

Lesson 3 Grammar

1 Underline the verbs. Tick (✓) if the verb form is correct and cross (x) if it isn't.



1 I was sitting ☒ in my classroom when the electricity was going off ☒.



2 My class was doing ☐ a test when it happened ☐.

3 I was working ☐ on the computer when I was losing ☐ my work.

4 We did ☐ our English project when Paul shouted ☐, 'Help!'

5 Our teacher went ☐ to the library when the lights were coming ☐ back on.

6 We had ☐ lunch when there was ☐ another power cut.

2 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs.



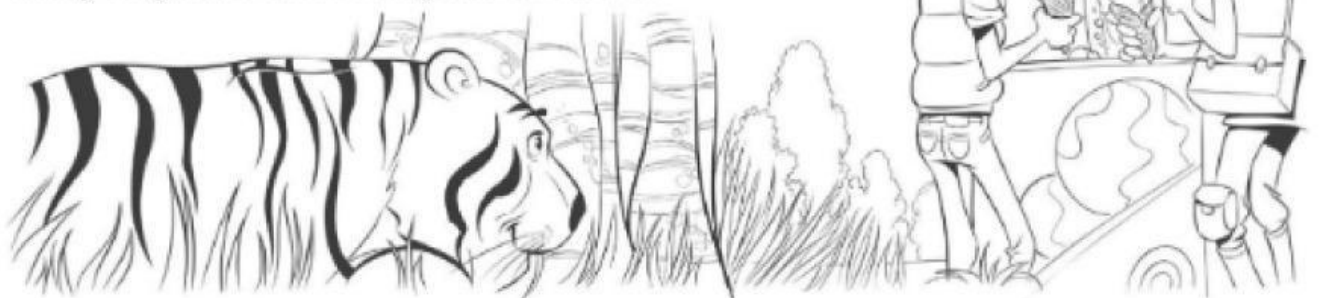
Last night there was a problem at the zoo. The new zookeeper
1 was feeding (feed) the tiger when it escaped.

He wasn't watching when the tiger 2 _____ (run)

away. Some tourists 3 _____ (walk) in the
park when they heard a strange noise. They

4 _____ (buy) ice cream when they saw
the tiger. They were phoning the emergency services when a
police car 5 _____ (arrive). The tiger

6 _____ (sleep) under a tree when the police
finally caught it. It is now safely back in the zoo.



3 What happened after school? Write sentences with **when**.



1 go home / see an accident

I was going home when I saw an accident.

2 phone police / ambulance arrive

3 open door / lights come back on

4 watch TV / power go off again

5 wash the dishes / water go cold