

Past Progressive Tense

Complete each sentence with the past progressive form of the verb in parentheses.

1) The guests _____ softly to each other at the dinner party.
(speak)

2) Leslie _____ her room when she got a call from a friend.

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6) Isabel _____ a big dinner, so she couldn't watch TV with her children. (cook)

7) When Aunt Betty came home from work, Kenneth _____ a novel. (read)

8) Charlotte told us that she _____ for Meredith's birthday party.
(not come)