** Methodological Worksheet**

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**UNIT II. HOW STRANGE! HOW WONDERFUL**

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**CMO: 1. Crear oraciones usando pasado continuo**

**2. Completar oraciones usando pasado simple o continuo según corresponda a la situación**

**descrita**

**The Past Continuous tense**

This tense is used to say that somebody was in the middle of doing something at a certain time. The action or situation had already started before this but had not finished.

Example of this in action:

• Yesterday Sandra met Harold for lunch at one o’clock. They finished

at two o’clock. Therefore at one thirty, they were having lunch.

Examples

• This time last year I was working in Starbucks’.

• What was he doing at ten o’clock yesterday?

• She was late for class because the buses were running late.

**Exercises**

**I. Have a look at Peter’s diary then complete the exercise below**

**9-10 Go for morning run**

**10-11 Shop for food**

**11-1 Do the accounts**

**1-2 Have lunch**

**2-5 Have meeting with Gosport and Company**

**5-6 Travel home**

**6-8 Watch television**

**8-9 Prepare supper**

**II. Now answer the following questions.** The first one has been done for you.

1. What was Peter doing at 6.15? Answer: He was watching television.

2. What was Peter doing at 10.30 ? Answer:…………………………………………………

3. What was Peter doing at 2.45? Answer:…………………………………………………

4. What was Peter doing at 8.20? Answer:…………………………………………………

5. What was Peter doing at 11 05? Answer:…………………………………………………

6. What was Peter doing at 5.15? Answer:…………………………………………………

7. What was Peter doing at 9 07? Answer:…………………………………………………

**II. Put the verbs in the following sentences into the correct form of the past tense. Ask yourself the following**

**\* Question: HAD THE ACTION BEEN COMPLETED OR WAS IT STILL GOING ON?** The first one has been done for you.

1. John …………………….(wait) for me when I ………………….(get home)

Answer: John was waiting for me when I got home.

2. When I was a child I …………………………………. (want) to be a vet.

3. I…………………….(cook) dinner when the phone ………………………(rings).

4. He………………………(run)…down the road when the accident………………..(happen)

5. I ………………..(meet)Alex at the station. He……………………………….(go) to Liverpool.

6. We……………………………..(have) an argument when you …………………(arrive)

7. I ………………………….(drive) to Waitrose this morning when I ( run over)……………………………… a duck.

8. When I last ……………………..(see) Hamish he ……………………………(hope) to get a job in a library.

9. The evil man ……………………….(follow) me so I …………………….(run away)

10. Denise ………………………………..(take) his number down when he ………………..(disappeared)

**III. Now complete the following sentences using your own ideas.You must use the Past Continuous tense**

1) The doorbell rang when I…………………………………………………………………………………

2) Ben phoned while we ………………………………………………………………………………………….

3) Suleman met Sasha while he……………………………………………………………………………

4) The radio was on but nobody…………………………………………………………………………….

5) I decided to be a doctor while I……………………………………………………………………

6) We saw the famous film star while we ………………………………………………………….

7) While……………………………………………………………………………….Tom burnt his hand.