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UNIT 1- "Days gone by"		
Name:	Curso: Primero medio	– July 2021-
OA: 09 Comp. Auditiva – 08 Review de contenidos. Contenido: Past Continuous and Simple / While - When	O.C: Escuchar un audio para reconocer información a través de relatos hechos en los tiempos verbales pasado continuo y simple.	
Directions: Do this study guide with your teacher – Ask if you have questions – Participate as much as possible		

Grammar Review

Past Simple and Past Continuous

- We use the **past continuous** to talk about an action that was in progress in the past. We use the **past simple** to talk about an action that finished in the past.

  e.g. *The burglar **was climbing** through the window when the police officer **saw** him.*

- We often use the **past continuous** and the **past simple** together. We connect the actions with **when** and **while**.

  e.g. *The thief took my bag **while** I was reading a magazine.*

- ✓ To create Past Continuous, we need **"BE + VERB – ING"**
- ✓ But remember: It's ***PAST*** so the verb to be must go in PAST: ***WAS + WERE***

For more details, check **page 76 of exercises book** or go to: https://www.curso-ingles.com/aprender/cursos/nivel-intermedio/verb-tenses-past/past-continuous

I. Fill the gaps with modifying the verbs according to the tense.

e.g. Were they watching (watch) TV at midnight? – No, they weren't.

1. We _____ (*eat*) lunch at the cafeteria at 1:00 pm.
2. _____ you _____(*talk*) on the phone a few minutes ago?
   No, I _____.
3. It _____ (*not rain*) last night, it started today.
4. Mom _____ (*prepare*) a lemon pie but she burnt it.

When - While

Generally, both "when" and "while" conjunctions are related to past tense. **"While"** connects two actions happening at the same time, and **"when"** interrupts an action continuously happening in the past with another action in the past.

Examples:

a. Susana was reading a magazine. I was watching TV.
   - Susana was reading a magazine WHILE I was watching TV.

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b. Pedro and I were playing videogames. Felipe knocked the door.

- Pedro and I were playing videogames WHEN Felipe knocked the door.

"While" means:	a. De repente / De pronto	b. Mientras que / Mientras
"When" means:	a. Cuando	b. Dónde

II. Choose the best conjunction for each sentence.

1. I was sitting in the café **while / when** you called me.
2. The teacher was explaining **while / when** we were taking notes.
3. Who was dancing **while / when** you arrived at the party?
4. I was walking home **while / when** I saw the accident.
5. Mom was talking on the phone **while / when** daddy watching Netflix.
6. The dog was sleeping **while / when** the cat broke the glass.
7. Phil was trying to fix his car **while / when** his brother was curiously watching him.
8. John was playing the guitar **while / when** his brother came into the room.
9. I was trying to call you **while / when** you were walking home.
10. My parents were living in Santiago **while / when** I was born.

High Street Robbery

Yesterday afternoon, robbers took valuable jewellery from Jasmine's Jewels in 5th Avenue. The robbery happened at four o'clock in the afternoon while people were shopping. The two masked robbers jumped into a car and drove away.

Editorial Creation

Look at the picture above and answer.

a. What are the people doing?

b. Who do you think is the best witness for the High Street Robbery? Why?

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1. **Read the news article and answer:**

a. Name and location of the store:	
b. Time of robbery:	
c. Information about suspects:	

2. **Listen to the police interview and identify the people in the picture. Write their names in the space given. (Part 1)**

3. **Match the first part of their answers with the corresponding one.**

"What were you doing yesterday?"

a. I was out shopping	1. And I was jogging on the sidewalk toward to the park
b. I was doing some exercise	2. And I was looking at the map
c. I was on my way to the Museum of art	3. I wanted to buy a new pair of summer shoes
d. I was eating a cheese burger and fries	4. To my kid sister
e. I was just talking on my cellphone	5. I didn't have any lunch

4. **Listen to the rest of the interviews and answer True or False. (Pat 2)**

a. _____ Maggie heard three people running and they were wearing blue jeans.

b. _____ Billy saw a man and a woman running towards a blue car.

c. _____ Nathalie saw two people wearing blue jeans and masks.

d. _____ James is completely sure that a Russian woman shouted at him to get him out the way.

e. _____ Ethan has a lot of details because he remembers everything.

f. _____ Ethan took a picture of the car's license plate.

Who is the best witness in this case? Why?

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