

Past Simple & Past Continuous Revision (KET A1-A2)

Part 1: Quick Revision (Xem qua ví dụ để ôn lại hai thì quá khứ)

- **Order of actions:** First, I **woke up**. Then, I **ate** breakfast.
- **Parallel actions:** While I **was cooking**, my brother **was watching TV**.
- **Interrupted action:** I **was reading** a book when the phone **rang**.

Part 2: Controlled Practice - Choose the Correct Tense (Luyện tập)

Read the sentences and choose the correct form of the verb (Past Simple or Past Continuous).

1. First, she (opened / was opening) the door. Then, she (walked / was walking) inside.
2. While I (did / was doing) my homework, my sister (listened / was listening) to music.
3. He (played / was playing) football when he suddenly (fell / was falling) down.
4. They (had / were having) dinner at 7 PM last night.
5. We (finished / were finishing) our work, and then we (went / were going) home.

Part 3: Complete the Sentences - Past Simple or Past Continuous?

Complete the sentences using the Past Simple or Past Continuous form of the verbs in brackets. Think carefully about the relationship between the actions.

1. Yesterday, I _____ (wake up) at 7 AM. Then, I _____ (eat) breakfast.
2. While my mum _____ (cook) dinner, my dad _____ (read) a newspaper.
3. We _____ (watch) TV when the dog suddenly _____ (bark) loudly.
4. At 10 AM yesterday, I _____ (work) in the garden.
5. She _____ (see) her friend while she _____ (wait) for the bus.

Part 4: Write Your Own Sentences

Complete these sentences using a Past Simple verb and a Past Continuous verb to show different relationships between actions.

1. First, I _____. Then, I _____. (*Example: First, I **opened** the book. Then, I **started** to read.*)
2. While my friend _____, I _____. (*Example: While my friend **was talking** on the phone, I **was checking** my emails.*)
3. I _____ when suddenly _____. (*Example: I **was walking** to the shop when suddenly I **saw** an old friend.*)
4. At 6 o'clock yesterday evening, I _____. (*Example: At 6 o'clock yesterday evening, I **was preparing** dinner.*)
5. What _____ when you _____? (*Example: What **were you doing** when you **lost** your keys?*)