

- 3 Complete the text below. For each item, shade in the bubble ☐ next to the correct option.

The Samsung Group

The Samsung Group's headquarters 1 _____ in Seoul, South Korea. The group 2 _____ in 1938 by Lee Byung-Chul, a very successful South Korean businessman. Samsung 3 _____ the electronics industry in the late 1960s. After Lee's death in 1987, it 4 _____ into four separate business groups. Since the 1990s, Samsung has continued to 5 _____ its business activities all over the world, especially in mobile phones. In 2013, Samsung 6 _____ construction of the world's largest mobile phone factory in the Thai Nguyen province of North Vietnam.

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| 2. ☐ founded | ☐ has founded | ☐ was founded | ☐ founds |
| 3. ☐ entered | ☐ enters | ☐ were entered | ☐ was entered |
| 4. ☐ divided | ☐ was divided | ☐ divides | ☐ is divided |
| 5. ☐ increased | ☐ is increased | ☐ increase | ☐ was increased |
| 6. ☐ was begun | ☐ has begun | ☐ begins | ☐ began |

- 4 Complete the paragraph below. Put each verb in brackets into the past simple passive tense form.

Apple Inc

The American multinational company, Apple Inc (1) _____ (found) in California in the US on 1 April 1976. It (2) _____ (know) as 'Apple Computer Inc' for 30 years until January 2007 when the word 'computer' (3) _____ (take out) of its name.



One of Apple's most successful products is the iPhone. The first generation iPhone (4) _____ (release) on 29 June 2007. The seventh generation iPhone 5C and iPhone 5S (5) _____ (introduce) on 10 September 2013. In addition, many other products such as the Mac line of computers, the iPod media player and the iPad tablet computer (6) _____ (design) by Apple.

- 5 Turn to page 70 of your Workbook and complete the Grammar Practice activities.