# Past Simple, Past Continuous

Class _____ Date _____

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1 Put the verbs into Past Continuous.

1. Mary _____ (wait) for me when I arrived home.
2. While I _____ (cook) the phone rang.
3. I _____ (walk) along the street when I heard terrible cry.
4. He _____(read) a book at 3 o'clock yesterday.
5. At that time last month they _____ (travel) abroad.
6. Jane _____ (do) her homework the whole evening yesterday.
7. They _____ (play) tennis from 4 till 5 o'clock yesterday.
8. Tom burnt his hand while he _____ (cook) dinner.
9. What _____ (you / do) at 6 o'clock yesterday?
10. Alice _____ (do) the washing the whole evening yesterday.

2 Put the verbs into Past Simple or Past Continuous.

1. Just as Bob _____ (cross) the street, a car came round the corner.
2. While I _____ (think) about my next actions, somebody knocked.
3. Then I _____(see) a man standing nearby the shop.
4. Something very strange _____ (happen) to me on my way home.
5. When I got up that morning, the sun _____ (shine) brightly.
6. It was getting dark when we _____ (reach) our native city.
7. While he _____ (wait) for me, he was reading an article in the magazine.
8. Nancy was hurrying to her work when she _____ (meet) her old friend.
9. They _____ (sit) at the table when I began to tell this story.
10. He _____ (come) into the room and saw the father there.