

Past Continuous

The past continuous is used to talk about activity or action that had been being carried out by someone. It is a finished action, but it had its time lapse in the past

STRUCTURE:

Affirmative	Negative	Interrogative
Pronoun + was/were + verb ing + complement.	• Pronoun + was/were + not + verb ing + complement. • Pronoun + wasn't/weren't + verb ing + complement.	Was/were + pronoun + complement + ?

Example:

Affirmative: My sister was preparing th lunch.

Negative: She wasn't running, she was walking.

Interrogative: Were you sleeping? No, I was thinking.

Activity

1. Read sentences and translate into past continuous.



- Los niños estaban saltando en el parque.

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- Mi hermana estaba haciendo un pastel.

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- Ellos no me estaban llamando.

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- El cerdito no estaba cantando.



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