

Exercises on Present simple, Simple Past or Past Continuous, and present perfect progressive.

Complete the sentences with a passive construction, using the verbs given in the form suggested.

1. Made of iron (strong) _____ by him in the seventeenth century. (Past Simple)
2. The river after (die) _____ by a terrible rain (present perfect)
3. A teacher (should) be a man who can (inspire) _____ (present-verb)
4. Many cities (destroy) _____ by nuclear war, but some buildings (present continuous)
5. The police (investigate) _____ to take the witness report together. (Present Perfect)
6. He (learn) _____ from Geography for the duration of a term. (Past Simple)
7. A doctor (be) (expect) _____ (suffer) _____ when this week. (Present Simple, Infinitive)
8. A great deal of research (do) _____ into possible causes of cancer (Present Perfect)
9. The lawyer (claim) that he (suffer) _____ by his employers. (Past Continuous)
10. The tourist (visit) _____ the rest (appreciate) his work. (Past Simple)

Using the words in parentheses, complete the text below with the appropriate form, Simple Past or Past Continuous