1 Listen and read. What has Chip done? 106

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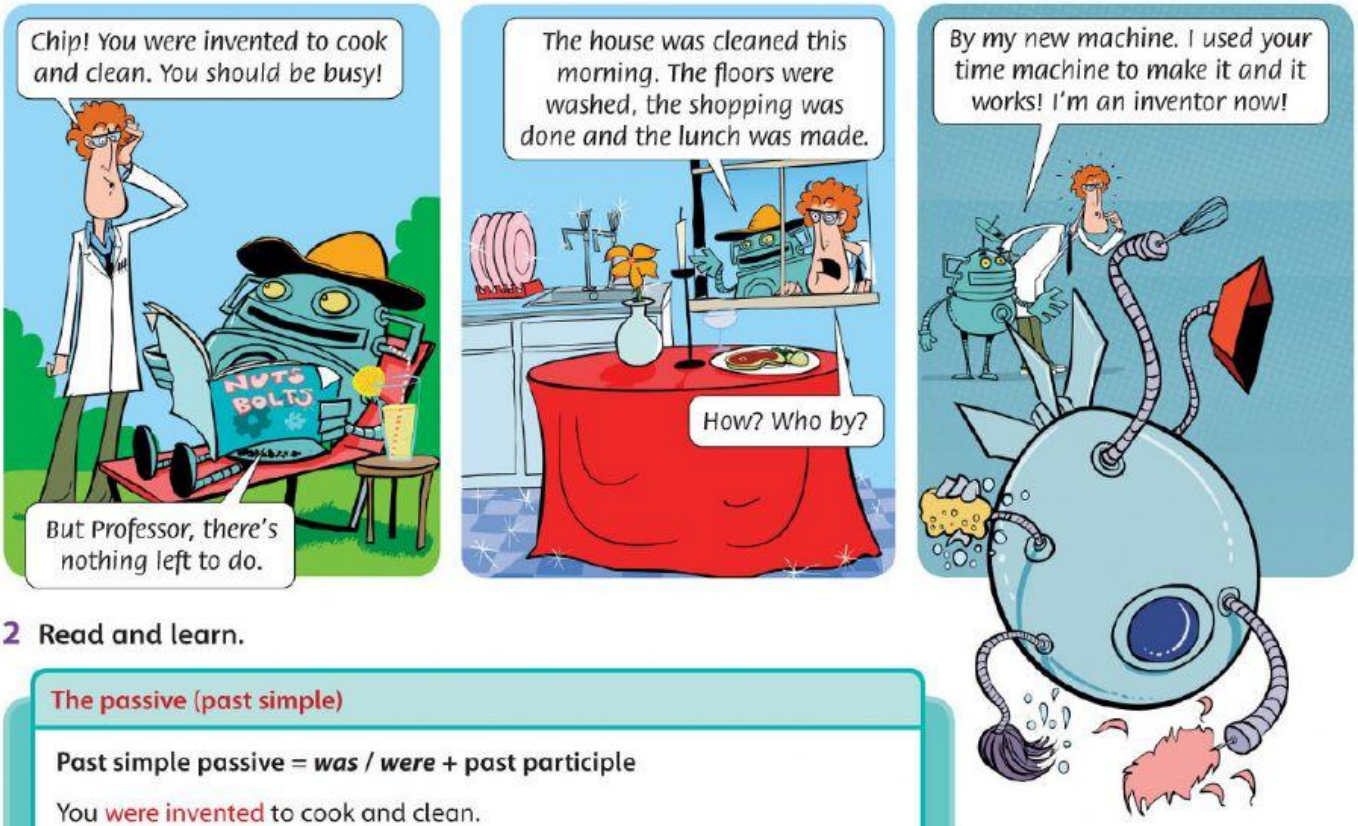

2 Read and learn.

The passive (past simple)

Past simple passive = *was / were* + past participle

You were invented to cook and clean.

Active: My new machine did the shopping.

Passive: The shopping was done by my new machine.

3 Read and circle.

1 This photo *took / was taken* by my dad.
2 I *invited / was invited* all my friends to my birthday party.
3 This picture *painted / was painted* by a famous artist.
4 Jenny *sent / was sent* her cousin an email yesterday.
5 The children *gave / were given* lots of homework last week.
6 Mike *scored / was scored* a goal in the football match.

4 Complete the sentences. Use the past simple passive.

1 Emma was given (give) a watch for her birthday.
2 Two statues _____ (steal) from the museum last night.
3 The Eiffel Tower _____ (build) in 1889.
4 Our house _____ (decorate) last year.
5 These books _____ (write) a hundred years ago.
6 I _____ (teach) to ride a bike when I was five.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

1 **Listen and read. What is the text about?** 107

Q Who was the telephone invented by?

A It was invented by Alexander Graham Bell.

Q When was the first telephone call made?

A It was made in 1876.

Q What was said?

A "Mr Watson. Come here. I want to see you."

2 **Read and learn.**

Passive questions

English is spoken in the USA.
Is English spoken in the USA?

You were given a present.
Were you given a present?

This picture was painted by my sister.
Who was this picture painted by?

Who was the telephone invented by?

When was the first telephone call made?

Where was the first mobile phone used?

What was invented in the 20th century?

3 **Read and choose.**

1 __b__ your new TV delivered yesterday?
a Is b Was c Were

2 ____ was the *Mona Lisa* painted by?
a Who b Where c What

3 ____ coffee grown in Brazil?
a Are b Were c Is

4 ____ was this film made?
a Who b Where c What

5 ____ were the Pyramids built?
a What b When c Who

6 ____ pandas found in China?
a Is b Was c Are

4 **Speaking** **Ask and answer.** television plane electric light car camera

Johann Zahn
1685

Thomas Edison
1879

Karl Benz
1885

The Wright brothers
1903

John Logie Baird
1925

Who was the camera invented by? — *It was invented by Johann Zahn.*

When was it invented? — *It was invented in 1685.*

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