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Write the word **saw** or **seen** on each blank line to correctly complete the sentences.

1. I _____ many colorful birds at the park yesterday.
2. Kara has never _____ the waterfall in the creek.
3. Have you _____ my car keys?



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7. We have _____ many kittens at the animal shelter.
8. Peter, Isla, and Abby _____ Mrs. McMurray shopping at the store.
9. My dog had _____ the squirrel that scurried across the front yard.
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ANSWER KEY

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