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Active-Passive Pairs

Directions: Below are two lists: **Subjects** (column A) and **Actions** (column B). **Match the halves** to create complete sentences in either **active** or **passive voice** by writing the letter in the blank. Be careful: some actions can match with more than one subject, but only one makes the sentence sound natural and correct. After matching, label each full sentence by writing **A (Active)** or **P (Passive)** in the boxes.

Column A - Subjects

1. The detectives _____
2. The old castle _____
3. A surprise party _____
4. The gardener _____
5. The homework _____
6. The chef _____
7. The song _____
8. The new law _____
9. The children _____
10. The painting _____

Column B - Actions

- a. was discovered by archaeologists last summer.
- b. planted the roses in neat rows.
- c. solved the difficult case.
- d. will be remembered for generations.
- e. was completed by the students before lunch.
- f. is being prepared in the kitchen.
- g. passed in the city council yesterday.
- h. were playing tag in the yard.
- i. was painted by Leonardo da Vinci.
- j. was planned by their best friends.