

# 3 Grammar consolidation

## Past tenses

1 Complete the table with the missing verbs.

Present simple	Past simple	Past continuous
go get find hide fly arrive stop give	went	was / were going

2 Circle the correct words.

She was walking / walked down the stairs when she fell.

- George **cooked** / **was cooking** lunch for us yesterday.
- My teacher **was leaving** / **left** school early today.
- Last week Becky **didn't go** / **wasn't going** to London.
- Who **did you talk** / **were you talking** to in the street when I saw you?
- You **weren't listening** / **didn't listen** while I was talking.

3 Match the sentence halves.

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| 1 The baby started crying           | a when he got lost?                                  |
| 2 Where was Adam driving to         | b while he was on holiday.                           |
| 3 Dad sent me a postcard            | c when my computer crashed.                          |
| 4 I was plugging in my memory stick | d while I played tennis.                             |
| 5 Were you watching TV              | e when I turned on the radio while she was sleeping. |
| 6 Mum waited for me in the park     | f while I was cooking dinner?                        |

## Present and past tenses

4 Complete the answers for these questions.

What do you usually read?

I usually read comics and magazines.

- Who did you stay with last summer?  
We \_\_\_\_\_ with my grandparents.
- What were you doing when Dad came home?  
We \_\_\_\_\_ a film.
- What is Sara making?  
She \_\_\_\_\_ a model ship.
- What do you want to do after lunch?  
I \_\_\_\_\_ to listen to some music.
- Did you walk home from school today?  
No, I didn't. I \_\_\_\_\_ my bike.