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PAST SIMPLE VS PAST CONTINUOUS



Direction: Complete the sentences in the past simple or continuous using the verbs in brackets.

1. When I (leave) _____ school yesterday, it (rain) _____ heavily.
2. It (continue) _____ to rain while I (walk) _____ home.
3. While I (try) _____ to concentrate on my studies, my friend (play) _____ her music very loudly in the next room.
4. Uncle Robert (jog) _____ regularly every day until he (get) _____ too old.
5. My uncle (jog) _____ alone when I (meet) _____ him.
6. Oh man, yesterday, my back _____ (ache) all day.
7. I _____ (take) a shower when the package arrived.
8. I _____ (do) my homework after I _____ (get) home from school yesterday.
9. Her chess game _____ (get) better steadily.
10. Sorry I didn't answer the call. I was driving when you _____ (call).
11. What _____ you _____ (do) on the night of the murder?
12. I often _____ (stop) for coffee in the morning before I _____ (get) married.
13. I didn't have lunch, so I really _____ (need) something to eat when I got home.
14. He _____ always _____ (talk) about his bowling scores, but no one cared.
15. We _____ (plan) to buy you a cake for your birthday at this time yesterday, but the bakery was closed.