

17  **10.5** Complete the text with the past simple or past continuous form of the verbs in brackets. Then listen again and check. 

This happened (happen) last week when I was in the park. The sun ¹_____ (shine) and I ²_____ (sit) on the grass. I ³_____ (paint) a picture of the ducks on the pond.

Some children ⁴_____ (play) football. Suddenly, their ball ⁵_____ (hit) my paint pots and the paint pots ⁶_____ (fall) over. The blue paint went on my picture and the pink paint ⁷_____ (go) on the grass.

My hands got dirty when I

⁸_____ (clean) my picture so I decided to go and wash them in the pond. The ducks ⁹_____ (fly) away when I ¹⁰_____ (wash) my hands because they were scared of me.

They ¹¹_____ (land) on the grass by my picture. They walked on the pink paint, then they ¹²_____ (walk) on my picture. They ¹³_____ (make) pink marks all over the paper.

And that wasn't all. When the ducks ¹⁴_____ (walk) on my picture it ¹⁵_____ (start) to rain. By now my picture looked terrible.

I ¹⁶_____ (think) about what to do with the picture when a girl ¹⁷_____ (speak) to me.

'I love your picture,' she ¹⁸_____ (say). So what did I do? I gave it to her!