

EVERYDAY ENGLISH 3

Student Worksheet

Module 4 • Situation 5

Test

2 points for each answer

Name:

A Complete the sentences with the Past Continuous form of the verb in brackets.

1. No, I _____ (not smoke).
2. You _____ (stand) in line.
3. I _____ (write) a personal check.
4. They _____ (not pay) by cash.
5. He _____ (return) the camera.
6. Her dog _____ (not walk) in the rain.
7. She and I _____ (not sit around).
8. We _____ (use) our new credit cards.

B Write the Yes / No questions in the Past Continuous. Use the answers to help you.

1. _____ ?
Yes, we were interviewing her.
2. _____ ?
No, I wasn't counting calories.
3. _____ ?
Yes, she was shopping yesterday.
4. _____ ?
No, you weren't shouting very loudly.
5. _____ ?
Yes, it was raining last night.
6. _____ ?
No, they weren't eating dinner.

C Write Wh- questions in the Past Continuous. Use the bold word(s) to help you.

1. _____ ?
He was returning a **camera**.
2. _____ ?
They were robbing the store at **12 a.m.**
3. _____ ?
I was walking **home**.
4. _____ ?
Their parents were soaking wet.
5. _____ ?
We were standing in line **to buy theater tickets**.
6. _____ ?
You were acting **very well**.

D Circle the correct answer to complete the sentences.

1. We were working in the same newsroom when we
a. were remarrying b. remarried
2. While I ... there was a blackout.
a. shopped b. was shopping
3. They ... in the city when it started raining.
a. were walking b. walked
4. We were looking at scarves when he
a. was coming in b. came in
5. Were you single when you ... ?
a. quit smoking b. were quitting smoking
6. You ... several times while you were sleeping.
a. were shouting b. shouted
7. Was she ... when the robbery happened?
a. shopped b. shopping
8. When I asked for a refund, the store ... me one.
a. didn't give b. wasn't give

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E Complete the text with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

Last week, I ¹_____ (go) shopping in the city. While I ²_____ (shop) in my favorite clothes store, I ³_____ (see) my manager. She ⁴_____ (try on) blouses. I ⁵_____ (not want) her to see me, so I ⁶_____ (leave) the store.

F Translate these sentences.

1. He was dressed in green from head to toe.
_____.
2. It suddenly stopped working.
_____.
3. This scarf is nothing special.
_____.
4. Do they like to dress up?
_____.
5. We won a prize for the best costume.
_____.
6. Were you scared during the blackout?
_____.
7. What did you wear to the Halloween party?
_____.
8. She wasn't sitting around.
_____.

G Read the text and complete the interview questions that follow. Use the answers to help you. Some questions can be written in more than one way.

In college, I studied journalism. While I was going to college, I worked for my city newspaper. I graduated from college last winter. After I graduated, I went to work for a publisher. The publisher's job paid more money. I am still working at the publisher's. I enjoy my job very much.

1. What did you _____ ?
Journalism.
2. Did you _____ ?
Yes, I worked. I worked for the city newspaper.
3. Were you _____ ?
Yes, I was studying and working at the same time.
4. When did you _____ ?
Last winter.
5. Where did you _____ ?
At a publisher.
6. Why did you _____ ?
The job paid more money.
7. Are you _____ ?
Yes, I am still working there.
8. Do you _____ ?
Yes, very much.

TOTAL: / 100