

STATION 5: Participle clauses instead of adverbial clauses of time

Participle clauses with "**when**" or "**while**" can be used **instead** of **adverbial clauses of time**.

Examples:

adverbial clause of time	<u>While</u> they were waiting for the lesson to end, the students sat down quietly.
participle clause	<u>While</u> waiting for the lesson to end, the students sat down quietly.

Translation:

- Während sie auf das Stundenende warteten, saßen die Schüler:innen ruhig da.

TASK:

1. Use **participle clauses** starting with "**when**" or "**while**" to **join** each **pair of sentences**. (*Pay attention: Sometimes, you need to change sentence a), sometimes sentence b) into a participle clause.*)
2. Underline the **participle clause**.

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| 1 a) I waited for my flight to Sydney. | b) I read my guide to Australia. |
| 2 a) I often went surfing. | b) I lived in Sydney for six months |
| 3 a) I attended school in Sydney. | b) I made a lot of new friends. |
| 4 a) I took photographs of Sydney Harbour. | b) I took the ferry to Manly. |
| 5 a) I got a lot of information on the internet. | b) I planned a trip to Far North Queensland. |
| 6 a) We visited Cape Tribulation. | b) We saw a cassowary on the beach. |
| 7 a) We looked out for crocodiles. | b) We swam in the sea near Cape Tribulation. |

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1. While / When **waiting** for my flight to Sydney, I read my guide to Australia.
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____