COMPLETE THE SENTENCES. USE THE PAST CONTINUOUS FORM OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS

1. My father was cooking (cook) lunch when I got home.

2. The plane _____(fly) to Paris when it crashed.

3. The students _____(wait) for the bus when it started to rain.

4. We _____(cross) the street when the traffic lights turned red.

5. Sue _____(wash) the dishes when the phone rang.

6. Mary _____(slice) the bread when she cut her hand.

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVE IN EACH SENTENCE.

1. Jim his leg while he was playing golf.

2. She when the shark attacked her.

3. While I a shower, my cell phone rang.

4. Anna Judy while she was reading a newspaper.

5. Someone Peter's bag while he was making a phone call.

6. Maria was walking home when a burglar her purse.

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PUT THE VERBS IN BRACKETS INTO THE SIMPLE PAST OR PAST CONTINUOUS.

1. My father was driving (drive) his car when a policeman stopped (stop) him.
2. Two boys _____(play) soccer when the teacher _____ (come) into the classroom.
3. I _____(run) to the park when I _____ (hear) a terrible noise.
4. While Tony _____(clean) the bathroom, his son _____ (shout) in the kitchen.
5. My son _____(break) his pencil while he _____ (do) his homework.
6. I _____ (wait) for my friend when the bus _____ (arrive).

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVE (WHEN – WHILE).

1. I has a bad dream while I was sleeping on the sofa.
2. Karina was doing her homework ___ the lights went out.
3. I was talking to my husband in the park ___ two cars crashed behind us.
4. You called me last night ___ I was studying for an important exam.
5. My mother found some old photographs ___ she was cleaning her room.
6. The students were doing an exercise ___ the bell rang.

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