

Homework

Pre- Intermediate - day 10

1 GRAMMAR past continuous

a Complete the sentences. Use the past continuous.

- 1 I was sleeping (sleep) on my friend's sofa when his mother came home.
- 2 What _____ (you / talk) about when I came in?
- 3 He didn't call you because his mobile phone _____ (not / work).
- 4 They _____ (live) in Sydney when their first child was born.
- 5 I'm sorry, _____ (you / watch) that programme?
- 6 We _____ (walk) along the beach when we saw a snake.
- 7 She _____ (not / drive) when the car hit the tree. I was.
- 8 It _____ (snow) when they arrived in New York.

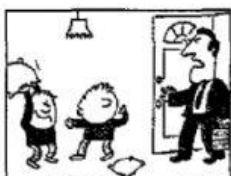
b Write sentences with *when*. Use the past simple and past continuous.



- 1 They / play tennis / start / rain
They were playing tennis when it started to rain.



- 2 He / break / his leg / ski



- 3 The boys / fight / their father / come home



- 4 A dog / eat / my sandwich / I / sleep / in the park

c Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Last summer I ¹ went (go) to Los Angeles to stay with my cousin for a few weeks. One afternoon we ² _____ (have) lunch in a nice restaurant in the centre of town when my cousin ³ _____ (get) a call on her mobile phone and went outside to talk. While she ⁴ _____ (speak) to her friend, I suddenly ⁵ _____ (notice) a man in a black hat who ⁶ _____ (sit) at the next table. It was the actor Johnny Depp! He was alone, and I ⁷ _____ (decide) to take my chance. So I got up and ⁸ _____ (go) to his table. 'Excuse me, could I have my photo taken with you?' I asked. He ⁹ _____ (say) yes, so I ¹⁰ _____ (stop) a waitress who ¹¹ _____ (pass) by and gave her my camera. She ¹² _____ (take) the photo of me and Johnny, I thanked them both, and then I returned to my table. When my cousin ¹³ _____ (come) back, I ¹⁴ _____ (smile). 'Why are you looking so pleased with yourself?' she asked. 'I had my photo taken with Johnny Depp.' 'Johnny Depp? Where is he?' 'He's sitting over there. Look!' She turned around to look and then started to laugh. 'That's not Johnny Depp!' I ¹⁵ _____ (look) at the man in the black hat – he ¹⁶ _____ (laugh) too.

2 VOCABULARY *at, in, on*

a Place. Complete the sentences with *at, in, on*.

- 1 We'll meet you at the bus stop
- 2 I often listen to music ____ my car.
- 3 ____ my room I have a poster ____ the wall and a photo of my parents ____ the table by my bed.
- 4 My family are from Zurich but we live ____ Munich.
- 5 She lives ____ the city centre.
- 6 There's some sugar ____ the shelf ____ the cupboard.
- 7 They swam ____ the sea and then went for a walk ____ the park.
- 8 There's a Post Office ____ the end of this road, ____ the corner of Old Street.

b Time. Complete the sentences with *at, in, on*, or nothing.

- 1 Let's meet next Saturday at 3.00.
- 2 I hate driving ____ night, getting up early ____ the morning, and working ____ weekends.
- 3 Our flight is leaving ____ Monday at 7.30 ____ the evening and arriving ____ midday ____ Tuesday
- 4 We have an exam ____ Friday ____ afternoon.
- 5 In most countries, banks and offices are closed ____ Christmas Day and New Year's Day.
- 6 Computers were invented ____ the 20th century.
- 7 Albert Einstein was born ____ 14 March, 1879 in Germany, and he died ____ 1955 in the USA.
- 8 ____ Easter we went to Italy and we're going again ____ the summer, probably the first two weeks ____ August.

3. Writing:

- 1 What were you doing at 8.00 last night?
- 2 What were you doing at 6.00 this morning?
- 3 What were you doing at 9.00 this morning?
- 4 Was it raining when you got up this morning?
- 5 What were you doing an hour ago?

