Name : _____ Class : _____ Date : _____

# Past Continuous Tense [Be Verbs]

## [ Sentence Structure ]

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|---|---|
| **Affirmative** | **Subject + was/were + being + complement** |
| **Negative** | **Subject + was/were not + being + complement** |
| **Interrogative** | **Was/Were + subject + being + complement?** |

## [ Solved Examples ]

| | Question | option (a) | option (b) | option (c) |
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| 1 | He was _____ silly yesterday afternoon. | be | being ✓ | been |
| 2 | They _____ being noisy during the class. | was | were ✓ | did |
| 3 | She was not _____ rude to the guest. | being ✓ | be | been |
| 4 | _____ you being serious about the plan? | Did | Was | Were ✓ |

## [ Student Exercise ]

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| 1 | I was _____ quiet during the lecture. | being | be | been |
| 2 | She was not _____ polite to her brother yesterday. | be | being | been |
| 3 | _____ they being helpful at the event yesterday? | Were | Was | Did |
| 4 | The children _____ being naughty this morning. | was | were | did |
| 5 | We were not _____ patient with the delay yesterday. | having | be | being |
| 6 | _____ he being honest yesterday? | Was | Were | Did |
| 7 | My friend was _____ funny at the party last night. | be | being | been |
| 8 | You were not _____ fair to your teammate yesterday. | being | be | been |
| 9 | _____ the dog being aggressive yesterday morning? | Is | be | Was |
| 10 | The students were _____ attentive in class yesterday. | being | be | been |
| 11 | It was not _____ clear to anyone yesterday. | being | be | been |
| 12 | _____ your friends being stubborn yesterday? | Was | be | Were |
| 13 | He was _____ careful while handling the glass. | be | being | been |
| 14 | They were not _____ cooperative yesterday evening. | having | be | being |
| 15 | _____ she being dramatic about the test results? | Was | be | Did |
| 16 | The boys were _____ rowdy before the coach arrived. | be | being | been |
| 17 | I was not _____ unreasonable yesterday. | be | having | being |
| 18 | _____ we being too noisy last night? | Was | be | Were |
| 19 | My brother was _____ lazy all morning yesterday. | being | be | been |
| 20 | The workers were not _____ efficient yesterday. | be | being | been |