

Test Past Simple and Past Continuous Form 6

Exercise 1 Read the text and answer the questions in full sentences. (Atbildi pilnos teikumos). 5/

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Rojas stayed at home. It was cold and rainy and they didn't want to go out in the bad weather. Mrs. Rojas made some popcorn and ice tea. At 8:00, Mr. and Mrs. Rojas went into the living room, sat on the sofa and began the movie and ate and drank. At 8:15, Mr. and Mrs. Rojas realized they already watched the movie last year and they didn't want to watch it again.

"Now what?" asked Mr. Rojas. "Let's play cards!" answered Mrs. Rojas. At 8:30 Mr. and Mrs. Rojas started to play cards. They were playing for about 10 minutes when Mr. Rojas looked out the window. The rain changed to snow and the trees were covered in beautiful white snowflakes. "I'm happy we stayed at home tonight. It looks beautiful outside but this weather is very dangerous to drive in." said Mr. Rojas. "You're right," said Mrs. Rojas, "but I'm bored. Let's play some music and dance."

Mr. Rojas was surprised. "Dance? But I really don't"

"Oh come on!" Mrs. Rojas insisted. She put on a romantic CD and they both started to dance. They were dancing for about 1 minute when suddenly the music stopped and the lights went out. Mrs. Rojas laughed. "We're just not very lucky tonight, are we?" she said. Mr. Rojas said, "Of course we're lucky! We are together!" He kissed her and continued to dance with her, in the dark and without music.

1. Why did Mr. and Mrs. Rojas stay at home last night?
2. What did Mrs. Rojas make?
3. What were Mr. and Mrs. Rojas doing when it started to snow?
4. Why was Mr. Rojas happy that they stayed at home?
5. What were Mr. and Mrs. Rojas doing when the lights went out?

Exercise 2 Fill in the blank with "when" or "while". 5/

1. They were watching TV _____ they were eating popcorn.
2. We were cooking _____ the phone rang.
3. _____ she called me, I was driving.
4. I was reading a book _____ my little sister was playing with her dolls.
5. It was raining _____ Susan went out.

Exercise 3 Listen to the recording and fill in the table. 10/

Name	Where was he/she?	What was he/she doing? (PILNS teikums) He/She was...
Otto		
Petra		
Mr Shine		
Frank		
Mrs Pearl		

Exercise 4 Fill in the blanks with the correct tense - Past Simple / Past Continuous. 9/

1.-While you were listening to music, the teacher (explain) the lesson.

2.-As I was walking down the street, I (meet) an old friend.

3.-The children began to cry when the horror film..... (start) on TV.

4.-We were sleeping when the bomb (explode).

5.-The children (clean) their bedroom when their mom opened the door.

6.-While the taxi driver (clean) the windows, it began to rain.

7. When the firefighters (arrive), we were glad to see them.

8. While Sarah was getting out of the car, she (drop) her handbag.

9. Mr. Harper (find) a fly in the soup while he (have) lunch at the canteen.

Exercise 5 Write 3 compound sentences about you/your family/your friends using Past Simple and Past Continuous tense and while/when.

(Uzraksti 3 salikus teikumus par sevi/savu ģimeni/draugiem, izmantojot Past Simple/Past Continuous un while/when.) 3/

Example: I was reading a book while my mum was cooking.

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