

PASSIVE VOICE

Match the following sentences by using the correct form of the passive voice.

1. Many languages _____ lost.
 2. Bo was a local language which _____ since pre-Neolithic times.
 3. The language _____ by researchers.
 4. Her songs and stories couldn't _____ even by members of related tribes.
 5. Nlu _____ now only _____ by a few people.
 6. Efforts _____ to save the language from dying out.
 7. They _____ by a Native American tribe called the Wampanoag.
 8. There's a good chance that it _____ more widely by future generations.
- a. Is spoken
 - b. Were helped
 - c. Have already been
 - d. Will be spoken
 - e. Are being made
 - f. Was being studied
 - g. Had been spoken
 - h. Be understood

Complete the following sentence by using the correct passive voice of the verbs.

1. Susan Threw away a litter.
The litter _____ away by Susan.
2. Someone has opened the door.
The door _____ (by someone).
3. My dad was cutting the grass.
The grass _____ by my dad.
4. The tourists didn't see the lions.
The lions _____ by the tourists.
5. The birds are eating my food.
My food _____ by the birds.