

Passive Voice: Past Simple Tense

Exercise 1 Complete these sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the past simple passive.

Life in the 19th century in Britain

1. Lamps and candles _____ (use) for light, because there was no electricity.
2. A coach instead of a car _____ (buy) to move from place to place.
3. By the 1860's bicycles _____ (ride) along with horses.
4. A simple small house _____ (build) by a poor family.
5. Luxurious palaces _____ (own) by wealthy aristocratic families.
6. Top hats and suits with tails _____ (wear) by men in cities.
7. A dress _____ (design) to hide woman's legs.
8. Girls from well-off families _____ (educate) at home.
9. Boys from rich families _____ (send) to public schools.
10. A child from a poor family _____ (force) to work.
11. Rapid changes _____ (bring) about in everyday life by industrialization.
12. A huge demand for goods and services _____ (create).

