

1 Choose the correct options to complete the sentences.

- The next cooking competition will be / *was* held in Texas.
- I wasn't sure if I *am* / *was being* told the truth.
- Coffee *is* / *will be* drunk all over the world.
- The recipe *is* / *was* created by two Hungarian sisters.
- After getting the negative feedback, I felt as if I *had been* / *am* attacked.
- The birthday cake *is being* / *has been* delivered on Friday morning.
- Quiche *is being* / *can be* eaten warm or cold.
- These fruits *have always been* / *were always been* considered a delicacy.

2 Complete the sentences with one word.

- Until today I had never been complemented on my cooking.
- I'm very sorry, dogs are not allowed inside the café.
- Is this cake made with butter? It tastes great.
- Have you told what to make?
- By law, seat belts must be worn by all passengers.
- It looks all the milk has been drunk.
- I think the waiter was so rude he should have fired.
- If I had been informed of the cancellation, I wouldn't have driven all the way here.

3 Cross-out the mistakes in the sentences. Write the correct words. Some sentences are correct.

- This kind of salt ~~doesn't~~ found in the mountains.
X isn't
- Next week ~~are~~ going to be sent all the invitations.
will be
- Are you been given a refund yet? Have you
- Not finishing all your food could be taken as an insult in some countries. Not finishing
- Normally this type of food is eat as a dessert.
is eaten
- Having a sleep between mealtimes is considered normal in many countries. is
- This box of apples were left here by accident.
was
- Until will be found a solution, I won't be happy.
will I find

4 Rewrite the sentences in the passive. Only include the agent if necessary. Where the agent isn't necessary, mark the reason: AU (agent is unknown), AO (agent is obvious), AS (agent is secret).

- Companies import this ham from Spain.
This ham is imported from Spain. AO
- You can use bananas as an egg substitute in cakes.
Can bananas be used as an egg substitute in cakes. AU
- I realised that someone had stolen my wallet.
My wallet was stolen. AS
- Top chef Adrian Ceballos will judge the dishes.
Adrian Ceballos will judge the dishes. AO
- Someone made the shocking accusations yesterday.
Shocking accusations were made yesterday. AU
- Raccoons were attacking our food bins.
Our food bins were attacked by raccoons. AO
- People have recently voted Kaleidoscope "Restaurant of the Year" again.
Kaleidoscope has been voted "Restaurant of the Year" again. AU
- Someone is repairing the toaster at the moment.
The toaster is being repaired. AU

5 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in the box. Use the active or passive where necessary.

become bring clean consider eat find
place power use

Potatoes ¹ were first brought to Europe in the 16th century and today they ² are on virtually every restaurant menu across the continent, if not the world. In addition to ³ being a standard kitchen ingredient, potatoes, in the course of history, ⁴ have been used for many things other than food, from ⁵ the cleaning of windows to removing rust. You can even ⁶ replace a light bulb with them! In 2006, sacks of potatoes ⁷ were used in airplane seats by Boeing in order to test absorption and deflection of Wi-Fi signals. Apparently when it comes to water content and chemistry, potatoes and humans can ⁸ be compared quite similar. Fascinating, but I think I ⁹ will eat just mine with some fish, thanks very much!

1

- 2 was being
- 3 is
- 4 was
- 5 had been
- 6 is being
- 7 can be
- 8 have always been

2

- 2 are
- 3 Was
- 4 been
- 5 must
- 6 has
- 7 be
- 8 had

3

- 2 all the invitations are going to be sent
- 3 Are Have
- 4 ✓
- 5 is eat is eaten
- 6 ✓
- 7 were was
- 8 Until a solution is found...

4

- 2 Bananas can be used as an egg substitute in cakes. AO
- 3 I realised that my wallet had been stolen. AU
- 4 The dishes will be judged by Top chef Adrian Ceballos.
- 5 The shocking accusations were made yesterday. AS
- 6 Our food bins were being attacked by raccoons.
- 7 Kaleidoscope has recently been voted "Restaurant of the Year" again. AO
- 8 The toaster is being repaired at the moment.

5

- 2 are found
- 3 becoming
- 4 have been used
- 5 cleaning
- 6 power
- 7 were placed
- 8 be considered
- 9 'll (just) eat