

Unit 2 Short Test GRAMMAR

Grammar

1 Complete the text with the correct past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Last Sunday morning at ten o'clock, my family and I were at home. It was a beautiful day. Mum and Dad ¹ _____ (work) in the garden. What ² _____ (my sister and I / do)? We were in the living room. My sister ³ _____ (play) video games. I ⁴ _____ (not sit) with her. I ⁵ _____ (lie) on the sofa.

2 Read the dialogues and complete the questions. Use the past continuous.

- Joe** My parents were watching a film last night.
Liz Which film ¹ _____ ?
Joe I think it was a James Bond film.
- Julia** Daisy was in an Italian restaurant when I saw her.
Mike Really? What ² _____ ?
Julia Spaghetti.
- Emma** I heard Dan talking to someone outside.
Rob Oh, who ³ _____ to?
Emma I don't know, but they sounded angry.
- Sue** I wasn't at home yesterday morning. I was on the bus.
Henry Where ⁴ _____ ?
Sue I was going to the cinema.
- Tim** Katy was at the park yesterday.
Mick What ⁵ _____ there?
Tim She was skateboarding.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct past simple or past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 While they _____ (search) the house, they _____ (find) the money.
2 Rosie _____ (remember) something important as she _____ (get) ready for school.
3 While we _____ (swim) in the sea, we _____ (see) a dolphin.
4 Anna _____ (met) some friends as she _____ (walk) home.
5 I _____ (sleep) when I _____ (hear) a loud noise.

4 Choose the correct words to complete the text.

My mum and dad ¹**got / were getting** me a great present last year – a quad biking adventure weekend. ²**While / When** the big day arrived, I was really excited. When we arrived at the adventure centre, a lot of people ³**drove / were driving** around on quad bikes. They ⁴**had / were having** a brilliant time! A man helped me with my helmet and then I ⁵**did / was doing** some training before our group went out. It was fantastic!