



5 Put the verbs into the *past simple* or *past continuous* and join the sentences using *as*, *when* or *while*.

- 1 He/drive quite fast. The policeman/stop him.
(when) ► *He was driving quite fast when the policeman stopped him.*
- 2 The group/walk towards the entrance. They/hear a loud noise. (as)
- 3 He/have a meeting yesterday. She/call him.
(while)
- 4 I/watch a film on TV. The electricity/go out.
(when)
- 5 I/try to explain the problem to him. I noticed that he/not listen to me. (as)
- 6 Sean/repair his bike. James/feed their dog.
(while)
- 7 The twins/sleep. Their dad/read a story. (as)

6 Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use up to three words.

- 1 As I was getting ready to leave, Jo came in.
I was getting ready to leave ► *when Jo came* in.
- 2 Julie had a car accident on her way to work.
While Julie
to work, she had an accident.

- 3 They got a flat tyre on their way to York.
They were way to York when they got a flat tyre.
- 4 When did Martha get married?
How long ago get married?
- 5 Yesterday, Alex started work at 9 am and stopped for lunch at 1 pm.
Yesterday, Alex was morning until lunchtime.
- 6 I was asleep when the phone rang.
As I, the phone rang.
- 7 The children were drawing pictures and Jane was watching them.
The children were drawing pictures watching them.
- 8 It started raining while he was watering the plants.
As he plants, it started raining.
- 9 Jane started working at 9 and finished at 5 yesterday.
Jane from 9 to 5 yesterday.
- 10 I was cooking when they arrived.
While I, they arrived.
- 11 How long ago did she finish school?
When school?
- 12 Peter was reading and Mary was watching TV.
Mary was watching TV reading.