

topic: **PAST CONTINUOUS tense**

Choose the correct form of the PAST CONTINUOUS tense:

1. The children \_\_\_\_\_ outside.  
a) were playing   b) was playing
2. The dog \_\_\_\_\_ at us.  
a) were barking   b) was barking
3. My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ the exercise to me.  
a) were explaining   b) was explaining
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ to my mp3 player.  
a) were listening   b) was listening
5. Those people \_\_\_\_\_ towards the library.  
a) were walking   b) was walking
6. The cook \_\_\_\_\_ a tasty meal.  
a) were preparing   b) was preparing
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ to fix my computer.  
a) were trying   b) was trying
8. My friend and I \_\_\_\_\_ basketball.  
a) were playing   b) was playing
9. The police officers \_\_\_\_\_ the thief.  
a) were chasing   b) was chasing
10. My sister and my brother \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) were singing   b) was singing

**ANSWERS:**

1)a 2)b 3)b 4)b 5)a 6)b 7)b 8)a 9)a 10)a