

Popular Inventions & The Use of Active and Passive Voice

Instructions: Read the following statements and change them from active to passive voice.

Remember:

Active voice = Subject + Verb in past (ed) + Object

Passive voice = Object + was + verb in past + by + subject



Thomas Alva Edison invented the kinetoscope.

The kinetoscope _____ by _____.



The Wright Brothers invented the airplane.

_____ was invented _____.



Benjamin Franklin invented the bifocal lenses.

**The _____ were invented _____
Benjamin _____.**



Nikola Tesla invented the remote control.

**_____ was _____
by _____.**



James Naismith invented Basketball.

**_____ was _____
by James Naismith.**



Tim Berners-Lee invented the World Wide Web.

**_____ was _____
by Tim Berners-Lee.**



Steve Jobs invented the iPhone.



Stan Lee invented The Avengers.

by _____.