

Past continuous

Complete with the past continuous form of the verb in brackets. If there is no verb, make a short answer.

A: Hey Alex! _____ (you/watch) the football match yesterday evening?

B: Yes, of course, _____! And you?

A: No, _____.

B: Why not? What _____ (you/do)?

A: I _____ (study) for my math test.

B: Oh, that's a pity! Both teams _____ really well!

A: I know. My brother and his friends _____ (watch) the match and they _____ (have) a good time. I could hear them, because they _____ (sit) in the living room next to my room. It's a pity I couldn't join them.

Past continuous with when and while

Mark the correct words

1. While/When John was doing his homework, he heard a strange noise.
2. Mary was taking a shower while/when the phone rang.
3. While we were walking around the park, it started/was starting to rain.
4. Mum cooked/was cooking dinner when dad came back from work.
5. While Kelly did/was doing the shopping, she met Brenda.
6. Jeff was climbing a tree when he fell/was falling down and broke his leg.