

PAST CONTINUOUS

(+) I/ He/ She/ It/ My friend + **was** + V-ing + O + adv.

You/ We/ They/ My friends + **were** + V-ing + O + adv.

(-) I/ He/ She/ It/ My friend + **was not** + V-ing + O + adv.

You/ We/ They/ My friends + **were not** V-ing + O + adv.

(?) **Was** + I/ He/ She/ It/ Your friend + V-ing + O + adv?

Were + You/ We/ They/ Your friends + V-ing + O + adv?

I. Write V-ing form

watch	watching	ride		run		tie	
cook		drive		skip		lie	
wash		write		swim		die	
look		have		sit		hie	
do		make		plan		untie	

II. Give the correct form of the verbs in the Past Continuous Tense

- E.g: The plane **was flying** to Paris when it crashed. (fly)

1. The students for the bus when it started to rain. (wait)

2. Sue the grass at 4 P.M two days ago. (cut)

3. We the dishes when the phone rang. (wash)

4. My father a cake when I got home. (make)

5★. All the dogs on the floor when I arrived. (lie)

- E.g: She **wasn't taking** the dog for a walk. (not take)

6. He in the pool at 8:30 P.M. (not swim)

7. We homework when our mother came home. (**not do**)

8. I from you yesterday. (**not hide**)

9. My parents champagne at the party. (**not drink**)

10. Mum the floor at 9 A.M. (**not sweep**)

- **E.g:** Were the children **talking** when the teacher opened the door? (**listen**)

11. you to the cinema at 9 P.M yesterday? - No, I was not. (**go**)

12. David TV when the light turned off? - Yes, he was. (**watch**)

13. What you when Mary arrived? - I was sleeping on the sofa. (**do**)

14. your sister playing the guitar when he came home?

(practice)

15. Tilly a sandcastle when the sea began to bubble? (**build**)

III. Put the verbs in past continuous form

1. When the earthquake happened, my husband **was washing** (wash) the dishes.
2. Melanina (**sleep**) when I opened the door.
3. Sam (**not talk**) on the phone at 5 P.M yesterday.
4. When Ali phoned me, I (**take**) a shower.
5. My mother (**drink**) tea when I came home.
6. Our teachers (**write**) something when somebody knocked at the door.
7. What (**you do**) when I phoned you?
8. When I saw her, she (**have**) dinner with her boyfriend.
9. He (**not wait**) for her when she came in.
10. they (**study**) for their test at 2 P.M last weekend?