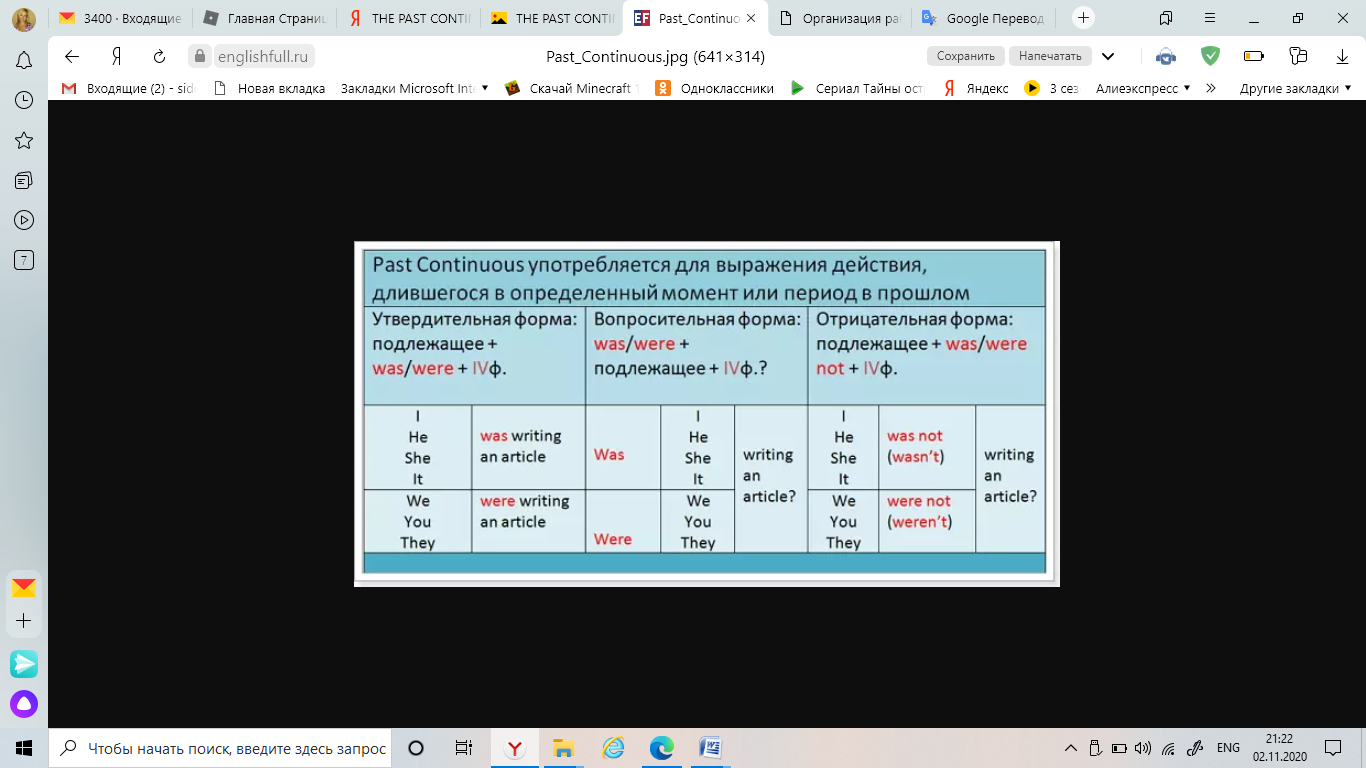
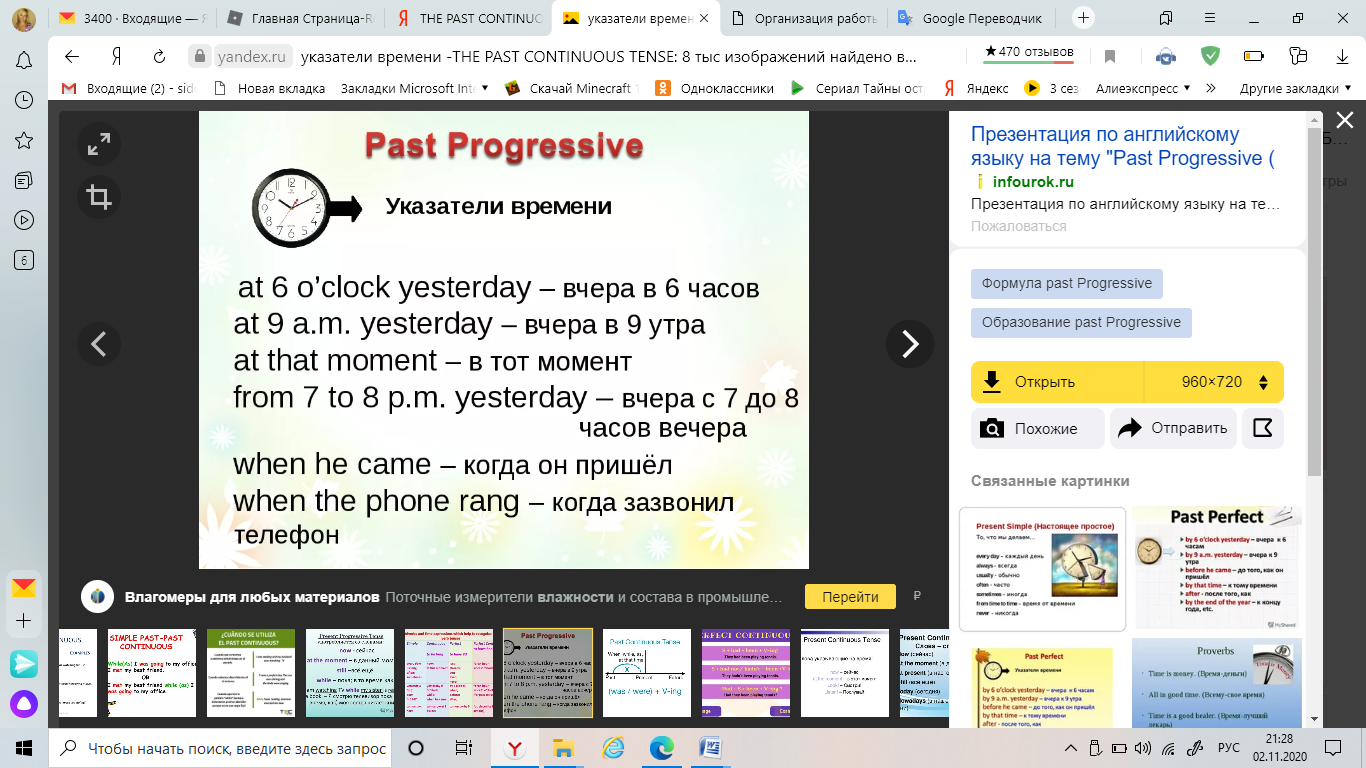
