

PAST CONTINUOUS

I. Write sentences with while to link two simultaneous actions.

a. Julie / smile while Tommy and Sally / talk to her

b. She / get out of the cab while the taxi driver / hold door

c. A man / clean windows while Julie / speak to her husband

d. The sun / shine while photographers / take photos

e. Andy / talk about horses while his parents / watch TV

f. My friends / sleep while I / do an exam

II. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the Past Continuous.

The Thompson family. What were they doing on Sunday at 7 o'clock?

1 Mr. Thompson WAS COOK WAS COOKING dinner in the kitchen.

2 Mrs. Thompson WAS CLEANING CLEANING their car in front of their house.

3 Jack and Eve WERE SITING WERE SITTING in the hall near the fireplace.

4 Jack, their 11 years old son, WAS READ WAS READING Shakespeare's sonnets.

5 Eve, at the age of 16, WAS PLAYING WERE PLAYING with Barbies.

6 Their grandma and grandpa WERE HAVE WERE HAVING a good time.

7 Their grandma EXERCISING WAS EXERCISING in the gym.

8 Their grandpa WAS IRONNING WAS IRONING shirts and socks in the living room.

9 They also had two pets. What ARE THEY DOING THEY ARE DOING ?

10 Spot, the puppy, WERE CATCH WAS CATCHING mice in the garden.

11 And Kitty, the little cute kitten, WAS FIGHTING WERE FIGHTING with neighbour's dog.

III. Write questions in past progressive and choose the correct answer.

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| 1. _____ you _____ (PLAY)cards? | YES, I WAS | YES, I WERE |
| 2. _____ Alice _____ (WALK) around the lake? | YES, SHE WAS | YES, ALICE WAS |
| 3. _____ Caron _____ (LISTEN) to the radio? | NO, HE WAS | NO, HE WASN'T |
| 4. _____ we _____ (READ)a book about USA? | YES, YOU WERE | NO, THEY WEREN'T |
| 5. _____ Linda _____ (LOOK FOR) her ring? | NO, SHE WASN'T | NO, SHE WEREN'T |

IV. Tick the correct answer to form the questions.

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| 1. it / rain / when => | When was it raining?
When it was raining?
When it was rain? |
| 2. they / cry / why => | Were they crying why?
Were they crying?
Why were they crying? |
| 3. you / look for / what => | What for you were looking?
What were you looking for?
What you were looking for? |
| 4. you / do your homework / what time => | What time you doing your homework?
What time you were doing your homework?
What time were you doing your homework? |
| 5. Max / feel / how => | How was Max feeling?
How Max feeling?
How Max was feeling? |