

1 VOCABULARY: Describing good deeds

A Circle the correct words.

- 1 People should be grateful / *ungrateful* for the kind / kindness of others.
- 2 You can show your *appreciate* / *appreciation* by saying "thank you."
- 3 I'm sorry Tom was so *grateful* / *ungrateful* after all the *helpful* / *unhelpful* things you did for him.
- 4 The only *reward* / *rewarding* I want is your success. That will be very *reward* / *rewarding*.
- 5 Sometimes I get advice that is really *helpful* / *unhelpful*. People say things to me without thinking.
- 6 I *appreciate* / *appreciative* everything you have done for me.

2 GRAMMAR: Present and past passives

A Underline the object of the sentence. Then rewrite the sentence using the present or past passive tense.

- 1 Someone donated millions of dollars.
Millions of dollars were donated.
- 2 People know the organization all over the world.

- 3 Someone started the shelter 50 years ago.

- 4 People give free clothes away every day.

- 5 Somebody serves the food three times a day.

- 6 People left their pets on the streets.

2 READING

A Read about guerrilla gardening in Los Angeles, California. Circle the correct answers.

Guerrilla gardening started back in the 1970s and has grown into an international movement. In some places, people do it to make public spaces more beautiful; in other places, they do it to grow food. In South Central Los Angeles, it was very difficult in the past to find healthy food. That's why a movement was started to grow vegetable gardens on city property. An organization, L.A. Green Grounds, was formed and started planting fruit trees and vegetables. The gardeners were all volunteers and came from all over the city and many different professions. Green Grounds has helped to change a community. There is plenty more space that could be improved. The city of Los Angeles owns nearly 26 square miles of empty land. That's enough land to plant 725 million tomato plants!

- 1 Guerrilla gardening started *a few* / many years ago
- 2 In the past, people had to drive far to buy *fast food* / *healthy food*.
- 3 L.A. Green Grounds was started in order to *make the community beautiful* / *grow food*.
- 4 Volunteers for L.A. Green Grounds *all live* / *do not all live* in South Central Los Angeles.
- 5 The city of Los Angeles *owns* / *does not own* a lot of empty land.