

# THE PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE

Read each sentence carefully and choose the best option:

This morning at home...

1. When I \_\_\_\_\_ this morning, the sun \_\_\_\_\_ brightly and the wind \_\_\_\_\_ softly.
2. While I \_\_\_\_\_ dressed, my sister \_\_\_\_\_ a shower and my parents \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast for all the family.
3. Dad \_\_\_\_\_ pancakes while mom \_\_\_\_\_ some oranges to make orange juice.
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ downstairs, when suddenly Fluffy, our dog, \_\_\_\_\_ barking loudly. Then, we \_\_\_\_\_ the doorbell: it was Granny! What a lovely surprise! She \_\_\_\_\_ to spend a whole day with us!
5. When I \_\_\_\_\_ the door, I could see she \_\_\_\_\_ a big colorful box! While she \_\_\_\_\_ to the kitchen, Fluffy \_\_\_\_\_ at her and my poor grandmother \_\_\_\_\_ the box. Oh, no! There was a delicious chocolate cake inside... Now the cake was all over the floor!
6. While we \_\_\_\_\_ to clean up the mess, Fluffy \_\_\_\_\_ chocolate cake crumbs from the floor. Granny \_\_\_\_\_ angry, though. She \_\_\_\_\_ while she \_\_\_\_\_ her glasses! "Silly me! Haa, haa!" she said. "I \_\_\_\_\_ you, Fluffy!"



Read carefully and CLICK on WHEN or WHILE

1. ☐ WHEN ☐ WHILE Mom was watching TV, dad was doing the dishes last night.
2. We were having a zoom class online, ☐ WHEN ☐ WHILE the lights went out!
3. We were sleeping peacefully ☐ WHEN ☐ WHILE some neighbours were having a party! Unbelievable!
4. Sally was running in the park ☐ WHEN ☐ WHILE her grandma was walking her dog.
5. ☐ WHEN ☐ WHILE the teacher opened the classroom door, the students were checking their telephones.

