# Past continuous

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#### **Past Simple**

O passado simples é usado para expressar uma ação passada e concluída num tempo definido no passado (yesterday, last week/year/month, ten minutes/hours/months/ years ago, in 2011).

#### Formas:

#### • Afirmativa:

He went there last night.

Peter sold his car yesterday.

When he entered the room, everybody greeted him.

## Negativa:

They didn't study last week.
She didn't pass the exam.

#### • Interrogativa:

Did you stay home last night? Did he go to the party?



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O passado contínuo descreve uma ação que estava ocorrendo em determinado momento no passado, podendo ou não estar associada a outro acontecimento passado.

#### Formas:

Afirmativa: sujeito + verbo to be no passado (was/ were) + verbo principal -ing

I was cleaning the house when he called me.

• Negativa: sujeito + verbo to be (was/were) + NOT + verbo principal -ing

She was NOT (wasn't) listening when the teacher explained what to do.

• Interrogativa: verbo to be (was/were) + sujeito + verbo principal -ing

Were you studying when I called you?





Algumas **expressões temporais** podem ser observadas no passado contínuo como, por exemplo:

yesterday, the day before yesterday, last (week/month/year/holidays), ago (three days ago, seven years ago) e the other day.

No entanto, diferentemente do passado simples, quando utilizadas no passado contínuo, tais expressões devem vir seguidas do **momento do acontecimento**, por exemplo:

I was working at my office yesterday in the morning. She was driving to her house the other day at five o'clock.



#### TEXTO PARA AS PRÓXIMAS 3 QUESTÕES:

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Dylan has recorded a large number of albums revolving around topics such as: the social conditions of man, religion, politics and love. The lyrics have continuously been published in new editions, under the title *Lyrics*. As an artist, he is strikingly versatile; he has been active as painter, actor and scriptwriter.

Besides his large production of albums, Dylan has published experimental work like *Tarantula* (1971) and the collection *Writings and Drawings* (1973). He has written an autobiography, *Chronicles* (2004), which depicts memories from the early years in New York and which provides glimpses of his life at the center of popular culture.

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According to text, which proposition(s) can be considered correct?

- 01) Dylan lived in a city called Hibbing.
- 02) Dylan's albums influenced other musicians.
- 04) Dylan played with a band, for the first time, when he moved to New York.
- 08) Dylan was not interested in other forms of art.
- 16) Dylan's music was influenced by poetry.

01 + 02 + 16 = 19.



#### TEXTO PARA AS PRÓXIMAS 2 QUESTÕES:

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Which question(s) can be answered according to text?

- 01) What is the name of the city where the musician was born?
- 02) What is Dylan's most famous song?
- 04) Who was Dylan's first producer?
- 08) Where does Dylan live now?
- 16) When did Dylan release his first album?

$$01 + 04 + 16 = 21.$$



#### TEXTO PARA A PRÓXIMA QUESTÃO:

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Select the correct proposition(s) according to the information in text.

- 01) Bob Dylan is also a writer.
- 02) Dylan's interest in music began in New York City.
- 04) Dylan's first album was very successful.
- 08) All of Dylan's albums are about political issues.
- 16) Dylan's song lyrics have been published in books.
- 32) Dylan is planning to write an autobiography.

01 + 16 = 17.



O site "Urban Dictionary" apresenta definições de palavras e expressões que, apesar de serem usadas popularmente, ainda não foram oficialmente dicionarizadas. O exemplo abaixo faz alusão ao Brexit.

#### **TOP DEFINITION**

# **Doing the Brexit**

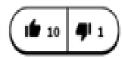
Making others <u>aware</u> you're going <u>to leave</u> a party and ending up staying a lot longer than expected. The opposite of a <u>french exit</u>.

A: Did <u>Taylor say goodbye</u> to you as well? I swear he was still around 3 hours later.

B: Yeah. He was doing the brexit.

#brexit #leaving #party

by J. Mentos March 29, 2019





(Disponível em https://www.urbandictionary.com/define.php?term=Doing%20the%20Brexit. Acessado em 11/05/2019.)

Com relação ao exemplo apresentado, entende-se que Taylor estava "fazendo o Brexit" porque

- se despediu, mas demorou a ir embora da festa.
- b) saiu "à francesa" da festa, isto é, saiu discretamente.
- c) se despediu, mas anunciou que demoraria a sair da festa.
- d) saiu "à francesa" da festa, isto é, saiu depois de muito tempo.

