Unit 16 The Passive

Grammar Quiz

A Choose the correct answers.

1. Mr. Brown's car _____ down last week.
   ⓐ breaks ⓑ broke ⓒ broken
2. The parents _____ their children presents last night.
   ⓐ give ⓑ gave ⓒ given
3. Three paintings were _____ from the gallery.
   ⓐ steal ⓑ stole ⓒ stolen
4. Michael _____ the essay yesterday.
   ⓐ writes ⓑ wrote ⓒ written
5. The frog was _____ by a snake.
   ⓐ eats ⓑ ate ⓒ eaten
6. The photos were _____ by my dad.
   ⓐ take ⓑ took ⓒ taken

B Look at the underlined words and choose the wrong sentences.

1. ⓐ The problem <u>was caused by</u> her mistake.
   ⓑ The tree <u>was damaged by</u> a storm.
   ⓒ The designer <u>was made by</u> a dress.
   ⓓ The treasure <u>was discovered by</u> a sailor.

2. ⓐ Our house <u>was painted</u> last year.
   ⓑ Someone <u>was written</u> this story long ago.
   ⓒ The man <u>was taken</u> to the hospital.
   ⓓ Bach <u>is called</u> the "father of music."

3. ⓐ They <u>visited</u> my family last week.
   ⓑ I <u>found</u> her ring under the table.
   ⓒ He <u>stopped</u> by a police officer on the street.
   ⓓ She <u>introduced</u> me to the students.

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Grammar Practice

A **Complete the passive sentences.**

1. make — The movie _____ in Canada last year.
2. build — The buildings _____ 10 years ago.
3. give — The prize _____ to a great writer every year.
4. post — Notices _____ on the website every Monday.
5. not / invite — She _____ to the audition yesterday.
6. not / cancel — The meeting _____ yesterday.

B **Choose and complete the sentences.**

score speak deliver make sell spend

1. The package _____ to me yesterday.
2. The painting _____ for $10,000 last Friday.
3. The goal _____ by my friend Steve in the last game.
4. Many cookies _____ for the party yesterday.
5. Spanish _____ in Mexico.
6. A lot of money _____ on the project last year.

Writing Practice

Write the passive sentences.

1. My sister repaired my laptop. _____
2. Many people visit the beaches. _____
3. Andy played the song. _____
4. Heavy snow blocked the road. _____
5. Gordon didn't make this pie. _____
6. He didn't design the clothes. _____

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