

1 Put the words in order to make sentences.

- damaged / in a hurricane / New Orleans / badly / was
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New Orleans was badly damaged in a hurricane.
- an MP4 player / was / Paul / for his birthday / given
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- in 2010 / built / The / was / shopping centre / new
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- made / The / was / in 2008 / *Twilight* film / first
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- trees / in the storm / were / Lots of / blown down
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2 Complete the sentences with the past simple passive form the verbs in the box.

destroy steal cook
lose not invite take

- Many people's homes *were destroyed* in the forest fire.
- My passport when I was on holiday.
- Rhona was upset because she to the party.
- That meal was delicious! Everything perfectly.
- Those photos on holiday last year.

3 Circle the correct words.

- Last month there was ¹ a / an earthquake in northern Turkey. ² - / The Buildings were destroyed in ³ - / the town of Arkum but fortunately nobody was killed or injured. ⁴ An / The earthquake happened in the middle of ⁵ the / a day, when ⁶ - / the most people were at ⁷ - / the work.
- My friend loves ⁸ - / the animals. She's got ⁹ the / a cat and ¹⁰ the / a budgie. ¹¹ The / A cat is very friendly but ¹² a / the budgie is annoying. She lets it fly around ¹³ a / the house and it always chases ¹⁴ the / - people. She had ¹⁵ a / the rabbit too, but it died.

4 Correct the sentences.

- My uncle is doctor – he works in a big hospital in London.
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My uncle is a doctor.
- I had a argument with my best friend and now she's not talking to me.
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- The elephants are the largest land animals in the world.
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- I watched two DVDs last night, but a second film was really boring.
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- Frank gave his seat on the bus to a elderly woman with a lot of shopping.
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- I love this music! This is best concert I've ever been to.
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