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4TH PRIMARY

EDUCA ROOM 2.0

The past continuous is formed from the past tense of "to be" with the base of the main verb plus the ending "-ing" form of the verb.

It is formed like this: Subject + was/were + continuous form of the verb ending in -ing

One example of this tense is: I was watching television when she called me last night. The past continuous tense is "was watching." Another example of this tense is: We were playing football when he sprained his wrist last week. The past continuous tense is "were playing."

QUESTION 1

I _____ (jump)

- a) were jumping
- b) was jumping
- c) is jumping

QUESTION 2

You _____ (do) it very well

- a) was doing
- b) is doing
- c) were doing

QUESTION 3

I _____ (sleep) when you got home late last night

- a) slept
- b) was sleeping
- c) am sleeping

QUESTION 4

_____ you (call) me when I emailed you this afternoon?

- a) Were/calling
- b) Were/called
- c) Was/calling

QUESTION 5

He _____ (have) fun with his friends

- a) were having
- b) was haved
- c) was having

QUESTION 6

She _____ (play) hide and seek

- a) was playing
- b) is played
- c) is play

QUESTION 7

Peter _____ (buy) a computer.

- a) were buying
- b) was buying
- c) was bought

QUESTION 8

While we _____ (play) tennis, it started to rain.

- a) were played
- b) were play
- c) were playing

QUESTION 9

I _____ (listen) to my music, so I didn't hear the phone ring.

- a) listen
- b) was listening
- c) listened

QUESTION 10

While she (sleep), someone took her phone.

- a) slept
- b) was sleeping
- c) is sleeping