

1 Are the sentences active (A) or passive (P)? Write A or P.

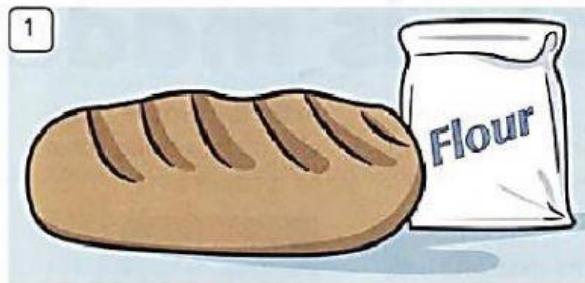
- 1 I was given a lovely present. P
- 2 She made me a cake. _____
- 3 She was made a member of the club. _____
- 4 Did you hear the news? _____
- 5 They have this celebration every year. _____
- 6 Do they play tennis on a football pitch? _____
- 7 The flamingos are fed every day. _____
- 8 Is bread made with flour? _____

PRESENT SIMPLE & PAST SIMPLE PASSIVES

2 Circle the correct answers.

- 1 Ice cream is making / is made from cream.
- 2 I give / am given my mum jewellery every birthday.
- 3 The plates keep / are kept in the cupboard.
- 4 Who is / does this information sent to?
- 5 How often are the Olympic Games held / they are held the Olympic Games?
- 6 My name isn't written / doesn't write like that.
- 7 Tennis they don't play / isn't played at our school.
- 8 They are tested all cars / All cars are tested before they sell them.
- 9 Is / Does paper always recycled?
- 10 Homework is given / gave to pupils every day.

3 Complete the sentences and questions. Use the present simple passive or the past simple passive of the verb in brackets.



Bread is made with flour. (make)



Many children are taken to school by car. (take)

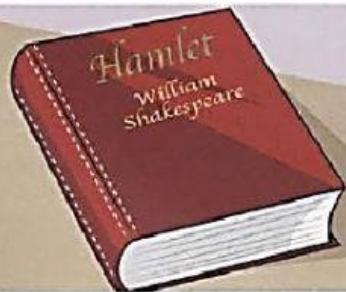


Was the Eiffel Tower built by Gustave Eiffel in 1878? (build)



Grandparents are helped by their families. (help)

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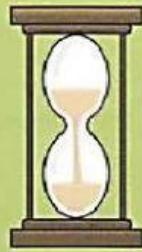
Hamlet _____ by Charles Dickens. (not write)

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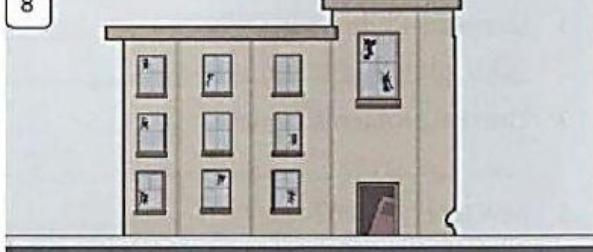
the children _____ presents? (give)

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4 Glass _____ with sand. (make)

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That building _____ very much now. (not use)



Write questions and short answers. Use the present simple passive or the past simple passive.

1 English / speak / in Australia ✓

Is English spoken in Australia? Yes, it is.

2 the pyramids / build / by ancient Egyptians ✓

3 the book Oliver Twist / write / by Charles Dickens ✓

4 cars / invent / in the sixteenth century X

5 olive oil / make / with sugar X

6 ferries / use / for carrying cars ✓

7 New York / originally / call / New Amsterdam ✓

8 many roads / build / by the Romans ✓

9 cars / drive / by children X

10 soup / make / with vegetables and meat ✓