

A blast from the past (Past simple & continuous)

Throw the dice twice.
First throw, choose a column. Second
throw, choose a row.

Some examples to get you started:

1. **As** they were signing the contract, they noticed a page was missing.
2. I was watching TV **when** the phone rang.
3. **Just** as I was leaving, I heard her voice.
4. We were sunbathing on the beach **as** they were playing volleyball.
5. **When** I woke up from my nap it was already getting dark.
6. **While** she was doing her homework her brother was reading.



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1

He broke his leg ...

Her boyfriend broke up with her ...

I didn't call you at 9 ...

I found a really interesting book ...

I heard the news ...

I switched off the computer ...

2

He was playing a computer game ...

He was watching TV ...

I was cycling home yesterday ...

I was dancing ...

I was doing the shopping ...

I was having a shower ...

3

It started snowing ...

She achieved incredible success ...

She asked him out for the first time ...

She met an old friend ...

The shark attacked her ...

When I arrived ...

4

I was listening to the radio ...

I was living in Italy ...

Last night I was painting the ceiling ...

I was travelling around the world ...

Yesterday I was walking along the street ...

Last night I was reading in bed ...

5

When I saw her last ...

When my boss walked into the office ...

When the alarm clock rang ...

When the electricity went out ...

When the first guests arrived ...

When we came out of the shopping centre ...

6

My mum was having breakfast near the computer ...

She was drawing a picture ...

She was driving the car ...

She was looking for a file on her computer ...

When I was leaving work yesterday ...

You were wearing a black jacket ...