PASSIVE VOICE – past and present simple

1. Put the words in order to make passive sentences.

a) ago this bill sent two weeks was

_____.

b) in the Great wall of China the 6th century BC started was

_____.

c) are those offices every morning cleaned

_____?

d) invented Alexander Bell the telephone by was invented

_____.

e) lost my sister's books in the post were

_____.

f) radium Maria Sklodowska-Curie discovered was by

_____.

g) two thirds with water covered of the Earth is

_____.

i) John F. Kennedy killed in Dallas was in 1963

_____.

2. Complete the sentences with the active or passive, present or past. Use these verbs.

build **give** **include** **drink**

A) 1. This house _____ by my grandparents.

2. My grandparents _____ this house.

B) 1. Where I live, the rent _____ gas and electricity.

2. Where I live, gas and electricity _____in the rent.

C) 1. This necklace _____ to me by my husband.

2. My husband _____me this necklace.

D) 1. About a billion cans of Coca Cola _____ every day.

2. People _____ about a billion cans of Coca Cola every day.

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