

1 Write full sentences, using the past simple passive.

- 1 The first / Ames room / construct / Adelbert Ames Jr

- 2 It / build / 1946

- 3 An Ames room / create / for / the film star's / latest / film

- 4 The actor / tell / not / to move

- 5 This trick / use / many / films

- 6 My photo / take / Ames room / museum / San Francisco

2 Choose the correct verb form.

- 1 The race *was won / is won* by an Olympic runner.
- 2 Every night, the news on TV *is read / was read* by the same lady.
- 3 The artists *were paid / are paid* to draw 3-D pictures on the wall of the shop.
- 4 My dad *was asked / is asked* to talk to the school about his job.
- 5 Every year, the poster for the music festival *are designed / is designed* by the school.
- 6 The illusion *was created / is created* to make people think in a different way.
- 7 That exercise *was done / is done* last week in class.
- 8 The adverts *was made / were made* in our studio in London.

3 Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use between one and three words.

- 1 My grandfather built the house 50 years ago.
The house _____ my grandfather 50 years ago.
- 2 Someone delivers our post every day.
Our post _____ every day.
- 3 Our teacher showed us the illusion.
We _____ our teacher.
- 4 My friend did this painting.
This painting _____ my friend.
- 5 The film used a lot of 3-D graphics.
A lot of 3-D _____ in the film.
- 6 That place designed interesting clothes.
Interesting clothes _____ at that place.
- 7 Our team won the game.
The game _____ our team.
- 8 The magician made the rabbit disappear.
The rabbit _____ by the magician.

4 Complete the text with the past simple passive form of the verbs in the box.

base	call	direct	film
show	tell	write	

FILM REVIEW

A film ¹ _____ in our local cinema last week. It ² _____ *The Illusionist*. It ³ _____ by Neil Burger. The story ⁴ _____ on a short story called *Eisenheim the Illusionist*. This story ⁵ _____ by Steven Millhauser. My friend and I ⁶ _____ the story by our teacher. According to one website, the story takes place in Austria, but actually it ⁷ _____ in the Czech Republic.

5 Choose the correct sentence in each pair.

- 1 a We have been making optical illusions together since we were borned.
b We have been making optical illusions together since we were born.
- 2 a It was my 15th birthday party, and the place where the party was organised was in a park.
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- 3 a A street in Tokyo was covered in 3-D art.
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- 4 a He looked shy, but then I got to know him better and was surprised of all the things we had in common.
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- 5 a The first city that we visited was called Vielle.
b The first city that we visited we call Vielle.

