



PAST SIMPLE/ PAST CONTINUOUS

A group of people were staying in a hotel. One evening the fire alarm rang. Use the words in brackets to make sentences saying what each person was doing at the time

Example: (Don / have/ a bath) *Don was having a bath*

- (Ann / write / a letter in her room)
- (Tom / get / ready to go out)
- (Carol and Dennis / have / dinner)
- (John / make / a phone call)

Make sentences from the words in brackets. Put the verbs into Present Simple or Continuous

Example: (I / fall/ asleep/when /I/watch/ TV) *I fell asleep when I was watching TV*

- (The phone / ring /when /I/have/ a shower)
- (I/walk/ home/when / it / begin /to rain)
- (when /we/ wait/ for the bus /we / see /an accident)

WRITE THE VERB IN BRACKETS IN PAST SIMPLE OR CONTINUOUS

- George _____ (FALL) off the ladder while he _____ (PAINT) the wall.
- Last night I _____ (READ) in bed when suddenly I _____ (HEAR) a scream
- _____ (you/WATCH) TV when I phoned you?
- Ann _____ (WAIT) for me when I _____ (ARRIVE)
- I _____ (NOT DRIVE) very fast when the accident _____ (HAPPEN)
- I _____ (BREAK) a plate last night. I _____ (DO) the washing up when it _____ (SLIP) out of my hand
- Tom _____ (TAKE) a photograph of me while I _____ (NOT LOOK)
- We _____ (NOT GO) out because it _____ (RAIN)
- What _____ (you/ DO) at this time yesterday?
- I _____ (SEE) Carol at the party. She _____ (WEAR) a beautiful dress
- When we _____ (GO) out, it _____ (RAIN)
- I wasn't hungry last night. I _____ (NOT EAT) anything
- I _____ (NOT UNDERSTAND) what they _____ (TALK) about
- Jane wasn't at home when I went to see her. She _____ (WORK)
- I _____ (GET UP) early this morning. I _____ (WASH), _____ (DRESS), I _____ (HAVE) breakfast and then I _____ (GO) to school
- The postman _____ (COME) while I _____ (HAVE) breakfast
- We _____ (MEET) Joan at the party. She _____ (DRINK) a Coke
- The boys _____ (BREAK) a window when they _____ (PLAY) football
- I _____ (GET UP) at 7 o'clock. The sun _____ (SHINE), the birds _____ (SING) so as I _____ (FEEL) happy , I _____ (GO) for a walk.
- "What _____ (you/DO) on Saturday evening?" "I _____ (GO) to the cinema"
- "What _____ (you/DO) at 9:30 on Saturday evening?" "I _____ (WATCH) a film
- When Jane _____ (DO) a Language course in Scotland, she _____ (visit) Lock Ness

COMPLETE THE STORY WITH THE CORRECT TENSE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS

Two days ago, a murder _____ (happen) in Market Street at about seven pm. Yesterday Sherlock Holmes _____ (arrive) at the crime scene to investigate. He _____ (ask) one of the tenants in the house.

- "What _____ (you /do) yesterday at seven?"
- "I _____ (watch) a football match"
- " _____ (you/ be) alone?"
- " Yes, I _____ (be)
- _____ (you //hear) anything suspicious?"
- Yes, about seven, two people _____ (argue) in the hallway. But the football match _____ (be) very interesting. So, I just _____ (turn) up the telly and then I _____ (not hear) anything anymore.