Worksheet Activity - Past Continuous with Interrupted Actions

Fill in the blanks using the words in the brackets.

Remember to use the correct form and tense:

Use the past continuous (was/were + -ing) for the action that was happening.

Use the past simple for the action that interrupted it.

Example: We _____ playing football when it _____ to rain. (be, start)

Answer: We were playing football when it started to rain.

1. He _____ doing his homework when his mom _____ him to come for dinner. (be, tell)
2. She was _____ TV when the phone _____. (watch, ring)
3. We _____ having a picnic when it _____ to get windy. (be, start)
4. He _____ cooking breakfast when the electricity _____ off. (be, turn)
5. I was _____ lunch when my friend _____ on the door. (eat, knock)

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