

PAST CONTINUOUS NEGATIVE

Complete the following sentences with the verb in brackets in the correct form.

- 1- Bob _____ (not feel) well so he went home.
- 2- It _____ (not rain) yesterday.
- 3- Tim and Sue _____ (not play) fairly.
- 4- Jess _____ (not listen), so she didn't know what to do.
- 5- I _____ (not sleep) then, you should have called me.
- 6- He _____ (not drive) when they got pulled over.
- 7- They _____ (not work) on Saturday, they had it off.
- 8- Terry _____ (not pay) his bills on time and so they turned off his electricity.
- 9- The kids _____ (not behave) very well yesterday.
- 10- You _____ (not go out) with Jenny when we met.
- 11- I _____ (not cook) yesterday, that's not my mess.
- 12- Frank _____ (not go) to work when you saw him,
He was going to see his girlfriend.
- 13- Tyler and Sarah _____ (not watch) a film yesterday,
they went to the pub.
- 14- The bus _____ (not run), so we had to walk.

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15- I _____ (not think) about doing anything this weekend.

16- You _____ (not drive) very safely back there.

17- It's true! He really did win the lottery! I _____
(not joke).

18- They _____ (not do) anything on Friday. They could have come with us!

19- I _____ (not camp) this weekend because it was raining.

20- When I _____ (not study) I was sleeping.

ANSWERS

- 1- Bob wasn't/was not feeling (not feel) well so he went home.
- 2- It wasn't/was not raining (not rain) yesterday.
- 3- Tim and Sue weren't/were not playing (not play) fairly.
- 4- Jess wasn't/was not listening (not listen), so she didn't know what to do.
- 5- I wasn't/was not sleeping (not sleep) then, you should have called me.
- 6- He wasn't/was not driving (not drive) when they got pulled over.
- 7- They weren't/were not working (not work) on Saturday, they had it off.
- 8- Terry wasn't/was not paying (not pay) his bills on time and so they turned off his electricity.
- 9- The kids weren't/were not behaving (not behave) very well yesterday.
- 10- You weren't/were not going out (not go out) with Jenny when we met.
- 11- I wasn't/was not cooking (not cook) yesterday, that's not my mess.
- 12- Frank wasn't/was not going (not go) to work when you saw him, He was going to see his girlfriend.

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- 13- Tyler and Sarah weren't/were not watching
(not watch) a film yesterday, they went to the pub.
- 14- The bus wasn't/was not running (not run), so we had
to walk.
- 15- I wasn't/was not thinking (not think) about doing
anything this weekend.
- 16- You weren't/were not driving (not drive) very safely
back there.
- 17- It's true! He really did win the lottery! I wasn't/was
not joking (not joke).
- 18- They weren't/were not doing (not do) anything on
Friday. They could have come with us!
- 19- I wasn't/was not camping (not camp) this weekend
because it was raining.
- 20- When I wasn't/was not studying (not study) I was
sleeping.

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