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вживається для вираження дії, що відбувається в певний момент чи період часу в минулому

I/he/she/it  
you/we/they + was  
+ were + V+ ing



He was tidying up the room  
at 5 o'clock in the evening.

They were singing a song  
at 9 p.m.



# Remember



I **was**

He **was**

She **was**

It **was** **+** **Ving**

We **were**

You **were**

They **were**

play – play**ing**

sleep – sleep**ing**

write - writ**ing**

get - get**ting**

# Negative (заперечення)



The woman **was not (wasn't)** washing up at 4 o'clock.

She **was** making dinner at that time.

**was not = wasn't**  
**were not = weren't**

They **were not** sleeping at 8 a.m.

They **were** having breakfast at that time.



# Question (запитання)



She **was** iron**ing** when he came.  
Was she iron**ing** when he came?  
Yes, she **was**./ No, she wasn't.

The children **were** play**ing** at 4 p.m.  
Were the children play**ing** at 4 p.m.?  
Yes, they **were**./ No, they weren't



# спеціальні запитання

## Wh-questions:



Where **was**

What **was** підмет **Ving**

Why **+were+** **+**

Whose

Where **were** they dancing at 9 p.m.? - They **were** dancing at the disco.

What **were** they doing at 9 a.m.? - They **were** running.

Who **was** watering the flowers at 8 a.m.? - My son **was**

# Remember.



Певний момент часу в минулому може  
бути виражений:

певним часом

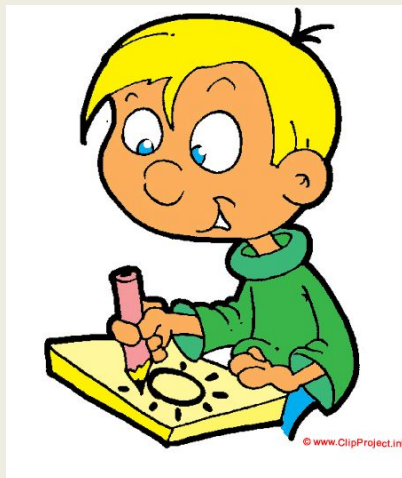
періодом часу  
минулого

підрядним  
реченням

Bill **was** playing  
football at 5  
p.m. yesterday

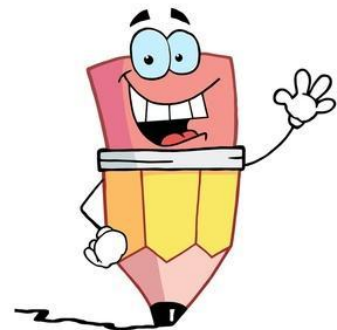


I **was** drawing from  
5 till 7 o'clock  
yesterday



He **was** bathing  
<sup>P.S.</sup>  
when I entered the  
room.





Підкреслюється процес дії в минулому за допомогою:

СОЮЗІВ: while  
when  
as

all day long  
the whole evening  
all the time

While Bill **was** working  
in the garden, Sam  
**was** washing clothes.

Ben **was** working  
the whole evening

