

Unit 8

Grammar 1: Past continuous and past simple

Complete the sentences using the past continuous or the past simple.

- 1 I *was reading* / *were reading* at 6pm last night.
- 2 They *was watching* / *were watching* television yesterday evening.
- 3 She was talking on her mobile phone when the teacher *was coming* / *came* in.
- 4 What *was* / *were* you doing last weekend?
- 5 I was cycling to school when I *was falling* / *fell* off my bike.
- 6 My mum was cooking when I *was arriving* / *arrived* home for dinner.
- 7 We didn't talk because I *was listening* / *listened* to music.
- 8 I was texting her when she *was arriving* / *arrived* at the door.

Grammar 2: *can/can't, could/couldn't*

Complete the sentences with *can, can't, could* or *couldn't*.

- Tom:** I went to the new sports centre last night. You (1) play basketball there.
- Jim:** Really? (2) you play tennis there too?
- Tom:** Yes, you can. Last week I (3) play tennis because all of the tennis courts were fully booked and the week before that I (4) go to the sports centre either, because my leg hurt.
- Jim:** I don't think I want to play tennis anyway. I'd like to go swimming.
- Tom:** You (5) go swimming there because they haven't got a pool. But there is a pool in school. You (6) go swimming there!



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Vocabulary 1: Technology verbs

Match the two halves of the sentences.

- 1 I don't call people on my ...
- 2 My mum doesn't like it when ...
- 3 I prefer to email friends ...
- 4 We can't ...
- 5 I like to surf the ...
- 6 We downloaded a film last weekend and ...

- a ... send texts while we are in class.
- b ... mobile phone very often because it's expensive.
- c ... internet in the evenings.
- d ... than to write them letters!
- e ... I spend too much time on the internet.
- f ... then we watched it on the computer.

Vocabulary 2: Music

Find the words in the word search.

opera pop classical rap jazz rock

c	t	r	a	p	f	q	a	p	n	l	z	o
l	o	a	p	t	o	p	r	a	o	e	z	p
a	b	g	o	a	l	e	d	j	p	r	a	o
s	a	j	a	z	z	t	c	i	e	w	r	p
s	h	k	m	s	a	r	s	o	r	t	o	i
o	g	y	i	t	v	i	f	j	a	e	c	k
c	l	a	s	s	i	c	a	l	u	d	k	o
x	o	z	h	u	w	l	r	a	k	o	x	z
n	a	b	i	m	f	e	p	i	c	k	l	z