**The progressive form**



1. **Present progressive**

It’s 11 o’clock in the morning on Wednesday 22nd July. Luke is on holiday at a campsite in Scotland with his aunt and uncle.

**What are they all doing at the moment?**

Luke says: “ I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ around .”

Uncle Harry \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the caravan.

Aunt Rosie \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wellies.

Isaac and his mother \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new sleeping bag.

Katie and Jake \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the fishing museum.

Beth \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

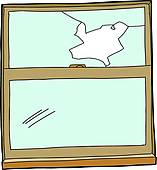
Only Luke \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not do) anything special.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a good time? (have)

Yes, they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . Well, I think so ….

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1. **Past progressive**

**It’s Thursday 23rd July now.**

Oh no, the police is at the campsite because someone smashed the window of a caravan!

They think that it happened shortly before lunchtime the day before. Now the police talk to Luke and they want to know **what the people at the campsite were doing at about 11 o’clock on Wednesday**.

Luke tells the policeman:

“I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ around.

Well, Uncle Harry \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the caravan next to me.

Isaac and his mother \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new sleeping bag in Edinburgh.

And my friends Katie and Jake can’t tell you anything because they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the fishing museum at that time.

Hm, Beth here \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ pictures of the lake.

Well, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ anything special, but I didn’t hear any noise and I didn’t see anyone, I’m sorry."

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