

1 Match 1–5 to a–e. Draw a line.

- 1 I was sleeping in bed when
- 2 Grandma was drinking tea
- 3 My parents were playing tennis
- 4 I was watching TV
- 5 Dad was reading a book when

- a when she dropped her cup.
- b when my little brother changed the channel.
- c his phone rang.
- d I heard a loud noise.
- e when they lost the ball.

2 Complete the text with the Past Continuous or the Past Simple forms of the verbs in the box.

eat hear open run sleep watch



Yesterday afternoon Doug and Neil ¹ were watching a film on TV when their sister ² _____ the door



They ³ _____ pizza when the dog ⁴ _____ fast into the room. The cat ⁵ _____ in its bed when it ⁶ _____ the dog and got scared!

3 Circle the correct answer.

- 1 I _____ breakfast when Jack phoned me.
a was having **b** had **c** having
- 2 He was studying when his mum _____ in.
a was coming **b** come **c** came
- 3 They _____ football well when the other team scored!
a was playing **b** were playing **c** played
- 4 Dave was cooking _____ him.
a we visited **b** when visited **c** when we visited
- 5 Alan _____ he got my message.
a was vacuuming when **b** was when **c** vacuumed when
- 6 I was looking for my phone when I _____ my tablet.
a found **b** was finding **c** find