

Past Continuous Tense #2

To convert a sentence into past tense, we must change the verb 'to be' and the main verb.

For past tense verb 'to be', we use '**was**' for first person singular and third person singular. We use '**were**' for third person plural.

- I **was**
- He **was**
- She **was**
- It **was**
- They **were**
- We **were**
- You **were**

The main verb must be changed into continuous tense also.
Continuous verbs end in '**ing**'.

playing kicking reading cleaning
writing watching catching cooking

Read the example past continuous sentences. Note the verb 'to be' and the main verb changes.

- I **was** sleeping in my bed.
- He **was** eating his lunch at home.
- They **were** playing football.



Past Continuous Tense #2

Convert the present continuous tense sentences into past continuous tense. Change the verb 'to be'.

1. He **is** walking to school.

a. He **was** walking to school.

2. My mum **is** cooking dinner.

3. The dog **is** running in the park.

4. They **are** watching a movie.

5. We **are** playing in the playground.

6. I **am** eating lunch.



Past Continuous Tense #2

Convert the present simple tense sentences into past continuous tense. Add the verb 'to be' and change the main verb.

1. I **read** my book.

a. I **was reading** my book.

2. He **walks** to the supermarket.

3. It **sleeps** in a hut.

4. We **kick** the ball.

5. They **eat** lunch at school.

6. She **bakes** a cake.



Past Continuous Tense #2

Convert the past simple tense sentences into past continuous tense.
Add the verb 'to be' and change the main verb.

1. I **walked** the dog.

a. I **was walking** the dog.

2. He **cooked** a pie.

3. It **climbed** the tree.

4. We **chopped** the onions.

5. They **drank** coca-cola.

6. She **drove** the car.



Past Continuous Tense #2

Read the story and rewrite in past continuous tense. Change the verb 'to be'.

We are walking to school. I am doing my homework. I am eating lunch in the hall. We are playing in the playground.

