

Choose the option that fits Past Continuous Tense and completes the sentence correctly.

- 1) What _____ the teacher _____ to the students during the lesson?
A) was / explain B) was / explaining C) were / explain D) were / explaining
- 2) Where _____ the cats _____ during the storm?
A) was / sleeping B) were / sleep C) were / sleeping D) was / sleep
- 3) What _____ the geologist _____ during their field trip?
A) was / discover B) were / discover C) was / discovering D) were / discovering
- 4) Where _____ the engineers _____ the new software?
A) was / test B) was / testing C) were / test D) were / testing
- 5) When _____ the volunteers _____ the park?
A) was / cleaning B) were / clean C) were / cleaning D) was / clean
- 6) When _____ the coach _____ at the stadium for the game?
A) were / arriving B) was / arrive C) were / arrive D) was / arriving
- 7) When _____ the photographer _____ the moment on film?
A) were / capture B) was / capture C) were / capturing D) was / capturing
- 8) Why _____ the team _____ to the competition last year?
A) weren't / traveling B) wasn't / travel C) wasn't / traveling D) weren't / travel
- 9) Why _____ they _____ the injured person?
A) wasn't / help B) weren't / helping C) weren't / help D) wasn't / helping
- 10) Why _____ the neighbors _____ a party this weekend?
A) weren't / organize B) wasn't / organizing C) weren't / organizing D) wasn't / organize
- 11) What _____ the student _____ during the lecture?
A) was / learning B) were / learning C) was / learn D) were / learn
- 12) Why _____ you _____ the phone when I called?
A) weren't / answer B) weren't / answering C) wasn't / answering D) wasn't / answer
- 13) Why _____ the mechanic _____ the car last week?
A) wasn't / fix B) wasn't / fixing C) weren't / fixing D) weren't / fix
- 14) Who _____ the lawyer _____ in court yesterday?
A) was / defending B) was / defend C) were / defending D) were / defend
- 15) Why _____ the workers _____ the construction on time?
A) wasn't / finish B) weren't / finishing C) weren't / finish D) wasn't / finishing

Answer Sheet (Q6CBW1)

Past Continuous Tense: Wh- Questions: Intermediate Level: Multiple Choice Quiz 1

- 1) B) was / explaining
- 2) C) were / sleeping
- 3) C) was / discovering
- 4) D) were / testing
- 5) C) were / cleaning
- 6) D) was / arriving
- 7) D) was / capturing
- 8) C) wasn't / traveling
- 9) B) weren't / helping
- 10) C) weren't / organizing
- 11) A) was / learning
- 12) B) weren't / answering
- 13) B) wasn't / fixing
- 14) A) was / defending
- 15) B) weren't / finishing



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