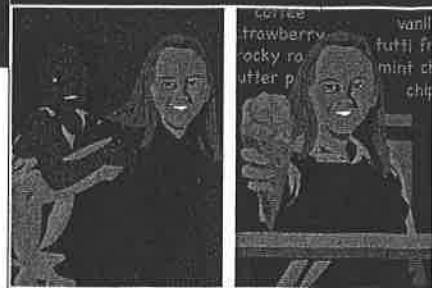


▶ Say it: pre • vi • ous • ly **74** Write it: _____

Academic Vocabulary Toolkit

Meaning	Example
at an earlier time <i>Synonym:</i> before	Amy previously worked as a _____; now she works in an _____ shop.



Family

- *Adjective:* previous

Word Partners

- _____ described Reporters **previously** described the crime as an accident, but it turned out to be intentional.
- _____ mentioned As I **previously** mentioned in my blog entry, I'd love to see everyone at my birthday party this weekend.
- _____ worked Only people who have **previously** worked as technicians will be considered for the job.

Verbal Practice

Talk about It Read each sentence and think about how you would complete it.
Discuss your idea with your partner using the sentence frame.
Listen carefully to your partner's and classmates' ideas.
Write your favorite idea in the blank.

- 1 You **previously** mentioned where the best place to buy _____ is, but I've forgotten.
- 2 My friend tried to introduce me to _____, but we had **previously** met.

Writing Practice

Collaborate Work with your partner to complete the sentence using **previously** and appropriate content.

One way to remember where you _____ stopped reading in a book is to _____.

Your Turn Work independently to complete the sentence using **previously** and appropriate content.

_____ on the TV show _____, two of the main characters _____.

Be an Academic Author Work independently to write two sentences. In your first sentence, use **previously** with the word partner *previously mentioned*. In your second sentence, use **previously** with the word partner *previously worked*.

① _____

② _____

grammar tip
Many adverbs go after the main verb, but some come before.
Do you remember the store I **previously mentioned**?
She **really** likes dogs.

Write an Academic Paragraph Complete the paragraph using **previously** and original content.

Commercial airline travel has evolved considerably over the last few decades. _____¹, it took days, weeks, or even months for travelers to reach far-off _____². But with the invention of _____³, travelers can now cross oceans and _____⁴ distances in a matter of hours. The first commercial flights were offered in the early 1900s, but the first transatlantic flights weren't _____⁵ until 1945. Back then, a flight from Boston to London _____⁶ more than 15 hours, while today it takes a little more than six! Airline travel was _____⁷ considered a luxury, but now it is a quick, affordable travel option for most people. Each year, there are over 600 million _____⁸ who fly on commercial airlines in the United States.