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UNIT 4: FOR A BETTER COMMUNITY

Grammar

past simple and past continuous with when and while

1. Choose the correct verb form in each of the following sentences.

1. While Lan was **working/worked** as a volunteer in the countryside, she met an aid friend
2. I was revising for my civics class when my dad was **telling/told** me about the volunteer job.
3. We saw many unhappy children while we were **helping/helped** people in remote areas.
4. He was sorting the donations when he was **raising/realised** how generous people were.

2. Combine the two sentences using when or while where appropriate.

1. They were cleaning the streets. It started to rain.

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2. I was watching TV. I saw the floods and landslides in the area.

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3. Tim was searching for employment opportunities. He found a job advert from a non-governmental organisation.

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4. They decided to help build a community centre for young people. They were visiting some poor villages.

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