The past progressive and the simple past in contrast

1. I was working all night.

Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the past progressive.

Example: Bill and Michelle were working (work) in the garden all weekend.

a. Last night Charly	·	(read)	a great	book

b. Lisa and Kim _____ (not/play football) at 3 o'clock.

c. The baby _____ (cry) all day.

d. I _____ (wait) for the bus for hours.

e. You _____ (not/paint) the door this morning.

2. Were you listening?

Write the completed questions below the pictures.

Example: listen	a. use my laptop	b. sleep in my bed	c. cook dinner	d. sleep
you ??	you and your friends	Donald ond Lindsey	Michelle ?	
Were you listening?				
	?	?	?	?

3. Simple past or past progressive?

Fill in the gaps with the correct form.

Example: While Danielle <u>was dreaming</u> (dream) of zebra paradise, Donald <u>fell</u> (fall) off the sofa.

a. W	hen Lisa and Charly (cor	_ (come) home from school, Michelle			
_	(make) lunch in the kitche	n.			
b. Bi	ll (take) a shower whe	n he (hear) a loud noise.			

c. When the microwave _____ (explode), Charly _____ (watch) TV.

d. Bill _____ (drop) all the plates while Lindsay _____ (wait) for mice.



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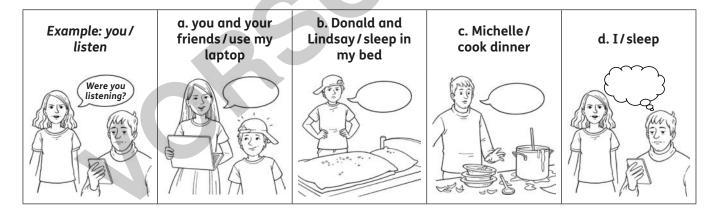
Put the words in the correct order and use the past progressive.

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- e. you the door- this morning (not/paint)

2. Were you listening?

Form questions and write them into your exercise book.



3. Simple past or past progressive?

Fill in the gaps with the correct form. Use the verbs from the box. There is one more verb than you need.

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