

INAPPROPRIATE VERB TENSE SHIFTS

Look at the sentences below. Underline the inappropriate shifts in the verb tense. Provide the correct answer in the space given.

1 My brother broke his leg while he skis last winter.

2 We are going to the beach next week, and we swam in the ocean.

3 Maria was sleeping when her alarm rings.

4 They ate lunch at the cafeteria before they go to the museum.

5 He is reading a book when the phone rang .

6 He runs five miles every day, but yesterday he runs ten miles.

7 We are going to Japan last year. It was the best vacation ever.

