

## SIMPLE PAST vs. PAST CONTINUOUS

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**Instructions:** Complete the following sentences with the correct form of the verb in parentheses, using the simple past or past continuous tense.

1. While I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) for my exam, my roommate \_\_\_\_\_ (come) in and \_\_\_\_\_ (start) talking to me.
2. They \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) a movie when their parents \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) home.
3. I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/go) to the party because I \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) sick.
4. As soon as the teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (enter) the classroom, the students \_\_\_\_\_ (stop) talking.
5. When I \_\_\_\_\_ (wake up) this morning, it \_\_\_\_\_ (rain).
6. She \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) dinner when her friend \_\_\_\_\_ (call).
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ (walk) in the park when we \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a strange bird.
8. The children \_\_\_\_\_ (play) outside when it \_\_\_\_\_ (start) to rain.
9. While you \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep), someone \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) your bike.
10. He \_\_\_\_\_ (read) a book when the power \_\_\_\_\_ (go) out.
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ (drive) to work when I \_\_\_\_\_ (remember) I forgot my lunch.
12. The sun \_\_\_\_\_ (shine) when we \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) at the beach.