

## Chapter-9

### Past Continuous Tense

1 Circle the verbs in the Past Continuous Tense in the sentence below

a Max and Alex were playing together in the ground.

b The carpenter was making a table for our neighbour.

c Mohit was looking outside the window.

d They were buying curtains for their new house.

2 Change the verbs given in the brackets to the Past Continuous tense and correct them.

a Swami was watching the birds flying in the sky.  
the birds flying in the sky.

b Peter and Suzanne were decorating the Christmas tree.

c Tom was reading newspaper.

3 Read the sentences given below. Spots the errors in the use of the Past continuous and correct them.

a The man were carrying a heavy box on his head.

ans The man carrying a heavy box on his head.

b I am reading stories and comics during holidays.

ans I am reading stories comics during holiday

c The teacher teach a new lesson

4 Read the sentences given below. In each sentence, identify the two actions that were taking place in the past.

a We were sitting outside while the planes were flying overhead.

ans Action 1: We were sitting outside Action 2: the planes were flying overhead.

b They were drinking coffee when I reached the office.

ans Action 1: They were drinking coffee  
Action 2: I reached the office.

c Rohan was watching cartoon till his mother came back home.

ans Action 1: Rohan was watching cartoon  
Action 2: his mother came back home.

d Nita and Mita were writing until the teacher took the answer sheet away.

ans Action 1: Nita and Mita were writing  
Action 2: the teacher took the answer sheet away.

e Aly and sona were eating breakfast their friend visit them.

ans Action 1: Aly and sona were eating breakfast  
Action 2: friend visit them