**QUIZ JUNE 3RD LEVEL**
**PASSIVE VOICE AND CINEMA**

NAME.....DATE.....

**A. Read the text and write TRUE or FALSE**

**The new Hollywood?**
**What is Bollywood?**
'Bollywood' is the name of the enormous Hindi-language film industry based in Mumbai, India. The name is a mix of 'Bombay' (now known as Mumbai) and 'Hollywood'. Bollywood's output makes it the largest national film industry in the world in terms both of the number of films produced and the number of tickets sold – though not in terms of profit. In 2006 Bollywood films sold 3.8 billion tickets worldwide and had total revenues (from cinema tickets, DVDs, and television licensing) of $1.6 billion. In the same year films made in Hollywood sold 2.7 billion tickets but generated $51 billion.




Bollywood attracts thousands of aspiring actors, all hoping for a lucky break. As in Hollywood, very few succeed. Only a tiny number of non-Indian actors make a mark in Bollywood, though many have tried.

**History**
The first silent film was made in India in 1913. By the 1930s the industry was producing over 200 films a year. The first film with dialogue, *Alam Ara*, was a huge hit. At first romantic musicals were the commonest types of film, but in the 1960s action films began to appear, and these became increasingly popular. However, in the early 1990s the trend went back to family-friendly musicals. Bollywood is now a strong part of modern culture not only in India, but also in the rest of south Asia, the Middle East, and parts of Africa. It also has a large audience in the UK, Canada, and the US.

**Money and challenges**
Bollywood budgets can be low by Hollywood standards, and sets and special effects can be limited by this. As Western films and TV programmes gain popularity in India, however, there is more pressure for Bollywood films to have higher production values. Film crews from Mumbai now often film abroad, as audiences enjoy scenes shot overseas.
The biggest challenges facing Bollywood in India are from satellite TV, television, and foreign films, which are all having a massive impact on the domestic entertainment scene. In the past, most Bollywood films could make money – now fewer do, but it is still a successful and increasingly international industry.

1. *Hollywood films sell fewer tickets than Bollywood but make more money.....*
2. *There are very few non-Indian actors in Bollywood.....*
3. *Alam Ara was very successful in India.....*
4. *Bollywood films are popular worldwide.....*
5. *Bollywood films cost as much to make as Hollywood films.....*

**B. Make questions for the underlined parts.**

1. .....? In 2006 Bollywood films sold 3.8 billion tickets worldwide.
2. .....? Hollywood films sold 2.7 billion tickets.
3. .....? Bollywood attracts thousands of aspiring actors.
4. .....? The first silent film was made in India in 1913.
5. .....? It also has a large audience in the UK, Canada, and the US.

**C. Hadrian's Wall: Fill the gaps with the correct tenses (active or passive voice).**

In the year 122 AD, the Roman Emperor Hadrian (visit)..... his provinces in Britain. On his visit, the Roman soldiers (tell)..... him that Pictish tribes from Britain's north (attack)..... them. So Hadrian (give)..... the order to build a protective wall across one of the narrowest parts of the country.

After 6 years of hard work, the Wall (finish)..... in 128. It (be)..... 117 kilometres long and about 4 metres high. The Wall (guard)..... by 15,000 Roman soldiers. The soldiers (watch)..... over the frontier to the north and (check)..... the people who (want)..... to enter or leave Roman Britain. In order to pass through the Wall, people had to go to one of the small forts that serve as gateways. Those forts (call)..... milecastles because the distance from one fort to another (be)..... one Roman mile (about 1,500 metres). Between the milecastles there were two turrets from which the soldiers (guard)..... the Wall. If the Wall (attack)..... by enemies, the soldiers at the turrets (run) ..... the nearest milecastle for help or lighted a fire that (can / see)..... by the soldiers in the milecastle. In 383 Hadrian's Wall (abandon).....

Today Hadrian's Wall (be).....the most popular tourist attraction in northern England. In 1987, it (become).....a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Since then, the Wall (visited).....by several tourists.

**D. Complete with the following phrases related to the cinema: *script- subtitles- director- science fiction- cast- special effects- plays the part of.* There is an extra word.**

1. Interstellar is a .....movie about time travelling. The ..... look very realistic.
2. The .....is the actors, actresses and the extras.
3. Leonardo Di Caprio.....Jack in Titanic.
4. I hate reading the..... I prefer dubbed movies.
5. The actress has to read the.....and then memorize it before the shooting.

E. **LISTENING: Life vs. Films:** Jacky and Richard are talking about how different things are in films compared to what happens in real life. Listen and write **true or false** to the following statements.

1. People never wait for the service at the restaurants.....
2. Parking is faster in films.....
3. People always wear seat belts and lock their cars.....
4. Richard say that people in films always look at the road when driving.....
5. Jacky complains about empty suitcases and empty cups.....