

3 Make the sentences negative.

1 He was working.
He wasn't working.

2 She was listening.
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3 We were enjoying our dinner.
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4 It was raining.
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5 You were listening to me.
.....

6 They were speaking good English.
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7 They were playing well.
.....

8 I was looking out of the window.
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4 Use the sentences from 3 to complete each sentence.

1 He wasn't working — he was playing computer games!

2 — it was a beautiful day!

3 — they were losing 4–0 after 20 minutes!

4 — I was listening to the teacher!

5 — I couldn't understand anything they said!

6 — she was thinking about her boyfriend!

7 — you were asleep!

8 — the food was cold!

5 Complete the dialogue. Put the verbs in brackets into the past continuous.

Granddad Do you remember the day we met? Back in 1960?

Grandma Yes, I do. I remember it very well.

Granddad We met in a café.

Grandma No, we met in the park.

Granddad That's right! The park! The sun
1 (shine).

Grandma No, the sun 2
..... (not shine).

It 3 (rain).

Granddad Ah yes! The rain! And you
4 (ride)
your bike.

Grandma No, I 5
(not ride) my bike.

I 6 (walk).

Granddad Of course — you
7 (walk).

And you 8
(wear) a blue jacket.

Grandma No, I wasn't. I 9
..... (wear) a

brown raincoat.

Granddad Yes, I remember everything. Just
like it was yesterday.

Grandma Hmm. And what
10 you
..... (do)?

Granddad Me? I 11
(play) football with my friend
Stevie Jones.

Grandma That's right. Stevie Jones. He was
so good-looking.

Granddad He was. But you married me.
Remember?

Grandma Yes, I remember! I 12
.....

(not wear) my glasses that day.

Oh well. Everyone can make a
mistake!