# **Past Continuous**

# Прошедшее продолженное время

### Употребляется:

• Описания действия, **происходившего в определенный момент в прошлом** (этот прошедший момент может быть выражен другим однократным действием (обычно в Past Simple или указанием времени):

I was playing computer games at 5 p.m. yesterday. - Я играл в компьютерные игры в пять часов вечера.

**)** Действии, которое происходило в прошлом и было прервано другим действием:

He was reading his letter when he noticed a mistake. - Он читал письмо, когда заметил ошибку.

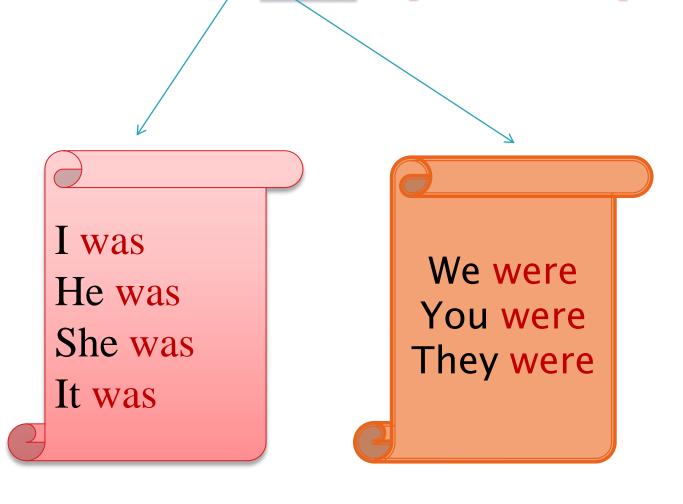
<u>Past Continuous</u> часто употребляется после союза **while** (пока, в то время как), **when, as,** а так же с выражениями **from 5 till 6**, **the whole evening** (весь вечер), the **whole day yesterday, all day, yesterday at 7** ...

### Образование времени

Время Past Continuous образуется при помощи второй формы глагола to be (was, were) и -ing формы смыслового глагола.

I was having a picnic at 11 p.m. last Sunday. (В 11 часов в прошлое воскресенье я был на пикнике).

## Глагол <u>to be</u> в прошедшем времени



#### Вопросительные предложения:

- Was he talking on the phone at 8 o`clock last night? (Он разговаривал по телефону в 8 часов прошлым вечером?)
  - -Yes, he was.
  - No, he wasn`t.
- Were they playing volleyball at 9.00 p.m. yesterday? (В 9 часов вечера они играли в волейбол?)
  - Yes, they were.
  - No, they weren't.

#### Отрицательные предложения:

He was <u>not</u> playing football <u>when</u> their mother called. (Он не играл в футбол, когда мама позвала его).

They were <u>not</u> reading <u>while</u> his mother was cooking dinner. (Они не читали в то время, когда его мама готовила обед.)

## Сокращенные формы

was not = wasn't

were not = weren't

## Поставьте глаголы в Past Continuous

I (read) a book when he came in. 2. The sun (shine) when we went out. 3. When you came in, I (write). 4. It (rain) in the morning when I got up. 5. He (work) all day yesterday. 6. We (live) in France when the war began. 7. He (walk) across the bridge when I saw him. 8. John got off the train while it (go). 9. I (play) the piano when he came into the room. 10. The woman (eat) her dinner when I came home.

## Задайте вопросы к предложениям

1. We were packing our things the whole day.(How long). 2. They were flying over the city at that time (Where). 3. We was helping the farmers when it began to rain (What). 4. When I called you yesterday, you were working hard (When). 5. When we saw them, the boys were swimming. 6. The horses were running very fast. 7. This time yesterday, we were sitting here. 8. It was raining hard when I came to school.