

PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE

Fill in the blanks with the past continuous tense of the verb in brackets.

- 1 Fiona and I _____ water at each other in the pool when Jill joined in. (splash)
- 2 The child _____ bitterly for his mother at the 'Lost and Found' counter. (cry)
- 3 Mr and Mrs Lewis _____ down the stairs when one of their grocery bags burst open. (walk)
- 4 I _____ to my father when the telephone rang. (talk)
- 5 Keith _____ for his football in the bushes when he saw a shiny watch on the ground. (look)
- 6 The siblings _____ so loudly that their parents scolded them. (scream)
- 7 One of the girls _____ the wrong way during the rehearsal. (dance)
- 8 The policemen _____ the neighbourhood when a gunshot was heard. (patrol)
- 9 The workers _____ the cars at the petrol station when there was a sudden explosion. (wash)
- 10 The baby _____ for his milk. (bawl)

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- 1 were splashing
- 2 was crying
- 3 were walking
- 4 was talking
- 5 was looking
- 6 were screaming
- 7 was dancing
- 8 were patrolling
- 9 were washing
- 10 was bawling

