asked me .....  
interested in the offer.

if was I

if I was

9. I told him ..... not coming.

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that I was

that I am

10. She said that no one  
..... forward to help her.

came

had come

has come

11. He asked me what I .....  
do if I lost my job.

will

would

can

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12. They encouraged her .....  
another attempt.

make

to make

making

## Answers

1. I told him not to be late.
2. The teacher asked us to submit our assignments.
3. She asked me if I had seen her before.
4. He told us to be on time.
5. He told me to wait for him.
6. The teacher asked if I knew the answer.
7. I asked the manager if I could leave early.
8. They asked me if I was interested in the offer.

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9. I told him that I was not coming.

10. She said that no one had come forward to help her.

11. He asked me what I would do if I lost my job.

12. They encouraged her to make another attempt.