# Jawaban 50 Contoh Soal Grammar Past Continuous Tense

# Bagian A: Pilihan Ganda (10 soal)

#### 1. b) was doing

Penjelasan: Kata kunci *yesterday at 8 p.m.* menunjukkan aksi **sedang berlangsung di masa lampau**, jadi pakai *was doing*.

## 2. b) was watching

Penjelasan: While biasanya diikuti aksi yang sedang berlangsung, jadi was watching.

#### 3. c) were talking

Penjelasan: Aksi sedang berlangsung sebelum aksi lain terjadi, menjadi were talking.

#### 4. a) were playing

Penjelasan: At this time yesterday adalah penanda khas Past Continuous.

#### 5. b) was playing

Penjelasan: Kata *while* → aksi sedang berlangsung di masa lampau, menjadi *was playing*.

# 6. a) was reading

Penjelasan: Aksi yang sedang berlangsung diinterupsi aksi lain, menjadi was reading.

#### 7. a) were laughing

Penjelasan: When sering memotong aksi yang sedang berlangsung, menjadi Past Continuous.

#### 8. b) were playing

Penjelasan: at 7 last night → waktu spesifik di masa lampau, menjadi were playing.

#### 9. c) was shining

Penjelasan: Kondisi alam sedang berlangsung, menjadi was shining.

#### 10. a) was listening

Penjelasan: Aksi sedang berlangsung sebelum diinterupsi, menjadi was listening.

# Bagian B: Isian (10 soal)

#### 11. was cooking

Penjelasan: when I arrived memotong aksi, karenanya termasuk ke dalam Past Continuous.

#### 12. were not playing

Penjelasan: Negatif bentuk dari Past Continuous.

# 13. was reading

Penjelasan: Waktu spesifik yang menjelaskan Past Continuous.

# 14. were you doing

Penjelasan: Bentuk interogatif Past Continuous.

## 15. were sleeping

Penjelasan: Dua aksi simultan menandakan penggunaan Past Continuous.

## 16. was raining

Penjelasan: Kondisi alam sedang berlangsung, menjadi was raining.

## 17. were not studying

Penjelasan: Negatif bentuk dari Past Continuous.

#### 18. was painting

Penjelasan: Dua aksi simultan menandakan penggunaan Past Continuous.

#### 19. was cleaning

Penjelasan: Waktu spesifik yang menjelaskan Past Continuous.

## 20. was talking

Penjelasan: Bentuk interogatif Past Continuous.

# Bagian C: Ubah Kalimat (10 soal)

- 21. He was not playing football.
- 22. Was she singing?
- 23. They were not studying English.
- 24. Was your father watching TV?
- 25. The children were not sleeping.
- 26. Was she cooking dinner?
- 27. He was not driving the car.
- 28. Were they listening to music?
- 29. I was not reading a book.
- 30. Were you writing a letter?

# Bagian D: Buat Kalimat Berdasarkan Kata Kunci (10 soal)

- 31. I was sleeping at 10 last night.
- 32. She was not studying when I came.
- 33. They were playing football yesterday afternoon.

- 34. He was reading a book at 9 p.m.
- 35. The children were laughing when the teacher entered.
- 36. We were not talking at that moment.
- 37. The birds were singing in the morning.
- 38. I was walking to school when it rained.
- 39. She was watching TV while her mother was cooking.
- 40. You were not listening to me yesterday.

# Bagian E: Error Analysis (10 soal)

- 41. They was reading books in the library yesterday.
  They were reading books in the library yesterday.
  They = jamak → pakai were, bukan was.
- 42. We was listening to music when the teacher came.We were listening to music when the teacher came.We = jamak → harus were.
- 43. She were dancing at the party last night. She was dancing at the party last night. She = tunggal → harus was.
- 44. I were playing basketball with my friends. I was playing basketball with my friends. Subjek / selalu pakai was, bukan were.
- 45. He **were** writing a letter when you called. He **was** writing a letter when you called. *He* tunggal → **was**.
- 46. She was **cook** dinner when I arrived.
  She was **cooking** dinner when I arrived.
  Setelah *was/were* → harus bentuk **verb-ing**.
- 47. We were watch TV at 9 p.m. last night.
  We were watching TV at 9 p.m. last night.
  Verb dasar salah → harus watching.
- 48. He was **walk** to school when it started to rain. He was **walking** to school when it started to rain. Harus ada akhiran **-ing**.

- 49. They were play football yesterday evening. They were playing football yesterday evening. Verb dasar → playing.
- 50. I was **read** a novel when the light went off.
  I was **reading** a novel when the light went off.
  Harus **reading** karena bentuk continuous.
- 51. The children was shout loudly in the park.
  The children were shouting loudly in the park.
  Subjek jamak (children) → were + verb-ing.
- 52. You was drive too fast yesterday.
  You were driving too fast yesterday.
  You bisa tunggal/jamak, tapi selalu pakai were → driving.
- 53. We were sing a song when the teacher entered.
  We were singing a song when the teacher entered.
  Harus verb-ing setelah were.
- 54. He were talk to his friend during class.

  He was talking to his friend during class.

  He = tunggal → was, verb → talking.
- 55. I were write an essay when my mother called me.I was writing an essay when my mother called me./= was, verb harus -ing → writing.
- 56. She was was studying English last night.
  She was studying English last night.
  was dobel → hapus satu.
- 57. They were playing played football at that time.They were playing football at that time.Tidak boleh ada dua kata kerja → cukup playing.
- 58. He was **cooking cook** dinner when I arrived.
  He was **cooking** dinner when I arrived.
  Kata kerja dobel → hapus **cook**.
- 59. We were were sleeping when you came.
  We were sleeping when you came.
  Redundansi were → cukup sekali.
- 60. I was going go to the market yesterday morning.
  I was going to the market yesterday morning.
  going saja sudah cukup, tidak perlu tambahan go.