

### Sentence transformation: Past simple and past continuous

For questions 1-10, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

0. My sister is not old enough to ride a bicycle.  
too  
My sister is too young to ride a bicycle.
1. During his law studies he met his future wife.  
studying  
While \_\_\_\_\_ he met his future wife.
2. She had more freedom when his father was abroad.  
travelling  
While \_\_\_\_\_ she had more freedom.
3. I had been to the party too long and I was bored.  
enjoying  
I \_\_\_\_\_ because I had been there too long.
4. Andrew said the mistake was my fault.  
blamed  
Andrew \_\_\_\_\_ the mistake.
5. He misbehaved all the time, even when the teacher told him off.  
always  
He \_\_\_\_\_, even when the teacher told him off.
6. He was an actor in a lot of plays at school.  
acting  
He did \_\_\_\_\_ at school.
7. It was raining all evening.  
stop  
It \_\_\_\_\_ all evening.
8. It was windy all day yesterday.  
blowing  
The \_\_\_\_\_ all day yesterday.
9. When he got to the party everyone was chatting and eating.  
arrival  
On \_\_\_\_\_ the party everyone was chatting and eating.
10. They ate dinner and discussed the problem at the same time.  
were  
While \_\_\_\_\_ discussed the problem.