

PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE

1. Mr. Robers and his daughter _____ (walk) in the park at 7 a.m. yesterday morning.
2. Janice _____ (not listen) to her English teacher when he asked her a hard question.
3. Who _____ (make) that noise while Billy _____ (read) the paragraph?
4. The Johnsons _____ (watch) a horror film when the doorbell rang.
5. I _____ (drive) to the office when I saw an accident on Palm Street.
6. _____ you _____ (sleep) when I texted you about the party yesterday afternoon?
7. Where _____ you _____ (go) at 10 p.m. last night? I saw while you _____ (leave).
8. My grandfather _____ (plant) an olive tree while we _____ (water) the flowers.
9. Isabella _____ (take) a shower when the electricity went off this morning.
10. What _____ Alan and Beverly _____ (do) when their father came into the room?
11. Why _____ you _____ (shout) at Noah and Randy a few hours ago?
12. I _____ (not do) anything when my best friend, Charlotte offered to go to the cinema.
13. We _____ (eat) fish and chips in the restaurant at about 1 p.m. yesterday.
14. The detective _____ (question) three men for the bank robbery last night.
15. Mr. Cooper _____ (repair) a gold watch when I went into his shop.
16. It _____ (not rain) outside when we left home. So we didn't take our umbrellas.
17. Who _____ you _____ (talk) with when I met you in the shopping mall yesterday?
18. He _____ (look for) a puppy in the animal shelter when he suddenly decided to adopt a cat with three kittens.
19. Judy and Grace _____ (not read) their books in the classroom this morning. They _____ (write) their essays.
20. My parents _____ (prepare) breakfast while my sister and I _____ (set) the table at about 7 a.m. this morning.
21. _____ your grandma _____ (take) a nap on the sofa a few hours ago?
22. She _____ (listen) to music an hour ago.



Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the verbs in brackets to complete the sentences

23. I was very scared tonight because I thought a man _____ (follow) me.
24. Lawrence _____ (walk) down the street when he found a hundred dollar bill.
25. We _____ (have) dinner when aunt Judy knocked the door yesterday evening.
26. The footballers _____ (not play) well so their coach yelled at them in anger.
27. My cousins _____ (not swimming), but they _____ (sunbathe) on the beach when a shark appeared on the shore.
28. Diane _____ (swing) in the playground when it suddenly started snowing.
29. Mrs. Ward _____ (feed) the cats on the pavement when the earthquake happened.
30. His sons _____ (not sleep) in their beds at 11 p.m. last night. They _____ (drink) orange juice and playing tic-tac-toe.
31. Mr. Hughes _____ (sweep) the leaves in the driveway when the postman came.
32. What _____ the students _____ (watch) on the smartboard when the teacher came?
33. The boss _____ (talk) on the phone when the secretary brought the reports.
34. My mother _____ (cook) spaghetti and fried chicken when I last saw her.
35. At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, my friends and I _____ (play) hide and seek.
36. The police officer asked "What _____ the man _____ (wear) when he entered the bank?"
37. Nobody _____ (play) on the monkey bars when I went to the park this morning.
38. It _____ (hail) heavily this afternoon so a lot of birds came my balcony.
39. My grandparents _____ (watch) the news when their guests arrived home for dinner.