

Past continuous tense

Class Objective:

I can use past continuous tense appropriately in Bengali.

Concept A: First person-Singular (I - ami)

English	Bengali
I was talking to him.	Ami onar sathe kotha bolchhila.
I was watching TV.	Ami tv dekhchhila.
I was sleeping.	Ami ghumachhila.
I was checking it.	Ami eta check korchhila.

Concept B: First Person - Plural (We - amra)

English	Bengali
We were moving out.	Amra baire jachhila.
We were talking about you.	Amra tomar byapar e kotha bolchhila.
They were torturing me..	Ora amake jontrona korchhilo.

Concept C: Second Person - Singular (You - tumi)

English	Bengali
Were you playing?	Tumi ki khelchhile?
You were reading yesterday.	Tumi gotokal porchhile.
You were busy yesterday.	Tumi gotokal byasto chhile.
Were you busy yesterday?	Tumi ki gotokaal byasto chhile?

Note:

- tumi is used with younger ones or friends or close ones.
- apni is used with elders (denotes respect)

Concept D: He - Third Person - Singular (Informal)

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