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Name and Surname: _____

Clase virtual N°: 2 (Clase 26/05)

Unidad del programa: Bloque 1

Contenido/s:

- Past Simple and Past Continuous

Objetivos de la clase:

- Reconocer estructuras gramaticales trabajadas en las clases presenciales

Actividad:

A. Read the text and complete it with **was or **were**.**



Maddie and Bryan _____ born in Colorado, in the 1960s. Maddie, whose father _____ a famous hippie, _____ born on April 15, 1968, and Bryan _____ born exactly on the same day, one year later. Bryan's parents _____ also well-known hippies. They _____ all in the gathering in the Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, in the "Summer of Love" (1967), as it _____ known. "Peace, Love and Freedom" _____ the words at the time.

Maddie and Bryan _____ in San Francisco on holiday last March. It _____ Maddie's idea. She _____ curious about the hippie movement and the place where their parents had lived. They _____ lucky. The weather _____ good, the people _____ very nice and the food _____ great. They _____ at the famous Golden Gate Bridge and at the Fisherman's Wharf, and they took a cable car ride at California Street. It _____ an amazing experience!

a Complete the story with the past simple of the verbs in brackets.

Lali's story

LALI ¹ went into the Café Paris and ² _____ (have) a coffee. The waiter's name ³ _____ (be) Nestor. He ⁴ _____ (be) tall and handsome. Lali fell in love with him the first time she ⁵ _____ (see) him.

The next day Lali ⁶ _____ (go) into the same café. 'Do you want to go out for lunch?' she asked Nestor. He ⁷ _____ (not / can). He finished work at six. 'But I can meet you after work,' he said.

Lali ⁸ _____ (go) back to the café and ⁹ _____ (meet) Nestor at 6.00. They ¹⁰ _____ (drive) to the beach in Nestor's car. At the beach they ¹¹ _____ (have) a drink and danced at a disco. They ¹² _____ (get) home after midnight.

Every day, Lali ¹³ _____ (go) to the café at 6.00 in the evening and they ¹⁴ _____ (drive) to the beach. They ¹⁵ _____ (be) very happy.

On Nestor's birthday, Lali wanted to surprise him. She ¹⁶ _____ (go) to the café in the



morning. She ¹⁷ _____ (see) Nestor, but Nestor ¹⁸ _____ (not / see) Lali. He was with another girl. Lali ¹⁹ _____ (leave). She ²⁰ _____ (not / see) Nestor again.



Complete the sentences. Use the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1) I _____ (study) Science for my test.
- 2) He _____ (not do) his homework.
- 3) They _____ (not play) rugby because they think it is boring.
- 4) _____ they _____ (listen) to music when you opened the door?
- 5) She _____ (go) to the cinema, but her friends didn't come.
- 6) That boy _____ (play) the violin very well. Maybe, he _____ (have) musical classes.
- 7) Jane, David and Polly _____ (watch) TV when the light turned off.
- 8) I _____ (begin) my English project when my sister fell.

B- Write the correct form of the verbs!

- 1- She met her close friend **while** she _____ (travel) on a train.
- 2- **While** the woman was getting off the bus, she _____ (fall down).
- 3- The thief _____ (break) into **while** we were sleeping.
- 4- John took a photo **while** I _____ (not/look).
- 5- **While** my mum was working in the garden, she _____ (hurt) her back.
- 6- We were living in Madrid **when** our elder aunt _____ (die).
- 7- **When** I got up this morning, it _____ (rain) heavily.
- 8- **While** my dad was brushing teeth, my mum _____ (fall asleep).
- 9- I had a nightmare **while** I _____ (sleep) last night.
- 10- What happened then in your dream **while** a monster _____ (chase) you?

1. Complete the sentences. Write when or while.

1. I was watching tv ----- I heard the noise.
2. ----- she was cooking, her husband called her.
3. We were having a lesson ----- the bell rang.
4. He broke his arm ----- he was playing tennis.
5. ----- she was traveling on a train she met him.
6. ----- the phone rang she was having her breakfast.
7. The alarm clock rang ----- we were sleeping.
8. What were you doing ----- the phone rang.
9. I walked into the house ----- I heard the noise.
10. ----- I was making the bed my mum entered the room.