

GRAMMAR: PASSIVE VOICE (TEENS 4)

A) Complete the sentences with the past participle form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 CCTV cameras are used (use) to find clues about many crimes.
- 2 The thief was _____ (catch) because she talked about her crime on social media.
- 3 Yesterday evening two car thieves were _____ (chase) by police in fast cars.
- 4 Sometimes CCTV films are _____ (watch) by special detectives.
- 5 Last night the witnesses were _____ (ask) questions by police officers.
- 6 This camera is _____ (hid) so that the shoplifters don't know about it.

B- Complete the sentences with the PRESENT SIMPLE PASSIVE form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 A lot of TV programmes are made (make) about crime.
- 2 The jewellery _____ (hide) in a secret place.
- 3 Great crime books _____ (write) by ex-detectives.
- 4 A lot of criminals _____ (catch) abroad.
- 5 Fingerprint powder _____ (use) to detect fingerprints.

6 A lot of stolen items _____ (sell) on the internet.

C- Choose the correct option.

1 The two robbers **was/were** caught as they were leaving the bank.

2 A lot of science **is/ are** used to solve crimes nowadays.

3 A secret microphone **was/ were** hidden under her clothes.

4 Sometimes ordinary people **is/ are** asked to help the police with information.

5 CCTV cameras **isn't/ aren't** used in the shopping centre.

6 The thieves **wasn't/ weren't** seen by anyone.