

Homework

Pre- Intermediate - day 10

1 GRAMMAR past continuous

a Complete the sentences. Use the past continuous.

- 1 I was sleeping (sleep) on my friend's sofa when his mother came home.
- 2 What _____ (you / talk) about when I came in?
- 3 He didn't call you because his mobile phone _____ (not / work).
- 4 They _____ (live) in Sydney when their first child was born.
- 5 I'm sorry, _____ (you / watch) that programme?
- 6 We _____ (walk) along the beach when we saw a snake.
- 7 She _____ (not / drive) when the car hit the tree. I was.
- 8 It _____ (snow) when they arrived in New York.

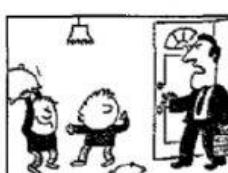
b Write sentences with *when*. Use the past simple and past continuous.



- 1 They / play tennis / start / rain
They were playing tennis when it started to rain.



- 2 He / break / his leg / ski



- 3 The boys / fight / their father / come home



- 4 A dog / eat / my sandwich / I / sleep / in the park

c Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Last summer I ¹ went (go) to Los Angeles to stay with my cousin for a few weeks. One afternoon we ² had (have) lunch in a nice restaurant in the centre of town when my cousin ³ got (get) a call on her mobile phone and went outside to talk. While she ⁴ spoke (speak) to her friend, I suddenly ⁵ noticed (notice) a man in a black hat who ⁶ sat (sit) at the next table. It was the actor Johnny Depp! He was alone, and I ⁷ decided (decide) to take my chance. So I got up and ⁸ went (go) to his table. 'Excuse me, could I have my photo taken with you?' I asked. He ⁹ said (say) yes, so I ¹⁰ stopped (stop) a waitress who ¹¹ was passing (pass) by and gave her my camera. She ¹² took (take) the photo of me and Johnny, I thanked them both, and then I returned to my table. When my cousin ¹³ came (come) back, I ¹⁴ smiled (smile). 'Why are you looking so pleased with yourself?' she asked. 'I had my photo taken with Johnny Depp!' 'Johnny Depp? Where is he?' 'He's sitting over there. Look!' She turned around to look and then started to laugh. 'That's not Johnny Depp!' I ¹⁵ looked (look) at the man in the black hat – he ¹⁶ was laughing (laugh) too.

2 VOCABULARY *at, in, on*

a Place. Complete the sentences with *at*, *in*, or *on*.

- 1 We'll meet you at the bus stop
- 2 I often listen to music in my car.
- 3 in my room I have a poster on the wall and a photo of my parents on the table by my bed.
- 4 My family are from Zurich but we live in Munich.
- 5 She lives in the city centre.
- 6 There's some sugar on the shelf in the cupboard.
- 7 They swam in the sea and then went for a walk in the park.
- 8 There's a Post Office at the end of this road, at the corner of Old Street.

b Time. Complete the sentences with *at*, *in*, *on*, or nothing.

- 1 Let's meet next Saturday at 3.00.
- 2 I hate driving at night, getting up early in the morning, and working on weekends.
- 3 Our flight is leaving on Monday at 7.30 in the evening and arriving on midday on Tuesday
- 4 We have an exam on Friday in afternoon.
- 5 In most countries, banks and offices are closed on Christmas Day and New Year's Day.
- 6 Computers were invented in the 20th century.
- 7 Albert Einstein was born on 14 March, 1879 in Germany, and he died in 1955 in the USA.
- 8 At Easter we went to Italy and we're going again in the summer, probably the first two weeks in August.

3. Writing:

- 1 What were you doing at 8.00 last night?
- 2 What were you doing at 6.00 this morning?
- 3 What were you doing at 9.00 this morning?
- 4 Was it raining when you got up this morning?
- 5 What were you doing an hour ago?

