Use with a noun phrase

I wrote this during <u>the</u> break.

DURING

Answers 'when?'

When did you go to Italy?

During my 20s.

Use with a clause or reduced clause

They listened to music while (<u>they were</u>) baking.

WHILE

FOR

Answers 'how long?'

How long were you waiting?
For about 10 minutes.