



Past Simple with C, W or X

Fill in the blanks with the correct past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

1. The smugglers _____ (traffic) illegal goods across the border.
2. He _____ (borrow) a book from the library last week.
3. The neighboring country _____ (annex) a small territory.
4. She _____ (coax) the cat out from under the bed.
5. Sarah _____ (mimic) her friend's funny accent.
6. The workers _____ (wax) the car to give it a shiny finish.
7. The handyman _____ (fix) the broken shelf in the garage.
8. She _____ (chew) gum while studying for the exam.
9. The parents _____ (allow) their children to stay up late for the party.
10. The homeowners _____ (panic) when they couldn't find their keys.

Answers

1. trafficked
2. borrowed
3. annexed
4. coaxed
5. mimicked
6. waxed
7. fixed
8. chewed
9. allowed
10. panicked