

1 Past continuous: affirmative and negative

- a It was raining hard, but the wind wasn't blowing. _____
- b I was waiting for a train at midnight yesterday. _____
- c We weren't laughing at you, I promise! _____
- d He wasn't expecting their visit. _____
- e The people were running away from the flood. _____
- f The helicopter was searching for the swimmers. _____

2 Past continuous: questions and short answers

- a Was your sister working last night? Yes, she was. _____
- b Who was eating noisily? _____
- c Why were you taking a photo of the tornado? _____
- d Were they having lunch at that time? No, they weren't. _____

- e What was he thinking about? _____
- f Was I talking in my sleep? Yes, you were! _____

3 Past simple and past continuous

- a What were you listening to when I arrived? _____
- b I was skiing when the avalanche started. _____
- c They weren't feeling very well when I saw them. _____
- d They were shouting angrily when he walked in. _____
- e She fell asleep while she was driving. _____
- f The storm started while they were fishing at the lake. _____
- g He wasn't listening when his teacher told them what to do for homework. _____

4 Revision

When I was little I hated thunder and lightning. One day I was at home with my mother and my sister, and a storm started. My mother decided to make a cake and we forgot about the weather. While we were helping my mother in the kitchen, lightning struck the house and the lights went off. We sat on the kitchen floor and my mother sang to us. When my father came home, we were sitting on the floor, singing Beatles' songs and eating cake. Now, I love storms and I often go for walks in the rain.
