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PAST SIMPLE - PAST CONTINUOUS

I. Uzupełnij zdania czasownikami w poprawnej formie.

1. Mr Taylor (buy) his car several years ago.
2. Yesterday at seven a.m. we (still / sleep).
3. When you came in, my mother (make) a cake.
4. I (feel) bad all day yesterday.
5. The plane from Boston (land) an hour ago.
6. You were watching TV while I (study) hard.
7. In 1965, my grandfather (work) on a farm.
8. The professor was in his room at five. He (read) something.
9. Cindy (wash) her hair when she heard someone knocking.
10. Jim was walking alone, when we (meet) him in the park.
11. Last Saturday we (drive) to Humpton to visit our aunt.
12. I (not know) that the printer was broken.
13. While I was waiting for you, I (listen) to the news on TV.
14. (the Parsons / move) to New York last October?
15. The policemen stopped us when we (cross) the street.
16. That car (not go) fast when it crashed against the tree.
17. Mr and Mrs Robson (pick) a lot of mushrooms here last time.
18. The scouts (collect) firewood from seven till nine.
19. What (they / tell) you in the office when you phoned them?
20. It (not rain) when we went out.

II. Wybierz poprawną formę czasownika.

1. Janet **made / was making** sandwiches for everybody yesterday.
2. When you **were phoning / phoned**, Mr Ross **was writing / wrote** a report.
3. My mother often **was telling / told** me to respect other people.
4. We **were paying / paid** for our meals and **went / were going** for a walk.
5. While we **picked / were picking** roses, we scratched our hands.
6. Right after breakfast I **was taking / took** my dog for a walk.
7. At two p.m. last Thursday, the football team **were practising / practised**.
8. When I saw him in the supermarket, John **bought / was buying** groceries.
9. The baby **cried / was crying** while the nurse **was giving / gave** her an injection.
10. I **didn't use / wasn't using** the computer between one and three o'clock.

11. When I **was opening / opened** the bag I **was seeing / saw** that it was empty.
12. The wind **blew / was blowing** heavily when the accident **happened / was happening**.
13. It **was starting / started** raining when Mr Paulson was watering his flowers.
14. That beautiful girl **smiled / was smiling** at me at least three times.
15. While the singer **recorded / was recording** his new song, he lost his voice.

III. Uzupełnij dialogi czasownikami w poprawnej formie.

1. 'What (Lisa / read) when you (come) in?'
'She (read) a magazine.'
2. 'Where (Sally / buy) that smart dress?'
'Her husband (bring) it for her from Paris last week.'
3. ' (you / sleep) when the phone (ring) ?'
'No, I (not sleep). I (read) a book.'
4. 'You (not come) to my birthday party last Saturday, Jim.'
'I'm sorry I couldn't. I (look) after my little sister all evening.'
5. 'Where (you and Janet / meet) ?'
'We (meet) in the park. She (walk) home.'
6. ' (it / rain) much last summer?'
'Not in July but it (rain) a lot in August.'
7. 'What (the people / do) in your house at eight a.m. yesterday?'
'They were plumbers. They (remove) the leaking pipes.'
8. ' (Alice / wait) in the hall while you (dress) ?'
'No. I (invite) her to sit down in the living-room.'
9. 'How much (Mr Jenkins / pay) for that old car?'
'It (not cost) much about one thousand.'
10. ' (David / hold) Mary's hand when you (see) them in the park.'
'I don't know. I (not look) at them for long.'

IV. Uzupełnij zdania w tekście czasownikami w poprawnej formie.

Al is one of my school friends. I like him although he is rather strange. He loves telling stories about UFO and aliens. He says he (meet) them some time ago. But let me begin from the start.

It (be) a few months ago. He (go) out for a walk near his place. It was about nine p.m. and Al (stroll) alone in the woods. After several minutes he (notice) that he (be) quite a long way from his house. And then it all (happen). A silver flying saucer (land) in front of him and two green creatures (come) out of it. They (invite) him to come into their saucer and (ask) him questions about life on Earth. While Al (tell) them about our planet, the creatures (do) strange experiments. When they (finish), they (let) Al go back. After coming back home, Al (not remember) anything. The memories of this unusual visit (appear) only after a few weeks. Many people still do not believe in Al's stories and say that they are untrue.

V. Przetłumacz zdania na język angielski.

1. Kiedy wszedłem do pokoju Eddie grał w karty ze swoimi przyjaciółmi.

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2. Czy państwo Lee pracowali w swoim ogrodzie wczoraj o dziesiątej rano?

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3. Zobaczyłem ją w parku po lekcjach. Siedziała na ławce i czytała książkę.

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4. Dziecko naszych sąsiadów płakało przez całą noc.

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5. Czy pan Johnson siedział w swoim biurze, gdy telefon zadzwonił?

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