

# Language Focus Unit 7

## Quantifiers

## Passive: past, present and future

### 1 Choose the correct answer, a, b or c.

- It was a fun party, but there were \_\_\_\_ people.  
a too much b a little **(c) too many**
- 1 There is \_\_\_\_ time to stop and have a coffee.  
a lots b few c plenty of
- 2 I have \_\_\_\_ money with me, so I can buy lunch.  
a plenty b a few c a little
- 3 Emma's taken a \_\_\_\_ days off school because she's not well.  
a enough b few c little
- 4 There are \_\_\_\_ of green spaces in my town.  
a lots b few c many
- 5 There isn't \_\_\_\_ space in the car for me.  
a enough b few c plenty
- 6 We spent too \_\_\_\_ money on the tickets.  
a many b few c much

### 2 Correct the underlined mistakes in the article. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.

#### Better Cities, Better Lives

We celebrate ~~much~~ of special occasions every year. However, only a (1) little of these occasions are both enjoyable and good for cities and the people who live in them. Nowadays, there are (2) enough of people who know about World Cities Day. This is an event that people around the world celebrate on 31st October. The United Nations started World Cities Day in 2013. In 2013, there weren't (3) a few people who realized that cities had too (4) little cars on the roads and too (5) enough pollution and that we needed to do something to help. Because the UN knew that people only had a (6) few time to do things to improve their city, they created this day. Go **HERE** for more information about this year's World Cities Day.

plenty / lots

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| 1 _____ | 4 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 5 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 6 _____ |

### 3 Choose the correct words.

- A **Who / Why / Where** were the ancient rock paintings found?
- B They **were found / found / be found** by archaeologists in a place in Libya.
- 1 A **What / How many / Why** will be unearthed at Stonehenge?
- B No one knows if anything **will be unearthed / will unearth / will be unearth** at Stonehenge one day.
- 2 A **What / When / Why** have the coins been examined?
- B The coins **have been / might be / have** examined to see if they are valuable.
- 3 A **Why / Who / Where** were the Terracotta soldiers buried by?
- B They **were buried / buried / bury** by the people who made them.
- 4 A **Why / How many / Who** figures can be seen in the cave painting?
- B Well, four or five **can be seen / can see / were seen** in this picture of the cave.
- 5 A **Why / Who / When** was the ancient castle destroyed?
- B It **was / was been / were** destroyed in the year 1066.

### 4 Complete the sentences with the correct passive form of the verbs in brackets.

- This site has been excavated (excavate) by archaeologists for many years.
- 1 The ancient king's money \_\_\_\_\_ (may / hide) in here; let's look!
- 2 Old animal bones \_\_\_\_\_ (not study) by archaeologists. Palaeontologists study those bones.
- 3 These old bottles \_\_\_\_\_ (unearth) in a farmer's field last summer.
- 4 The paintings \_\_\_\_\_ (display) in the art gallery next year.
- 5 The gates to the park \_\_\_\_\_ (close) every evening at eight, so we must leave before then.
- 6 The old Irish castle \_\_\_\_\_ (renovate) in 1997.
- 7 We've been digging for days, but the old town \_\_\_\_\_ (not uncover) yet.