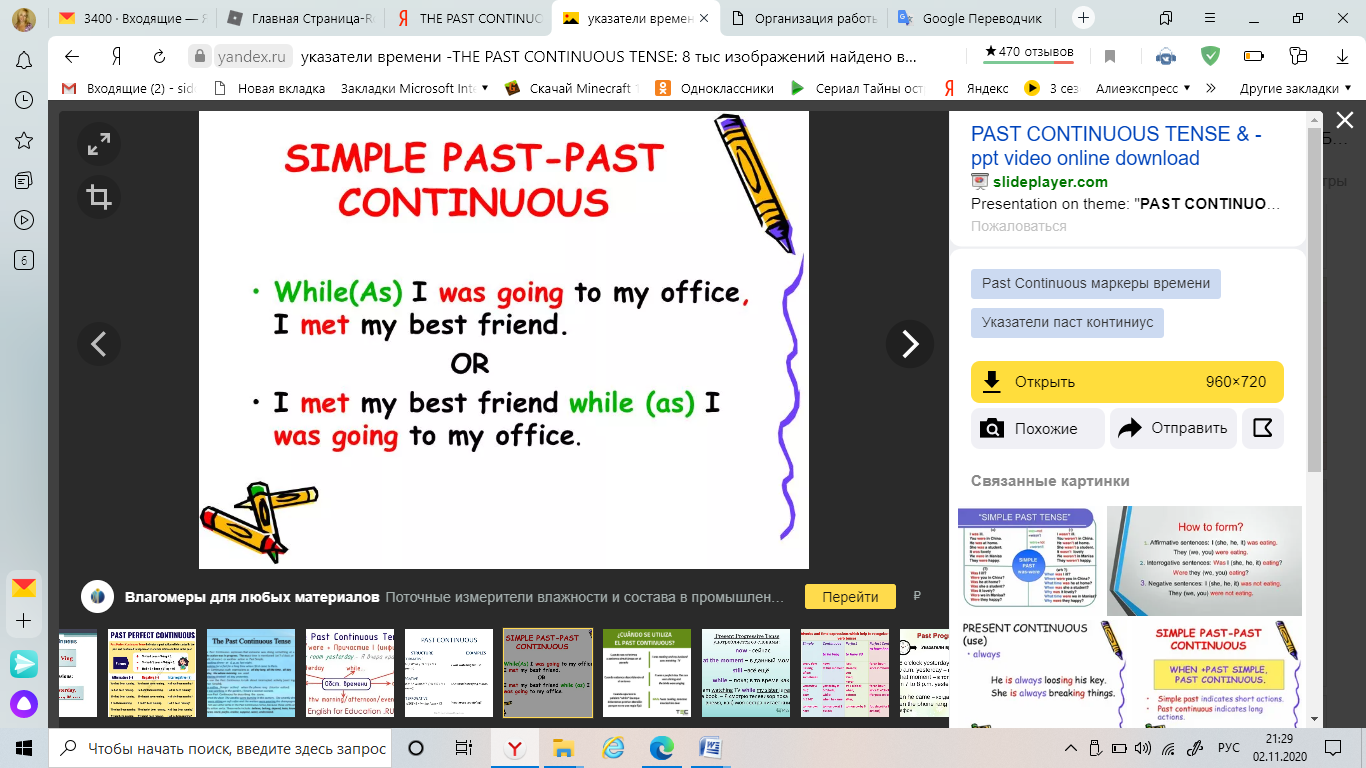
**THE PAST CONTINUOUS TENSE**

