

PAST CONTINUOUS

PRACTICE FOR THE TEST

1 Complete the sentences with "was"/ "wasn't" or "were"/weren't".

- a. She _____ drinking mate. (X) She _____ reading the news on Facebook. (✓)
- b. They _____ eating a hamburger for dinner. (X) They _____ eating a delicious pizza. (✓)
- c. We _____ taking a selfie together. (✓) We _____ watching a video. (X)
- d. You _____ studying for the English test. (✓) You _____ doing your Geography homework.
- e. I _____ playing computer games. (X) I _____ watching YouTube videos. (✓)
- f. Matias _____ listening to a podcast on Spotify. (X) He _____ listening to music. (✓)
- g. It _____ eating pet food. (X) It _____ eating chicken and potatoes. (✓)

2 Complete the sentences with the Past Continuous form of the verbs in brackets. Then, choose "when" or "while".

- a. She _____ (not do) homework _____ her mother arrived.
- b. They _____ (edit) a photo _____ they were listening to music.
- c. He _____ (not scroll) on Instagram _____ his father called him.
- d. We _____ (have) lunch _____ the telephone rang.
- e. Carol _____ (answer) WhatsApp messages _____ she was listening to a podcast.
- f. It _____ (not sleep) on the couch _____ it started to rain.
- g. You _____ (watch) a film on Netflix _____ you were eating a sandwich.

3 Write affirmative or negative sentences using the Past Continuous tense.

- a. ✓ I / post a video on Instagram _____
- b. X She / film a video with her camera _____
- c. X Lucas / charge the computer _____
- d. ✓ The cat / walk in the park _____
- e. X We / take pictures at school _____