

1. Japanese is spoken by 126 million people.
2. One million people _____.
3. _____ by 57 million people.
4. Spanish _____.
5. _____ Cantonese.
6. _____ 246 million people.
7. More than 500 million people _____.
8. _____ in Uganda.

3 AN INTERVIEW

Grammar Note 2

Jill Jones is writing an article about Bolivia. Use the passive form of the verbs in parentheses and short answers to complete her interview with a Bolivian cultural attaché.

JONES: I'm writing an article about Bolivia, and I'd like to check my information.

ATTACHÉ: Certainly. How can I help you?

JONES: First, I'd like to find out about the early history of Bolivia. Was

the area first inhabited by the Inca?

1. (inhabit)

ATTACHÉ: 2. There was a great civilization on the shores of Lake Titicaca

long before the Inca flourished. That civilization _____ probably

_____ by ancestors of the Aymara, who still live in Bolivia.

3. (create)

JONES: That's fascinating. Changing the topic, though, let me ask about the agriculture of your country. I know potatoes are an important crop in the mountains.

_____ corn _____ in the Andes as well?

4. (grow)

ATTACHÉ: 5. The climate is too cold and dry. But quinoa is. Quinoa is a

traditional grain that grows well in the mountains.

JONES: Quinoa? How _____ that _____, with a *k*?

6. (spell)

ATTACHÉ: No, with a *q*—*q-u-i-n-o-a*.

JONES: OK. Thanks. Now, I know our readers will want to read about llamas. How

_____ they _____?

7. (use)

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