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**The Past Continuous Tense** (Прошедшее продолженное время) употребляется:

1. Для выражения действия, совершавшегося в какой-то определенный период или момент времени в прошлом. Этот период (или момент) может быть выражен либо обстоятельством времени, либо придаточным предложением времени с глаголом-сказуемым в Past Simple, но иногда он может не быть указанным в предложении, а лишь подразумеваться (чему, как правило, способствует контекст).

The twins were examining Ralph curiously, as though they saw him for the first time.

Близнецы с любопытством рассматривали Ральфа, как будто они впервые видели его.

2. Для выражения действия, совершавшегося в течение длительного периода времени в прошлом.

Длительность этого периода может быть выражена такими словами, как

all day long

the *whole* evening

at 5 o’clock yesterday

from 5 till от 6 yesterday, а иногда период времени просто подразумевается:

They were directing the fire by radio.

Они управляли огнем по радио.

**Exercises.**

**Употребите глаголы в Past Continuous Tense.**

1. Greg (to work) all day yesterday.
2. When the rain began he (to walk) home.
3. I (to watch) TV at 9 o'clock last night.
4. The man fell down as he (to run) for the bus.
5. The sun (to shine) brightly this morning.
6. When the servant rushed into the room Mr. Brown (to write) letters.
7. You (to translate) the article or you (to prepare) for the test at 2 o'clock?
8. We (to listen) to the news when you phoned.
9. What you (to discuss) when I came into the room?
10. They (to prepare) for the exams the whole day yester­day.
11. You (to see) him this morning? – Yes. He (to stand) in the hall laughing.
12. I (not to understand) what he (to do).
13. I (to tell) him he should not read while he (to eat).
14. I (not to drive) very fast when the accident (to happen).
15. When it (to happen)? It (to happen) when you (to talk) to your secretary.

**1. Раскройте скобки, употребляя гла­голы в *Present Continuous* или *Past* Continuous**

*1.* I (to write) an English exercise now. 2. I (to write) an English exercise at this time yesterday, 3. My little sister (to sleep) now. 4 My little sister (to sleep) at this time yesterday. 5. My friends (not to do) their homework now. They (to play) volley-ball. 6. *My* friends (not to do) their home­work at seven o'clock yesterday. They (to play) volley-ball. 7. You (to eat) ice-cream now? 8. You (to eat) ice-cream when I rang you up yesterday? 9. What your father (to do) now? 10. What your father (to do) from eight till nine yesterday? 11. Why she (to cry) now? 12. Why she (to cry) when I saw her yesterday? 13. She (to read) the whole evening yesterday. 14. She (not to read) now, 15. Now she (to go) to school. 16. What you (to do) now? —-I (to drink) tea. 17. You (to drink) tea at this time yesterday? — No, I (not to drink) tea at this time yesterday, I (to eat) a banana. 18. My sister is fond of reading. She (to read) the whole evening yesterday, and now she (to read) again, 19. Look! My cat (to play) with a ball. 20. When I went out into the garden, the sun (to shine) and birds (to sing) in the trees.

**2. Раскройте скобки, употребляя глаголы в *Past Simple* или Past *Continuous.***

1. I (to play) computer games yesterday. 2. I (to play) computer games at five o'clock yesterday. 3. He (to play) computer games from two till three yesterday. 4. We (to play) computer games the whole evening yesterday. 5. What Nick (to do) when you came to his place? 6. What you (to do) when I rang you up? 7. I (not to sleep) at nine o'clock yesterday. 8. What he (to do) yesterday? - He (to read) a book. 9. What he (to do) the whole evening yesterday? - He (to read) a book. 10. She (to sleep) when you came home? 11. My brother (not to play) tennis yesterday. He (to play) tennis the day be­fore yesterday. 12. My sister (not to play) the pi­ano at four o'clock yesterday. She (to play) the piano the whole evening. 13. When I came into the kitchen, mother (to cook). 14. She (to cook) the whole day yesterday. 15. We (to wash) the floor in our flat yesterday. 16. We (to wash) the floor in our flat from three till four yesterday. 17. You (to do) your homework yesterday? 18. You (to do) your homework from eight till ten yesterday? 19. Why she (to sleep) at seven o'clock yesterday? 20. He (to sit) at the table the whole evening yesterday.

