

Past Tense

past
simple

past continuous

past
perfect

past perfect
continuous



A. Choose the correct verbs:

1. We.....to the cinema last week.
2. A bird pooped on the window that Ionly a minute before.
3. Yesterday at nine he.....in front of his computer.
4. When their mum got home, the boysTV for two hours.

B. Complete the sentences for situations in the past.

1. A plumber..... (come) to our house yesterday.
2. He(want) to repair our washing machine that..... (break) a few days before.
3. Before he..... (ring) at my door, he..... (look) for a parking space for about ten minutes.
4. While the plumber..... (repair) the washing machine, I..... (watch) the news.
5. Suddenly, I..... (realise) that they(show) our street on TV.
6. The reporter..... (say) that a car (crash) into a stop sign just before reaching the crossroads.
7. While I..... (listen) carefully to what..... (happen) , someone..... (knock) at my door.
8. I(open) the door and..... (see) a police officer standing there.
9. He..... (ask) for the plumber.
10. As it(turn) out, it(be) our plumber's car that(roll) down the street.
11. In his haste, the plumber..... (forget) to put the handbrake on.

