

# Worksheet past simple or continuous

Listen to the following text about Jenny's story and complete the verbs using past simple or continuous.

It (rain) \_\_\_\_\_ very hard when the bus \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) the school. When we \_\_\_\_\_ (get) home, my Aunt Carol and Uncle Arthur \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for us. They \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) us to run into their basement. When I \_\_\_\_\_ (look) up the road, I \_\_\_\_\_ (see) that a tornado \_\_\_\_\_ (come) towards our house. We all \_\_\_\_\_ (run) towards the shelter. But it was too late. The tornado \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) over us while we \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to get down the stairs. We \_\_\_\_\_ (close) the door when the wind suddenly \_\_\_\_\_ (pull) it off. The noise was as loud as a train, and it was very dark. My uncle \_\_\_\_\_ (hold) me down when suddenly the tornado \_\_\_\_\_ (lift) him and threw him against a wall. Everybody \_\_\_\_\_ (scream) for help while the tornado \_\_\_\_\_ (throw) things on top of us. Suddenly the wind \_\_\_\_\_ (stop). It \_\_\_\_\_ (become) very quiet. My uncle and sister were hurt, but we all \_\_\_\_\_ (survive).