8A GRAMMAR the passive (all forms); *have something done*; *it is said that…*, *he is thought to…*, etc.

a Complete the newspaper report with the verbs in brackets in the passive. Add any other necessary words, e.g. *to* or *that*.

Investigation after seaside incident

Police have begun an enquiry after a fight broke out between several people in Lindhurst Road, Poole.

The fight [1] *is believed to* (**believe**) have started in the early hours of Friday morning at an address near the corner of Lindhurst Road. It [2] _____ (**think**) the fight started after a car was damaged by one of the men.

At least one of the men involved [3] _____ (**say**) have been armed. Three men remain in hospital and are being treated for injuries, which [4] _____ (**understand**) be the result of the fight. It [5] _____ (**expect**) one man will be released from hospital later today. Five men, who [6] _____ (**think**) be from the Brighton area, and are aged between 21 and 32, have been arrested. The police are asking anyone who witnessed the incident to contact them urgently. All information will be treated confidentially.

b Complete the sentences with the correct form of *have*, the past participle, and the words in brackets.

1. She *had her wedding dress made* by a famous designer. It cost a fortune! (**wedding dress** / **make**)
2. I thought this was a safe city. I didn't expect _____. (**my wallet** / **steal**)
3. I _____ at the dentist tomorrow. I'm terrified! (**a tooth** / **fill**)
4. Have you ever _____? (**your heart** / **break**)
5. You should _____ if you can't see the board clearly. (**your eyes** / **test**)
6. How often _____? (**your car** / **service**)
7. Our neighbours _____ at the moment. (**a swimming pool** / **build**)
8. I really need to go to the hairdresser's. I _____ for ages. (**my hair** / **cut**)
9. I don't mind _____, but I hate being videoed. (**my photo** / **take**)
10. Unfortunately, we _____ last night. (**our house** / **burgle**)
11. My grandfather _____ every Friday. (**his shopping** / **deliver**)
12. It's the second time this year that we _____. (**our car** / **break into**)

ACTIVATION

Work with a partner. Ask and answer the questions. If your partner says yes, ask for more information.

Have you ever had your…?

- portrait painted
- hair cut by a friend
- fortune told
- photo taken by a professional photographer
- house or car broken into

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8A VOCABULARY Crime and punishment

A The police stopped me and [a][c][c][u][s][e][d] me of dangerous driving.

B When we got home last night, we discovered that a [b]□□□□□□ had broken into our house and stolen our laptops.

C The police still don't know who [c]□□□□□□□□ the crime.

D The name for a person who sells illegal drugs is a drug [d]□□□□□.

E There wasn't enough [e]□□□□□□□ to prove that he was guilty.

F The banker tried to commit [f]□□□□ by changing real notes for fake ones.

G The jury found the accused not [g]□□□□□ of the crime.

H I was furious when a [h]□□□□□ used my identity on Twitter.

I He's [i]□□□□□□□! On the day of the crime, he was with me all day!

J The [j]□□□□ sentenced him to 12 years in prison.

K The gang [k]□□□□□□□□ the businessman and then demanded money for his return.

M A [m]□□□□□ is somebody who attacks or threatens you in the street and tries to steal something from you.

P There wasn't any [p]□□□□ that the gun belonged to him.

Q The police wanted to [q]□□□□□□□ the suspect about his alibi.

R There have been several [r]□□□□□□□□ at this bank. They've taken thousands of pounds and the police haven't caught them yet!

S A [s]□□□□□□ is somebody who watches and follows another person in a frightening way.

T A common crime on the internet is identity [t]□□□□.

V Depending on the [v]□□□□□□, the accused will either be sentenced or be released.

W Neither of the two [w]□□□□□□□□ were particularly reliable. They both told completely different stories!

ACTIVATION

Test your partner. Student **A** read clues A–J and Student **B** (page face down) guess the words. Then change roles for K–W.

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