

MODULE 8: FOOD AND DRINK

Exercise 1: Complete the blank to change the following sentences in the passive voice:

1. The waiter brings me this dish.

=> This dish _____ to me by the waiter.

2. Our friends send these postcards to us.

=> These postcards _____ by our friends.

3. Their grandmother told them this story when they visited her last week.

=> They _____ this story by their grandmother when they visited her last week.

4. Tim ordered this train ticket for his mother.

=> This train ticket _____ for Tom's mother by him.

5. She showed her ticket to the airline agent.

=> Her ticket _____ the airline agent by her.

6. Jim baked this cake yesterday.

=> This cake _____ by Jim yesterday.

7. They are going to buy a new apartment next year.

=> A new apartment _____ next year.

8. The shop assistant handed these boxes to the customer.

=> The customer _____ these boxes by the shop assistant.

9. The board awarded the first prize to the reporter.

=> The first prize _____ to the reporter by the board.

10. Have you sent the Christmas cards to your family?

=> Have the Christmas cards _____ to your family?

11. The committee appointed Alice secretary for the meeting.

=> Alice _____ secretary for the meeting by the committee.

12. Tom will give Anna a ride to school tomorrow.

=> Anna _____ a ride to school by Tom tomorrow.

Exercise 2: Choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D to complete the following sentences:

1. The longest fish in the contest was eighteen inches long".

"It _____ by Thelma Rivers".

- a. was catching b. caught c. was caught d. catch

2. "I heard you decided to take up tennis".

"Yes, I have _____ every day".

- a. been played b. been playing c. playing d. play

3. "Are we about to have dinner?"

"Yes, it _____ in the dinning room".

- a. is serving b. serves c. is being served d. served

4. "Why is Stanley in jail?" "He _____ of robbery".

- a. has been convicted b. has been convicting c. has convicted d. convicted

5. "Where are Jack and Jan?" "They _____ the boxes you asked for into the house".

- a. have been bringing b. bringing c. have been brought d. to bring

6. "Where's the old chicken coop?"

"It _____ by a windstorm last year."

- a. destroy b. is destroyed c. was destroyed d. destroyed

7. "We're still looking for Thomas".

"Hasn't he _____ yet?"

- a. been found b. to find c. found d. being found

8. "Whatever happened t that fortune - teller?"

"I don't know. She _____ around her in a long time".

- a. hasn't seen b. didn't see c. hasn't been seeing d. hasn't been seen

9. "Diana is a wonderful ballet dancer".

"She _____ since she was four".

- a. has been dancing b. has been danced c. is dancing d. was danced

10. "What a beautiful dress you're wearing!"

"Thank you. It _____ especially for me by a French tailor".

- a. is made b. has made c. made d. was made

Exercise 3: Write one word in each gap.

1. Everyone complimented her the wonderful buffet she'd laid on.
2. The problem with drinks like that is they're full sugar.
3. I can't choose Death by Chocolate or fruit salad.
4. I'm not going to tell you what's for supper. You'll just have to wait see.
5. She's generally regarded being the best cookery book writer of her generation.
6. Most people associate English food fish and chips and shepherd's pie.
7. Karen's very careful how much salt she has.
8. There's a lack good restaurants round here.
9. The meat was well cooked, but the sauce was totally lacking flavor.