ENGLISH

Chapter 8
Session A

2nd
SECONDARY

GOALS





HELICOMOTIVATION







Past progressive

1 Read the examples. Complete the table with the past progressive verbs in blue.

13 people were working for Instagram.

The company was doing very well.

At the start of the 21st century, people **weren't taking** photos in the same way.

Affirmative/negative					
subject	be +(not)	verb -ing			
I, he, she, it	1 was / wasn't	₂ wearing			
you, we, they	2 were / weren't	3			

- 2 Complete the sentences with the affirmative or negative form of the past progressive and the verbs in parentheses.
 - 1 At 6:30 am | was sleeping (sleep) (+).
 - 2 Last night at 10:30 pm my dad wasn't making dinner (make dinner) (–).
 - 3 One hour ago wewere playing sports(play sports) (+).
 - 4 This time last week, we weren't studying (study) (-) English.
 - Two minutes ago our teacher was writing (write) (+) on the board.

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Was the Vans company having problems in the 1970s? No, it wasn't.

Who was Edwin Land traveling with in 1943?

Wh- ques	tions			
question word	be	subject	verb -ing	
Where	were	they	going	yesterday?

Yes/No questions					
be	subject	verb -ing			
Were	they	wearing	sunglasses?		
Yes/No,	subject	be (+ not)			
Yes,	they	were.			

Who was Edwind traveling with in Land 1943

Was the Vans having problems company in the 1970's

5 Write questions in the past progressive.

- 1 (boy / walk) quickly or slowly at the start?
 Was the boy walking quickly or slowly at the start?
- 2 (what / boy / do) while (he / walk)?
 What was the boy doing while he was walking?
- 3 (what / birds / do)?
 What were the birds doing?
- 4 (any other people / travel)?
 Were any other people traveling?
- 5 (how / boy / move) in the second part?
 How was the boy moving in the second part?
- 6 (who / boy / talk to)?
 Who was the boy talking to?

- 1 Was the boy walking quickly or slowly at the start? He was walking slowly.
- 2 What was the boy doing while he was walking? He was listening to music and singing.
- 3 What were the birds doing?
 - The birds were singing.
- 4 Were any other people traveling?
 - Yes, they were. Some people were driving by in cars.
- 5 How was the boy moving in the second part? He was running.
- 6 Who was the boy talking to? A teacher.



Unit 3

Past progressive

Reinforcement Write affirmative and negative sentences with the past progressive.

Yesterday, at 3:00 pm ...



1 Anna / play soccer (skateboard)

Anna wasn't playing soccer. She was ...

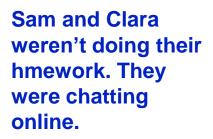


2 Tony / study Spanish (play a video game)

Tony wasn't studying Spanish. He was playing a video game.



3 Sam and Clara / do their homework (chat online)





4 Louise / read (watch a movie)

Louis wasn't Reading. She was watching a movie.



5 Ben / write an email (ride his bike)

Ben wasn't writing an email. He was riding his bike.



6 Geri, Sara and Pete / visit a museum (shop)

Geri, Sara and Pete weren't vising a museum. They were shopping.

2 Reinforcement Order the words to make questions.

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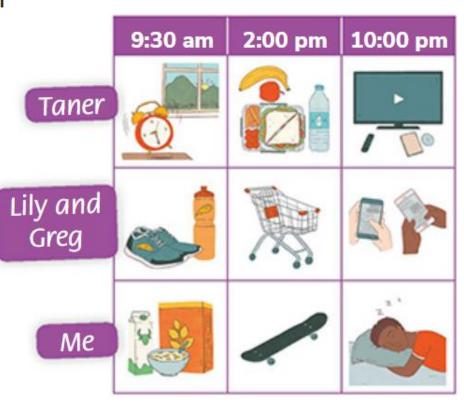
What .: were .: you .: doing .: yesterday at 3:00 pm .: ? .:
Was .: it .: raining .: two hours ago .: ? .:

you .: watching TV .: at ten o'clock last night five minutes ago the person next to you doing breakfast . at seven thirty . having . Were .

Challenge Look at the pictures and complete the sentences with the past progressive form of the verbs in the box.

chat online get up go for a run have lunch make breakfast shop skateboard sleep watch a movie

- 1 At nine thirty, Taner was getting up.
- 2 At the same time. | was making breakfast
- 3 At two o'clock, Lily and Greg were shopping
- At ten o'clock, Lily and Greg were chatting online
- 5 At ten o'clock, I was sleeping



Challenge Write questions about the activities in exercise 4.

- 1 What / Lily and Greg / do / at nine thirty? What were Lily and Greg doing at nine thirty?
- 2 Taner / play basketball / at two o'clock? was Taner playing basketball at two o'clock?
- 3 What / you / do / at two o'clock? What were you doing at two o'clock?
- 4 Taner / shop / at two o'clock? Was Taner shopping at two o'clock?
- 5 What / Taner / do / at ten o'clock? What was Taner doing at ten o'clock?