



TIME SEQUENCE. PRACTICE

Study this example.

FIRST - Andrew dated a lot of girls	THEN - Andrew met the girl of his dreams and married her
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- **After:** After dating a lot of girls, Andrew met the girl of his dreams and married her.
- **After:** After Andrew had dated a lot of girls, he met the girl of his dreams and married her.
- **Before:** Before meeting the girl of his dreams and marrying her, he had dated a lot of girls.
- **Before:** Before Andrew met the girl of his dreams and marrying her, he had dated a lot of girls

◆ **After and before**

- After, before + Ving .- “ After having lunch I took a nap” “ Before taking a nap I had lunch”
- After, before + Clause.- “After I had had lunch, I took a nap; Before I took a nap I had had lunch”
- After, before + noun; “ After lunch, I took a nap” Before the nap I had had lunch”

More practice:

1.- First, Matt found a job; some time later he bought a brand new car

- (After)
- (After)
- (Before)
- (Before)

2.- Last night I did my homework, and as soon as I finished I went to bed

- (After)
- (After)
- (Before)
- (Before)

3.- We met all at the bus stop and then we went downtown.

- (After)
- (After)
- (Before)
- (Before)
- Once
- As soon as

4.- Mark and Anna fell out and right away they broke up

- (After)
- (After)
- (Before)
- (Before)
- Once
- As soon as