Grammar Revision

Past Simple vs. Past Continuous

Fifth Grade

Question 1: Move the boxes into their correct places in the table.

verb 2 wasn't/weren't + verb(ing) Did + sub + verb base

was/were + verb (ing) didn't + verb base Was/Were + sub + verb(ing)

	Past Simple	Past Continuous
statement	I helped my friend yesterday.	I was helping my mom yesterday at 4.
negative	Jameel didn't drive to work last week.	Jameel wasn't driving when I saw him.
question	Did you visit your aunt two days ago?	Were you visiting someone when I called you?

Question 2: Type (was) or (were).

1. Dima and Alia working last night at 11.
2. People not staring at me when I fell.
3. While Ali enjoying his coffee, he spilled it all over his clothes!
4. the child crying when his parents found him?



Question 3: Click on the correct answer.

1. While Mohammed _____ football, he fell and hurt his knee.
   a. played b. was playing
2. When we _____ the door bell, we were having dinner.
   a. were hearing b. heard
3. _____ your homework yesterday at 9?
   a. Were you doing b. Did you do
4. _____ travel anywhere last summer?
   a. Did your family travel b. Was your family traveling
5. I _____ to make new friends last year, but now I do!
   a. wasn't wanting b. didn't want



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