

A) Fill in the blanks with **was** or **were** to complete the sentences below.

1. William _____ doing his English homework when I arrived home in the afternoon.
2. _____ Sarah and David tidying their bookcases?
3. Where _____ your dad going at 7:45 this morning?
4. We _____ just listening to music when you came.

B) Fill in the blanks with **was**, **wasn't**, **were** or **weren't** to complete the sentences below.

1. I _____ having a shower half an hour ago, but the water wasn't warm enough. Is there a problem?
2. Donna _____ listening to the teacher, so she couldn't give the correct answer to this question.
3. Lucy and Ted _____ going to the playground. They were actually going to the amusement park.

C) Answer the questions about yourself.

1. What were you doing at eleven o'clock last night?

2. What was your dad doing at 8 o'clock yesterday evening?

3. What was your mum doing at 7 a.m. this morning?

4. Were you doing homework at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon?

D) Rewrite the sentences with the subjects in brackets.

1. Sharon was swimming in the river when she saw a small turtle under the water. (The boys) _____
2. The students weren't doing anything when Mrs. Hall came into the classroom. (I) _____
3. Paul and Mark were building a kennel for their dog, Oscar at about 9 a.m. (Jason) _____
4. I was fishing in the lake when a frightening storm started yesterday. (Two friends) _____

E) Read the answers and write questions to the underlined words.

1. _____ ?
The teachers were playing table tennis in the gym.
2. _____ ?
I was talking to Mr. Robinson a few minutes ago.
3. _____ ?
Karen was watching an exciting action film when she fell asleep on the sofa last night.
4. _____ ?
Yes, all the kids were laughing while they were watching the new cartoon.
5. _____ ?
No, Charles and Thomas weren't fighting each other in the classroom.