

Exercice 1 Complétez ces phrases avec was ou were et le verbe + ing

1. Yesterday at 3 am I __was__ sleeping in my bed (to sleep)
2. Yesterday was a lovely day. the sun _____ . (to shine)
3. The birds _____ in the trees. (to sing)
4. People _____ in the parks. (to walk)
5. They _____ much noise when the police arrived. (to make)
6. There was an accident. The police _____ with a man. (to talk)
7. Journalists _____ pictures. (to take)
8. A child _____ . (to cry)
9. I _____ (to sleep) so I didn't hear the phone.
10. When the teacher walked in, the children _____ (to laugh) and _____ (to throw) paper airplanes.

Remarquez que pour la question 10, on ne répète pas l'auxiliaire "were". L'utiliser une fois au début suffit.

Exercice 2 Complétez avec des phrases négatives.

1. The sun __wasn't__ shining so we stayed in bed.
2. We _____ a very nice time so we went home. (to have)
3. I _____ (to sleep) so I got up to read a book.
4. They _____ (to think) straight so they took a break. (To think straight = penser clairement)
5. She went home because she _____ well. (to feel)
6. I _____ anything! It was not me! (to say)
7. We _____ any sun cream so we stayed in the shade. (to wear)
8. You _____ because you had to drive home. (to drink)

Exercice 5 : Posez des questions. Utilisez was ou were puis le verbe avec ing

1. What __were__ you doing yesterday at 5pm? (to do)
2. _____ he _____? (to sleep)
3. What _____ she _____? (to say)
4. _____ they _____? (to win)
5. How _____ your mother _____? (to do)
6. _____ Jack and Jill _____ in the UK at the time? (to live)
7. Where _____ they _____? (to stay)
8. Why _____ you _____? (to cry)
9. Who _____ you _____ to? (to talk)
10. _____ it _____ this morning? (to rain)