

GRAMMAR 03 (ITEMS 1 - 5)

For each item, shade in the bubble ☐ next to the correct option.

Speaker A: Did you hear about what happened at the new electronic store yesterday?

Speaker B: No, I didn't! I was online shopping all afternoon. What happened?

Speaker A: Well, a brand-new smartphone ⁽¹⁾ ☐ **stole** / ☐ **was stolen** from the display table while the manager was busy assisting customers.

Speaker B: Oh wow! Did anybody see who took it?

Speaker A: Not right away, but the store's security cameras ⁽²⁾ ☐ **checked** / ☐ **were checked** by the security team immediately after the alarm sounded.

Speaker B: That was smart. Did they catch the person?

Speaker A: Yes! The thief ⁽³⁾ ☐ **caught** / ☐ **was caught** near the exit gate. In fact, two security guards ⁽⁴⁾ ☐ **stopped** / ☐ **were stopped** him before he could leave the building.

Speaker B: That's a relief! I'm glad the phone ⁽⁵⁾ ☐ **returned** / ☐ **was returned** to the display display before any real damage was done.

Speaker A: Exactly. It was quite a dramatic afternoon for a shopping trip!

Focus: Past Simple Active vs. Past Simple Passive