

UNIT 3+4 BÀI TẬP VẬN DỤNG

Bài 8: Write sentences in the past continuous tense.

1. the snowman / melt / in the sun .

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2. they / explore / a new territory .

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3. the boss/ print out / a document.

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4. the boy/ not / concentrate / on the task .

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5. Michael/ not / practise / on the piano.

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Bài 9: Make questions for the underlined part of the sentence.

1. At six o'clock, Mike was reading the document.

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2. Sarah was waiting for him in the park.

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3. The students were talking about American culture.

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4. The secretary was writing a letter.

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5. Lisa was looking for her necklace.

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Bài 10: Put the verbs into the correct form (the past continuous tense).

1. When I phoned my friends, they (play) _____ computer games.
2. Yesterday at six my sister (prepare) _____ dinner.
3. The children (play) _____ in the garden when it began to rain.
4. I (practice) _____ the guitar when she came home.
5. They (not / cycle) _____ all day.
6. While Tom (work) _____ in his room, his friends (swim) _____ in the pool.
7. I tried to tell my mother the truth but she (not/ listen) _____
8. What (you / do) yesterday _____?

Bài 15: Choose the correct answer in the bracket.

1. Last night I _____ on my thesis and it took me a while to realise that my phone was ringing. (work/ was working)
2. When you _____ I was in a meeting so I couldn't answer your call. (called/ were calling)
3. David can never agree with Tim. They _____. (always argue/ are always arguing)
4. Why did you disagree with me at the meeting? _____ to make me look incompetent? (Did you try/ Were you trying)
5. Daisy _____ the buffet while I was looking for the drinks. (prepared/ was preparing)
6. Tim _____ home when the accident happened. (walked/ was walking)
7. I _____ to work, even when it rained. (was always walking/ always walked)
8. Kelly _____ her speech when I walked in. (was finishing/ finished)

Bài 16: Put the verbs into the past simple or past continuous tense.

1. I used my time well while I (wait) _____ for the train - I wrote some emails.
2. I (not/work) _____ when my boss walked in my office. I was on Facebook.
3. I saw a car crash when I (wait) _____ for the taxi.
4. Tom (have) _____ long hair and a beard when he was at university.
5. It started raining while I (drive) _____ to work.
6. What (you/do) _____ this time last year?
7. I (not/call) _____ you at 10 o'clock as arranged because I was having a meeting.
8. I (still/sleep) _____ when my husband left for work this morning.