**3. Раскройте скобки, употребляя гла­голы в *Past Simple* или *Past Continuous.***

1. I (to go) to the cinema yesterday. 2.1 (to go) to the cinema at four o'clock yesterday. 3. I (to go) to the cinema when you met me. 4. I (to do) my home­work the whole evening yesterday. 5. I (to do) my homework when mother came home. 6. I (to do) my homework yesterday. 7.1 (to do) my homework from five till eight yesterday. 8. I (to do) my homework at six o'clock yesterday. 9. I (not to play) the piano yesterday. I (to write) a letter to my friend. 10. I (not to play) the piano at four o'clock yesterday. I (to read) a book. 11. He (not to sleep) when father came home. He (to do) his homework. 12. When we were in the country last summer, I (to go) to the wood one day. In the wood I (to find) a little fox cub. I (to bring) it home. I (to decide) to tame the cub. Every day I (to feed) it and (to take) care of it. I (to tame) it the whole summer. Now the fox cub is quite tame. It lives in my house. 13. When I (to go) to school the day before yes­terday, I met Mike and Pete. They (to talk) and (to laugh). They told me a funny story. Soon I (to laugh), too. I still (to laugh) when we came to school. After school I (to tell) this story at home. My father and mother (to like) it very much.

Таблица неправильных глаголов

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| Infinitive | **Past Indefinite** | **Participle II** | **Перевод** |
| 1. Be 2. Beat 3. Become 4. Begin 5. Blow 6. Break 7. Bring 8. Build 9. Burn 10. Buy 11. Catch 12. Choose 13. Come 14. Cost 15. Cut 16. Do 17. Draw 18. Drink 19. Drive 20. Eat 21. Fall 22. Feel 23. Fight 24. Find 25. Fly 26. Forget 27. Get 28. Give 29. Go 30. Grow 31. Have 32. Hear 33. Hold 34. Keep 35. Know 36. Lead 37. Learn 38. Leave 39. Lend 40. Let 41. Light 42. Lose 43. Make 44. Mean 45. Meet 46. Put 47. Read 48. Ring 49. Run 50. Say 51. See 52. Sell 53. Send 54. Set 55. Shine 56. Show 57. Shut 58. Sing 59. Sit 60. Sleep 61. Speak 62. Spend 63. Stand 64. Sweep 65. Swim 66. Take 67. Teach 68. Tell 69. Think 70. Throw 71. Understand 72. Upset 73. Win   74.Write | was/were  beat  became  began  blew  broke  brought  built  burnt  bought  caught  chose  came  cost  cut  did  drew  drank  drove  ate  fell  felt  fought  found  flew  forgot  got  gave  went  grew  had  heard  held  kept  knew  led  learned  left  lent  let  lit  lost  made  meant  met  put  read  rang  ran  said  saw  sold  sent  set  shone  showed  shut  sang  sat  slept  spoke  spent  stood  swept  swam  took  taught  told  thought  threw  understood  upset  won  wrote | been **Быть**  beaten  become  begun  blown  broken  brought  built  burnt  bought  caught  chosen  come  cost  cut  done  drawn [drɔːn]  drunk  driven  eaten  fallen  felt  fought  found  flown  forgotten  got  given  gone  grown  had  heard  held  kept  known  led  learned  left  lent  let  lit  lost  made  meant  met  put  read  rung  run  said  seen  sold  sent  set  shone  shown  shut  sung  sat  slept  spoken  spent  stood  swept  swum  taken  taught  told  thought  thrown  understood  upset  won  written | Бить Становиться  Начинать (ся)  Дуть  Ломать  Приносить  Строить  Гореть  Покупать  Ловить  Выбирать  Приходить  Стоить  Резать  Делать  Тащить; рисовать  Пить  Везти  Есть  Падать  Чувствовать  Бороться  Находить  Летать  Забывать  Получать  Давать  Идти  Расти  Иметь  Слышать  Держать  Хранить  Знать  Вести  Учиться  Покидать  Давать взаймы  Позволять  Зажигать  Терять  Делать; создавать  Значить  Встречать  Класть  Читать  Звонить  Бежать  Говорить  Видеть  Продавать  Посылать  Помещать/класть  Светить  Показывать  Закрывать  Петь  Сидеть  Спать  Говорить  Тратить/проводить  Стоять  Мести  Плавать  Брать  Учить  Говорить  Думать  Бросать  Понимать  Опрокидывать  Побеждать  Писать |