

Grammar • Review

1 Complete the sentences with the correct passive form (Present simple or Past simple) of the verbs.

- 1 She *was interviewed* (interview) on the news yesterday.
- 2 Excuse me! (dogs/allow) on the bus?
- 3 I can't read that. It (write) in French.
- 4 (the Internet/use) in the 1950s?
- 5 That word (not spell) correctly.
Use a dictionary!
- 6 Too many trees (cut down) every year.
- 7 The dishes (not do) last night.
- 8 Skateboards (invent) in the US in the 1950s.

2 Make sentences and questions in the passive. Only use *by* + noun if necessary.

- 1 They play football in the park every Saturday.
Football is played in the park every Saturday.
- 2 Do people read books at your school?
- 3 James broke my pen.
- 4 They don't speak Japanese in Thailand.
- 5 My grandma made this sweater.
- 6 We didn't need the tent.
- 7 Did they make these computers in China?
- 8 Our friend designed the website.

3 Active or passive? Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs.

In 1901 American inventors Wilbur and Orville Wright ¹ *built* (build) a flying machine, but it ² (not design) well enough. It ³ (not fly)! "Man will fly, but not in our lifetime," Wilbur ⁴ (say) sadly.

The brothers ⁵ (learn) from their mistakes, however. In 1903 some changes ⁶ (made) to the design, and a new machine ⁷ (build). Wilbur ⁸ (carry) through the air for 59 seconds in the new machine. Some photos ⁹ (take) of this famous moment—the first flight of the world's first plane! Today the names of the Wright brothers ¹⁰ (know) all around the world, and thousands of people ¹¹ (come) to see their plane at the museum in Washington where it ¹² (keep).

Vocabulary • Review

4 Match the beginnings (1–8) to the endings (a–h) of the sentences.

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| 1 You can write on your computer with a | a tube. |
| 2 Plug the cable into the | b audio jack. |
| 3 The flashlight won't work without a | c remote control. |
| 4 A bicycle has two | d wheels. |
| 5 Please don't press those | e keyboard. |
| 6 You can turn on the TV with a | f outlet. |
| 7 Posters are often sold in a | g battery. |
| 8 Plug the power cord into the | h buttons. |