

# Passive voice

Choose the correct past participle form

**Write**

Written

Wrote

Writed

**Catch**

Caught

Caughted

Catched

**Fly**

Flow

Flown

Write

Sold

Solded

Selled

**Go**

Gone

went

Goed

Stealed

Stolen

Stoled

**Tell**

Told

Telled

Tolded

**Do**

Did

Does

Done

**Cut**

Cut

Cutten

Cutt

**Hold**

Held

Holded

Helded

**Speak**

Speaked

Spoke

Spoken

**Buy**

Buyed

Bought

Buied

**Ask**

Asked

Asking

Asks

**Blow up**

Blew up

Blewed up

Blown up

**Throw**

Threw

Threwed

Thrown

**Drive**

Droven

Drove

Driven

## Fill in the blanks with passive voice: present or past tense

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ (offer) a new job last week.
2. The bridge \_\_\_\_\_ (blow up) yesterday.
3. This novel \_\_\_\_\_ (write) by Hemingway.
4. Flies \_\_\_\_\_ (catch) by spiders.
5. All the trees \_\_\_\_\_ (cut) down yesterday.
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) to go home now.
7. Their purse \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) in the disco last night.
8. Rain \_\_\_\_\_ (hold) up by fog.
9. He \_\_\_\_\_ (throw) out of the bar a week ago.
10. Pigs \_\_\_\_\_ (use) to find truffles.

Listen to the conversations. Then, complete the conversations with the words in the box

### Conversation 1

was      built      ago      remodeled      When

Man: \_\_\_\_\_ was this subway built?

Woman: It \_\_\_\_\_ about 30 years \_\_\_\_\_.

Man: It still looks pretty new.

Woman: Yes, it was \_\_\_\_\_ last year.

Man: Well, they did a nice job.

Woman: I'll say.

### Conversation 2

was done      was damaged      Happened

Man: What \_\_\_\_\_ to the old stadium?

Woman: It was torn down last year.

Man: Why did they tear it down?

Woman: It \_\_\_\_\_ by the hurricane three years ago.

Man: Oh, I remember that.

Woman: Yeah, a lot of damage that night.

## Conversation 3

replaced      too      was sold      was closed

Man: Do you still go to that hotel by the lake?

Woman: No, it \_\_\_\_\_ last year.

Man: Oh, was it \_\_\_\_\_?

Woman: No, it \_\_\_\_\_ and hasn't been reopened.

Man: Oh, that's \_\_\_\_\_ bad.

Woman: Yeah, summer at the lake hasn't been the same since.

## Conversation 4

was put      was shut down      Still      at least

Man: Do you \_\_\_\_\_ play golf?

Woman: No, the course \_\_\_\_\_ last year.

Man: Oh, that was such a beautiful course. What happened to it?

Woman: It was converted to a park.

Man: Well, \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_ to good use.

Woman: Yeah, my kids love to go there now.