Review of the Past Simple and Past Continuous

- 0) Correction of the homework
- A) The Past Simple

I) "TO BE": was / were

		Affirmative (+)	Negative (-)	Interrogative
yesterday. We / You / We were at school We were not in the café Were we at school yesterday?	1	I was at school yesterday.	I was not in the café yesterday.	Was I at school yesterday?
	He / She / It		He was not in the café yesterday.	Was he at school yesterday?
	We / You /	We were at school	We were not in the café	Were we at school yesterday?
They yesterday. yesterday.	They	yesterday.	yesterday.	

S + was / were +

S + was / were +

Was / Were + S +?

II) Regular verbs "watch"

		Affirmative (+)		Negative (-)			Interrogative	
I	Ιw	atch ed the news	I did n	I did not watch the news yesterday.		Dic	I watch the news yesterda	y?
	yes	sterday.						
He / She / It	He	watched the news	He did not watch the news		Dic	he watch the news		
	yes	sterday.	yester	day.		yesterday?		
We / You /	We	e watched the news	We di	d not watch the news		Did we watch the news		
They	yes	esterday. yesterday.			yes	sterday?		
		Verb + ED		DID NOT + Verb			DID + Subject + Verb?	

More regular verbs: play → played; like → liked; dance → danced.

Stud**y** \rightarrow stud**ie**d; cr**y** \rightarrow cried.

• Uses:

- **Short action started and finished in the past:** <u>yesterday</u>, in 2010, last month, last year, 1 hour <u>ago</u> ...

ex: Karima travelled to Spain in 2010.

- With "WHEN": ex:

WHEN Ali called me yesterday, I was in the bathroom. I was in the bathroom **WHEN** Ali called me yesterday.

B) The Past Continuous

I) Review the present continuous of "speak"

	Affirmative (+)	Negative (-)	Interrogative
I	I was watching football	I was not watching a film	Was I watching football yesterday
	yesterday at 8 p.m.	yesterday at 8 p.m	at 8 p.m.?
He / She / It	He was watching football	He was not watching a film	Was he watching football?
	<u></u> .		
We / You /	We were watching football	We were not speaking a film	Were we watching football?
They	<u></u>		

Uses: We use the simple present

Long action in the past:

Last Monday, Abdesalam was sleeping in the afternoon. Amine and Hamid were playing football yesterday at 6 p.m.

- With "WHEN":

When Karim called me on the phone yesterday, I was sleeping. (short action + long action)
I was sleeping when Karim called me on the phone yesterday. (long action + short action)

Exercises / homework

Exercise 1 – Put the verbs between brackets in the present simple or present continuous:

1. I	_ (work) a lot <u>last weekend</u> .			
2. People	(be) very happy in the wedding <u>la</u>	st week.		
3. I	(not / go) to go to the cinema when I (be) a child.			
4. What time	(you / have) English class	yesterday?		
5. Fatine	(not / play) sport this morning.			
6. When Tony _	(play) football, Layla	(cook) in the kitchen.		
7. Reda always _	(attend) his classes <u>last year</u>			
8. Yasmina	(faint) <u>yesterday</u> when she	(look) at the ghost.		
9. Tony	(go) to the stadium <u>yesterday</u> . He	(not / go) to the café.		
10 Tony	(eat) all the pizza and	(drink) all the soda		