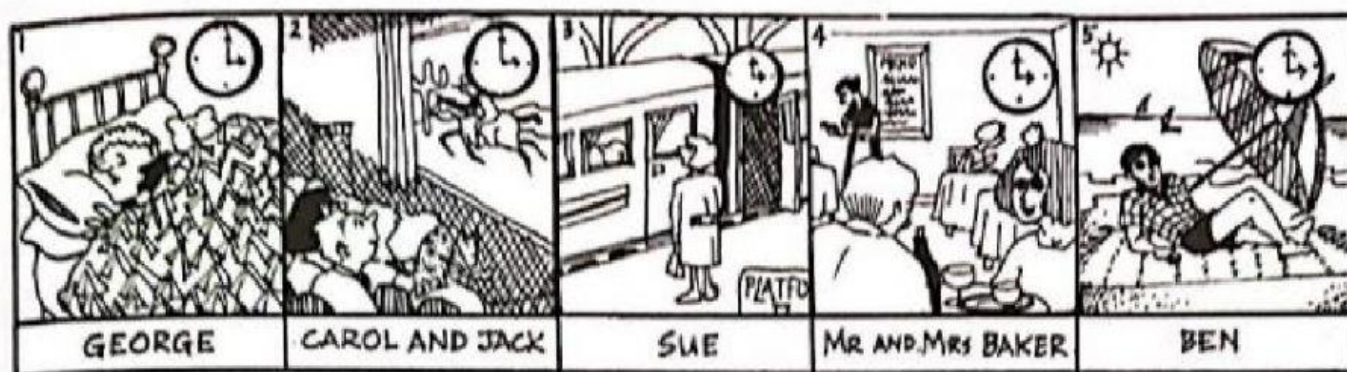


The verb "to be"

1. Look at the picture. Where were these people at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon?



- a) George was in bed.
- b) Carol and Jack
- c) Sue
- d)
- e)
- f) And you? I

2. Put in **was** / **wasn't** / **were** / **weren't**

a) We didn't like our hotel room. It **..was..** very small and it **..wasn't..** very clean.

b) Kate got married when she 24 years old.

- c) I phoned you yesterday evening but you at home. Where
you?
- d) George at work last week because he ill. He's better
now.
- e) The shops open yesterday because it a public holiday.
- f) '..... you at home at 9.30?' 'No, I I at work.'

3. Write questions.

1	I saw a film.	(good?) <i>Was it good.....?</i>
2	I met some people.	(friendly?)
3	I did an examination.	(difficult?)
4	I bought some boots.	(expensive?)
5	I went to a museum.	(interesting?)

Simple Past or Past Continuous?

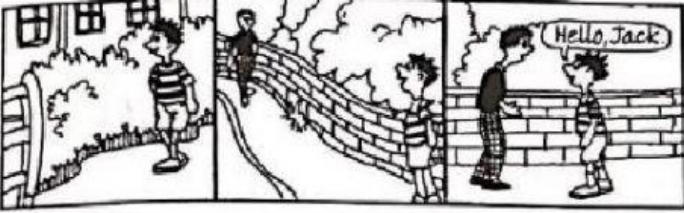
1. Look at the pictures and write sentences. Use the simple past or the past continuous.

Example:

(Jack / read / a book) *Jack was reading a book*

(the phone / ring) *The phone rang.*

(he / answer / the phone) *He answered the phone*

	(Tom / walk / down the street) (he / see / Jack) (he / say / hello)
	(they / sit / in the garden) (it / start/ to rain) (they / go / into the house)
	(Carol / paint / the room) (she / fall / off the ladder) (she / break / her arm)

2. Put the verb into the simple past or past continuous.

- a) When we (go)*went*.... out, it (rain)*was raining*....
- b) I wasn't hungry last night. I (not eat) anything.
- c) (you watch) television when I (phone)
you?
- d) Jane wasn't at home when I went to see her. She (work)

- e) I (get) up early this morning. I (wash)
(dress) and then I (have) breakfast.
- f) The postman (come) while I (have)
breakfast.
- g) We (meet) Joan at the party. She (wear)
..... a red dress.
- h) The boys (break) a window when they (play)
..... football.
- i) I was late but my friends (wait) for me when I (arrive)
.....
- j) I (get) up at 7 o'clock. The sun (shine)
so I (go) for a walk.
- k) He (not drive) fast when the accident (happen)
.....
- l) Margaret (not go) to work yesterday. She was ill.
- m) "What (you do) on Saturday evening?" "I went to the
cinema."
- n) "What (you do) at 9.30 on Saturday evening?" "I
(watch) a film in the cinema."