There was a fisherman named Fisher who fished for some fish in a fissure.

‘Til a fish with a grin pulled the fisherman in. Now they’re fishing the fissure for Fisher.

To awake awoke awoken

To broadcast broadcast broadcast

To forecast forecast forecast

To slide slid slid

To vex vexed -vext vexed-vext

**Past Continuous**

**Form: subject + was-were + verb + ing**

**# I was studying English all day yesterday. vs # I woke up, I studied English and I went out.**

**Were you studying English all day yesterday?**

**Yes, I was. No, I wasn’t.**

**# They were sleeping in the afternoon. vs # I slept until 8 am yesterday and then had breakfast.**

**Were they sleeping in the afternoon?**

**Yes, they were. No, they weren’t.**

**2. Interrupted action**

**# I was reading a book when the phone rang.**

**# They were speaking when the teacher came in.**

**3. Parallel actions**

**# He was cooking while they were singing.**

**# I was walking while it was raining.**