## Active to passive voice

| Exercise 3. Change the active voice to passive voice        |
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| People find information on the Internet.                    |
| Information on the Internet.                                |
| They closed the shop at 5 o'clock.                          |
| The shop at 5 o'clock.                                      |
| I think they make these cars in Japan.                      |
| I think these cars in Japan.                                |
| You must not drop litter in the street in Singapore.        |
| Litter in the street in Singapore.                          |
| Someone smashed our window last night.                      |
| Our window last night.                                      |
| They have already mended the TV set. You can collect it.    |
| The TV set                                                  |
| People will need more public transport in the near future.  |
| More public transport in the near future.                   |
| Don't enter the room. They are decorating the walls.        |
| Don't enter the room. The walls                             |
| You should not replace the roof at the beginning of winter. |
| The roof at the beginning of winter.                        |

People are spending less money on cars this year.

Less money ..... on cars this year.

They had cooked the meal before 10 o'clock.

The meal ..... before 10 o'clock.

Someone was building the wall when I was there.

The wall ..... when I was there.

No problem. They sell this food in every shop.

No problem. This food ..... in every shop.

They delivered more parcels last year because people bought more goods in e-shops.

More parcels ...... last year because people bought more goods in e-shops.

They have not replaced the wheels yet.

The wheels ...... yet.

## **Answer key**

## **Exercise 3**

Information <u>is found</u> on the Internet. The shop <u>was closed</u> at 5 o'clock. I think these cars <u>are made</u> in Japan. Litter <u>must not be dropped</u> in the street in Singapore. Our window <u>was smashed</u> last night. The TV set <u>has already been mended</u>. You can collect it. More public transport <u>will be needed</u> in the near future. Don't enter the room. The walls <u>are being decorated</u>. The roof <u>should not be replaced</u> at the beginning of winter. Less money <u>is being spent</u> on cars this year. The meal <u>had been cooked</u> before 10 o'clock. The wall <u>was being built</u> when I was there. No problem. This food <u>is sold</u> in every shop. More parcels <u>were delivered</u> last year because people bought more goods in e-shops. The wheels <u>have not been replaced</u> yet.

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