

PAST CONTINUOUS vs SIMPLE PAST

PUT THE VERBS IN BRACKETS INTO THE SIMPLE PAST OR PAST CONTINUOUS.

1. My father was driving (*drive*) his car when a policeman stopped (*stop*) him.
2. Two boys _____ (*play*) soccer when the teacher _____. (*come*)
3. I _____ (*run*) to the park when I _____ a terrible noise. (*hear*)
4. I _____ (*wait*) for my friend when the bus _____. (*arrive*)
5. When he _____ (*take*) my book, I _____ my hands in the restroom. (*wash*)
6. Carol _____ (*sleep*) when they _____ her home. (*visited*)

COMPLETE THE SENTENCES. USE THE PAST CONTINUOUS FORM OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS

1. My father was cooking (*cook*) lunch when he got home.
2. The plane _____ (*fly*) to Paris when it **crashed**.
3. The students _____ (*wait*) for the bus when it **started** to rain.
4. We _____ (*cross*) the street when the traffic lights **turned** red.
5. Sue _____ (*wash*) the dishes when the phone **rang**.
6. Mary _____ (*slice*) the bread when she **cut** her hand.