Pasado continuo: formación y uso

Formar el pasado continuo completo

Para decir qué estaba pasando usamos was o were + verbo con ing. Con I, he, she e it usamos was; con you, we y they usamos were. Normalmente añadimos ing; quitamos la e en make → making, duplicamos la consonante en run → running y cambiamos ie por y en lie → lying. La y de study se mantiene: studying. Aquí usamos traveling, la escritura americana. Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase.

Ejemplo resuelto

I cook dinner. At six yesterday, I ____ soup. → I cook dinner. At six yesterday, I was cooking soup.

Preparo la cena. Ayer, a las seis, estaba cocinando sopa.

Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase. Escribe was o were y su forma con -ing en el hueco.

01. The baby sleeps after lunch. At two yesterday, she _____.

02. Anna talks to her cousin. At nine last night, she _____ on the phone.

03. You cook dinner. At six yesterday, you _____ soup.

04. They watch birds. At noon yesterday, they _____ a heron.

05. I listen to music. At eight last night, I _____ to jazz.

06. My sister drives a taxi. At six yesterday, she _____ to the airport.

07. You use a laptop for work. At four yesterday, you _____ mine.

08. We help at the cafe. At ten yesterday, we _____ in the kitchen.

09. They plan trips together. At eight last night, they _____ a holiday.

10. I ride my bike to work. At eight yesterday, I _____ across the park.

11. Grandpa washes the car. At nine yesterday, he _____ the wheels.

12. You make cakes. At five yesterday, you _____ muffins.

13. The workers carry boxes. At nine yesterday, they _____ books upstairs.

14. We wait for the bus. At seven yesterday, we _____ at the stop.

15. Dad cleans the car. At noon yesterday, he _____ the seats.

16. It rains a lot here. At noon yesterday, it _____ heavily.

17. Ben swims at the pool. At six yesterday, he _____ in the sea.

18. Emma studies at home. At eight last night, she _____ history.

19. They dance after dinner. At ten last night, they _____ together.

20. The cat sits on my bed. At eight last night, it _____ on a chair.

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Continuación: ejercicios 21-40. Usa el verbo principal de la primera frase. Escribe was o were y su forma con -ing en el hueco.

21. Dad fixes bikes. At three yesterday, he _____ a flat tire.

22. The dog lies by the door. At midnight, it _____ on the rug.

23. You eat lunch at home. At one yesterday, you _____ a salad.

24. The boys build models. At five yesterday, they _____ a bridge.

25. I read on trains. At noon yesterday, I _____ a comic.

26. You practice the piano. At five yesterday, you _____ a new song.

27. My parents work outside. At ten yesterday, they _____ in the garden.

28. The children sing at school. At noon yesterday, they _____ a song.

29. Mom bakes on Sundays. At nine last Sunday, she _____ bread.

30. My friends travel by bus. At noon yesterday, they _____ to the coast.

31. They shop for food. At ten yesterday, they _____ at the market.

32. We drink tea after lunch. At two yesterday, we _____ green tea.

33. Mia writes stories. At four yesterday, she _____ a poem.

34. Nora draws animals. At four yesterday, she _____ a cat.

35. The girls paint pictures. At four yesterday, they _____ a big poster.

36. We walk home. At six yesterday, we _____ past the library.

37. They take photos. At noon yesterday, they _____ pictures of the castle.

38. I look for shells on the beach. At noon yesterday, I _____ for a starfish.

39. We play tennis. At five yesterday, we _____ at the sports center.

40. Leo runs in the park. At seven yesterday, he _____ by the lake.

Soluciones

Frases con el hueco completado. La respuesta aparece en negrita.

01. At two yesterday, she **was sleeping**.
02. At nine last night, she **was talking** on the phone.
03. At six yesterday, you **were cooking** soup.
04. At noon yesterday, they **were watching** a heron.
05. At eight last night, I **was listening** to jazz.
06. At six yesterday, she **was driving** to the airport.
07. At four yesterday, you **were using** mine.
08. At ten yesterday, we **were helping** in the kitchen.
09. At eight last night, they **were planning** a holiday.
10. At eight yesterday, I **was riding** across the park.
11. At nine yesterday, he **was washing** the wheels.
12. At five yesterday, you **were making** muffins.
13. At nine yesterday, they **were carrying** books upstairs.
14. At seven yesterday, we **were waiting** at the stop.
15. At noon yesterday, he **was cleaning** the seats.
16. At noon yesterday, it **was raining** heavily.
17. At six yesterday, he **was swimming** in the sea.
18. At eight last night, she **was studying** history.
19. At ten last night, they **were dancing** together.
20. At eight last night, it **was sitting** on a chair.
21. At three yesterday, he **was fixing** a flat tire.
22. At midnight, it **was lying** on the rug.
23. At one yesterday, you **were eating** a salad.
24. At five yesterday, they **were building** a bridge.
25. At noon yesterday, I **was reading** a comic.
26. At five yesterday, you **were practicing** a new song.
27. At ten yesterday, they **were working** in the garden.
28. At noon yesterday, they **were singing** a song.
29. At nine last Sunday, she **was baking** bread.
30. At noon yesterday, they **were traveling** to the coast.
31. At ten yesterday, they **were shopping** at the market.
32. At two yesterday, we **were drinking** green tea.
33. At four yesterday, she **was writing** a poem.
34. At four yesterday, she **was drawing** a cat.
35. At four yesterday, they **were painting** a big poster.
36. At six yesterday, we **were walking** past the library.
37. At noon yesterday, they **were taking** pictures of the castle.
38. At noon yesterday, I **was looking** for a starfish.
39. At five yesterday, we **were playing** at the sports center.
40. At seven yesterday, he **was running** by the lake.