**Passive – Present and Past 1**

**A Write information about the Brighton Swimming Pool with the words below.**

**Use the Present Simple Passive.**

1 tickets / sell / at the pool

2 the water / heat / to a temperature of 22º C

3 the pool / clean / once a week

4 towels / give / to members only

5 ball games / not allow / in the pool

6 swimming lessons / hold / every Monday

**Brighton Swimming Pool**

**1** Tickets are sold at the pool

**2...............................................................................**

**3...............................................................................**

**4...............................................................................**

**5...............................................................................**

**6...............................................................................**

**B Complete the text with the Past Simple Passive of the verbs in brackets.**

We decided to give our teacher a surprise for her birthday yesterday.The classroom 1 ................................... (clean) and nothing 2 ................................... (leave) on the floor. Fresh flowers 3 ................................... (pick) and they 4 ................................... (place) on her desk. A “Happy Birthday” sign 5 ................................... (put) on the door and a message 6 ................................... (write) on the board. It said,“Dear Miss Graham, Have a great day! Love, Your pupils.”

**C Complete the sentences with the Present Simple Passive or Past Simple Passive of the verbs in brackets.**

1 Two days ago, I lost my bag in the park. It ................................... (not find) until yesterday.

2 The accident ................................... (report) to the police last week.

3 ................................... coffee ................................... (grow) in Brazil?

4 The computers ................................... (not fix) yesterday. They are still broken.

5 Spanish ................................... (speak) in most of South America.

6 Discs ................................... (sell) at the market last week.

**7 ................................... the car ................................... (wash) last week?**

8 The Internet ................................... (use) by millions of people every day.

**D Write each sentence in the passive.**

1 They visited the museum last year. 3 Something woke the neighbours.

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2 I tidy my room on Sundays. 4 Do they sing this song in England?

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**Passive – Present and Past 2**

**A Complete the sentences with the Present Simple Passive form of the verbs in brackets.**

1 My cat......................... (call) Ginger.

2 ............................... the instructions ............................... (write) in English?

3 This beach ............................... (keep) very clean.

4 Uniforms ............................... (not wear) at our school.

5 The dog ............................... (feed) at 8 o’clock every morning.

**B Write sentences in the Past Simple Passive form.**

1 David / choose / for the team / last week ..........................................................................................

2 money / steal / from the safe / last night ...........................................................................................

3 my grandparents / teach / French / at school ....................................................................................

4 the classroom / paint / yesterday .......................................................................................................

5 we / wake up / very early / this morning ............................................................................................

6 the people / take / to hospital ............................................................................................................

**C Complete the sentences with the Present Simple or Past Simple Passive form of the verbs**

**in brackets.**

1 The house ............................... (clean) once a week.

2 The burglary ............................... (report) to the police last week.

3 ............................... tea ............................... (grow) in China?

4 Those walls ............................... (not paint) last year.

5 I lost my purse in the shopping centre. It ............................... (not find) until yesterday.

6 When ............................... your car ............................... (steal) ?

7 New medicines ............................... (discover) every day.

**Passive – Future**

**A Circle the correct answers.**

1 The dog will feed / will be fed at 6 o'clock.

2 The e-mail will send / will be sent tomorrow.

3 Gardeners will plant / will be planted new flowers in the park.

4 The magazine won’t publish / won’t be published tomorrow.

5 They won’t eat / won’t be eaten lasagne for dinner tonight.

6 Soft drinks will sell / will be sold at the concert.

7 We will pack / will be packed our bags this afternoon.

8 The students will take / will be taken on a school trip next week.

**B Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Future Simple passive.**

1 The tickets .............................. (sell) online.

2 The message .............................. (send) in a few minutes.

3 The streets .............................. (clean) tomorrow morning.

4 German .............................. (not teach) by Mr Selby.

5 Dinner .............................. (serve) at 7 o’clock.

6 Our house .............................. (paint) next week.

7 The project .............................. (not finish) until next month.

8 School uniforms .............................. (wear) in our school next year.

**C Rewrite the sentences and questions. Use the Future passive with will.**

1 The teacher will return your exams tomorrow.

Your exams ........................................................................................................

2 The court will hear the case next month.

The case ............................................................................................................

3 When will they clean our rooms?

When .............................. our rooms .................................................................

4 They will discuss the problem at the next meeting.

The problem .......................................................................................................

5 They won’t deliver the furniture tomorrow.

The furniture .......................................................................................................

**Mixed exerxises**

**A Rewrite the sentences using the passive.**

1. They make stereos in Japan.

2. They grow oranges in Sicily.

3. Ford makes cars in France.

4. Paul will open a new hotel this year.

5. Captain Cook discovered Australia.

6. Shakespeare didn’t write “El Quijote”.

7. Marconi invented the telephone.

8. New technology will change our lives.

9. Someone built this house in 1975.

10.Jane will paint this room next Monday.

**Sentences with two objects.**

*Example : Mary bought* ***me flowers*** *for my birthday*.( me – indirect object / flowers – direct object)

**Flowers** were bought to me for my birthday by Mary.( direct object as subject )

**I** was bought flowers for my birthday by Mary.( indirect object as subject)

**B Rewrite the sentences as in the example given if it is possible. ( There are sentences with two objects and other just have one.)**

1 Kevin asked Denis a question.

2 The waiter brought James a big steak,

3 The teacher told us a joke.

4 They will meet Doris at the station.

5 She gives him a box .

6 They don’t speak English at this shop.