

Past Simple & Past Continuous; Used to & Would

A Circle the correct words.

- 1 We were travelling through India when the monsoon started / was starting.
- 2 My grandfather would / used to love reading about different cultures.
- 3 I was searching / searched for the passports, and Mary was counting our foreign currency.
- 4 They would go / were going snowboarding every winter.
- 5 Do you know who built / was building the Taj Mahal?
- 6 We got off the plane, we were collecting / collected our luggage and we left the airport.
- 7 Claire stayed / was staying in a hotel at the time of the earthquake.
- 8 I was watching / used to watch documentaries about ancient civilisations when I was young.

B Complete the sentences by writing one word in each gap.

- 1 Where did you _____ to go on holiday as a child?
- 2 Every night, the campers _____ light a fire on the beach.
- 3 When Lucy started her career as a teacher she _____ to be nervous.
- 4 My dog didn't _____ to destroy things before the baby was born.
- 5 During summer we _____ always light bonfires at the beach.

C Choose the correct answer.

- 1 We ____ sailing round the Mediterranean when I was a child.
a would go b use to go c would to go
- 2 They ____ have a holiday home in Portugal.
a used to b would c use to
- 3 Jack ____ like traditional dancing when he was younger.
a liked b used to like c would