

Past simple & continuous

A- Choose the correct words that best complete the sentences

- 1- Omar Al-Mukhtar was killed while he -----.
a. fight b. was fighting c. is fighting
- 2- Hamad ----- a bath when the telephone rang.
a. has b. is having c. was having
- 3- While the astronaut was leaving the earth's atmosphere, he ----- weightless.
a. feels b. feel c. felt
- 4- I took a photograph of Ali as he ----- an apple
a. eats b. is eaten c. was eating
- 5- He was watching TV when you ----- him.
a. phone b. was phoning c. phoned
- 6- When the sniper ----- across the street, machine gun bullets tore up the ground around him.
a. ran b. is running c. run
- 7- While the war was raging in the Gulf, the CNN -----live from the war- torn.
a. reported b. is reporting c. report
- 8- As I ----- along the beach, I saw my friend.
a. walk b. is walking c. was walking
- 9- They ----- their homework when the light went out.
a. do b. were doing c. was doing
- 10- His car broke down while he ----- alone in the desert.
a. was driving b. drive c. is driving

B- Correct the underlined verbs

- 11- While the student was operating the computer, the light go out.
- 12- As he watch TV, the door bell rang.
- 13- When I got home, smoke come out of one of the upstairs windows.
- 14- While he was fishing, he see a shark.
- 15- They were watching TV when the explosion happen.

C. Complete the second sentences without changing the meaning;

16- Ali broke his glasses while he was playing football.

When -----

17- We were playing when it began to rain.

While -----

18- They heard a scream while they were studying

When -----

19- I was having my breakfast when the postman knocked at the door.

While -----

20- The referee blew the whistle while we were watching the match.

When -----

Present perfect

- 1- He (lived – has lived).....there when he was a child.
- 2- I (didn't see – haven't seen).....her since last year.
- 3- They (left – have left).....a few minutes ago.
- 4- She (wasn't – hasn't been).....unemployed since she left school.
- 5- They (finalized – have finalized).....the contrast last week.
- 6- The film (didn't start – hasn't started).....yet.
- 7- She (was – has been).....ill since last Thursday.
- 8- I (finished – have finished).....the project last night.

c. great b. the greatest a. greatest

7- Dubai is one of the ----- Emirates in the UAE.

c. busiest b. busier a. busy

B- Correct the underlined words.

8- Yesterday was the **hot** day of the year.

9- Adnan Al-Taliani is the **famous** footballer in the UAE.

10- Al-Ain is one of the **wonderful** cities in the UAE.

11- Ali is the **good** student in the class.

12- Hamad is the **handsome** boy in the class.

13- These are some of the **expensive** cars.

14- This is one of the **tall** buildings in Abu Dhabi.