

GRAMMAR

Past Simple vs. Past Continuous

Complete each sentence using the correct form of the verbs in parentheses (Past Simple or Past Continuous).

1. I _____ (walk) to school when I _____ (see) my best friend.
2. She _____ (have) dinner when the lights _____ (go) out.
3. They _____ (play) cards when their parents _____ (arrive) home.
4. We _____ (watch) TV when our teacher _____ (call) us.
5. He _____ (drive) to work when he _____ (hear) the news on the radio.
6. The students _____ (talk) during class when the teacher _____ (come) in.
7. I _____ (take) a shower when someone _____ (knock) on the door.
8. My dog _____ (sleep) on the sofa when the baby _____ (start) crying.
9. She _____ (run) in the park when she _____ (fall) and hurt her knee.
10. We _____ (have) breakfast when my brother _____ (spill) the milk.