

TEST 8

1 Match the things with the sports.

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| 0 ☒ basketball | a a track |
| 1 ☐ swimming | b a match |
| 2 ☐ mountaineering | c rope |
| 3 ☐ horse racing | d a net |
| 4 ☐ tennis | e water |
| 5 ☐ athletics | f a rider |

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2 Complete the sentences with the past continuous of the verbs.

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| 0 My parents <u>were playing</u> (play) golf this afternoon. | 3 _____ you _____ (do) athletics last weekend? |
| 1 Sarah _____ (run) in the park. | 4 They _____ (go) swimming in the hotel pool. |
| 2 I _____ (try) to tie the rope on the rock. | 5 Eric _____ (dream) of winning the marathon. |

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3 Write questions using the past continuous.

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| 0 Tom / cook lunch / when the phone rang? | <u>Was Tom cooking lunch when the phone rang?</u> |
| 1 you / play football / at four o'clock? | _____ |
| 2 the children / swim / when it started to rain? | _____ |
| 3 Kevin / talk on the phone / when his dad came home? | _____ |
| 4 your mum / watch the match / when you called? | _____ |
| 5 the boys / play tennis / when they broke the window? | _____ |

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4 Write answers to the questions in Exercise 3.

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| 0 No / have a shower | <u>No, he wasn't. He was having a shower.</u> |
| 1 No / revise for the Maths test | _____ |
| 2 No / windsurf | _____ |
| 3 No / clean his football boots | _____ |
| 4 No / read a sports magazine | _____ |
| 5 No / play basketball | _____ |

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5 Circle the correct words.

- While Leo was doing his homework, he was falling / fell asleep.
- I was going to football practice when I was meeting / met my friend in the street.
- The students were playing / played basketball when the teacher saw them.
- I was having / had a great idea while I was rock-climbing.
- Kate was swimming and she wasn't hearing / didn't hear the phone ring.
- We weren't watching the race when you were phoning / phoned us.

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6 Rewrite the sentences with *when* or *while*.

- 0 We were washing the car when we heard a noise.
While we were washing the car, we heard a noise.
- 1 While I was riding home on my bike, a cat crossed the road in front of me.

- 2 The lights went out when Mum was making a cake.

- 3 When Nora hurt her ankle, she was running in the park.

- 4 Were you listening when he asked you that question?

- 5 Dad was working in the kitchen when the children were sleeping.

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7 Underline and correct the mistake in each sentence.

- 0 Paul played tennis when he broke his arm. was playing
- 1 I started running when I was seeing the bus. _____
- 2 Our team was winning the trophy in the competition last week. _____
- 3 While Karen fell off the horse, it was jumping over a fence. _____
- 4 The players was walking onto the court when the rain began. _____
- 5 George felt a pain in his leg while he swims in the lake. _____

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8 Complete the sentences with the past simple or past continuous of the verbs.

- 0 When the phone rang (ring), Mike was trying (try) to iron his T-shirt.
- 1 The player _____ (score) the goal while the referee _____ (look) the other way.
- 2 The cat _____ (chase) the bird across the garden when it _____ (fall) off the wall.
- 3 We _____ (go) to see if Harry was OK when he _____ (hurt) his leg.
- 4 I _____ (not have) time to do gymnastics while I _____ (learn) to ski.
- 5 _____ (you / climb) up the mountain when you _____ (see) the snake?

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9 Complete the story with the past simple or past continuous of the verbs.

It was a very cold day in winter. It ⁰ was snowing (snow) and Greg and Martha ¹ _____ (watch) a tennis match on TV when they ² _____ (hear) a noise upstairs. They ³ _____ (go) to investigate. While they ⁴ _____ (go) upstairs to see what happened, their younger brother came out of his room. He said, 'The cat ⁵ _____ (jump) on my desk! It hit the computer and now ... it's on the floor!'

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10 Complete the sentences with the words in the list.

unhappy | excited | boring | winners | competitive | athletics

- 0 I was so excited at the start of the race.
- 1 We felt very _____ when our team lost the match.
- 2 I'm not _____, so I don't really like doing sports.
- 3 All the _____ got a medal at the end of the marathon.
- 4 Do you enjoy doing _____ at the track?
- 5 Rob thinks golf is a _____ sport.

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TOTAL SCORE

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