

Participles Worksheet 1

Join each of the following pairs of sentences using present participles, past participles or perfect participles.

1. I offered to pay his fare. I knew that he was poor.
2. He found no one at home. He left the house in a bad temper.
3. She hoped to find the will. She searched everywhere.
4. He realized that he had missed the last train. He began to walk.
5. He threw himself on the bed. He was exhausted by his work.
6. She entered the room suddenly. She found them smoking.
7. I turned on the lights. I was astonished at what I saw.
8. He offered to show us the way home. He thought we were lost.
9. The tree fell across the road. It had been uprooted by the storm.
10. We were soaked to the skin. We eventually reached the station.
11. One evening you will be sitting by the fire. You will remember this day.
12. I had heard the caves were dangerous. I didn't like to go any further without a light.