Past continuous

A. Complete the sentences with the past continuous form.

1. I _____ (run) when you saw me because I was late.

2. They _____ (wait) for a bus when the car crashed.

3. Gabi and Laura _____ (dance) at 8pm.

4. Tom _____ (not / eat) a sandwich when Ben fell into the river.

5. What _____ Carol and Jack _____ (do) when Pedro phoned?

6. _____ Sally _____ (take) a photo when I phoned?

7. Pedro and Tom _____ (not /laugh) when Ben fell in the river.

8. Javi _____ (teach) when I entered the classroom.

9. The children _____ (play) football when the bell rang.

10. My grandma _____(cook) my favorite dinner when we arrived.

B. Write questions.

you / watch him – Were you watching him?

1 you / talk

_____

2 they / laugh

_____

3 she / take photos

_____

4 you / shop

_____

5 he / run

_____

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C. Read the questions you wrote in exercise B.

Then complete the answers.

1 No, I _____

2 Yes, they _____

3 Yes, she _____

4 No, we _____

5 Yes, he _____

D. Fill in the blanks with a correct form, the PAST SIMPLE or the PAST CONTINUOUS:

1. We _____ (play) volleyball with Mary, when you _____(call) me.

2. When the teacher _____(come) in, they _____ (study) English.

3. The baby _____ (sleep) when the telephone _____(ring).

4. As I _____ (walk) in the streets of Holland, I _____ (meet) an old friend of mine.

5. It _____ (rain) heavily when I got up.

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