



**BATTLE FOR BRITAIN  
COURSE 1  
VRGN-BWLF/10-66  
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## **Mission 3.21. Infinitive 1**

# 1

**Rewrite these sentences using perfect infinitives.**

Examples: It seems that you misunderstood the directions. – You seem to have misunderstood the directions.

She didn't go to university. (was to) – She was to have gone to university.

1. It seems that you misunderstood the directions
2. She didn't go to university. (was to)
3. We were sorry that we had upset her
4. It seems that the rain has stopped
5. I'm glad that I've got to know your family
6. Max was disappointed that he had failed his exam
7. We expect we'll have moved house before September
8. Alice was very happy that she had left school
9. I'm fortunate that I grew up bilingual
10. It is believed that the terrorists have left the country
11. It appears that the car was stolen last night
12. I didn't hear what he said when he found the frogs in his bed. (would like to)
13. He didn't compete in the Olympics. (was to)
14. We didn't see the Grand Canyon. (were to)
15. It wasn't a quiet weekend. (was to)
16. I didn't send her flowers for her birthday. (mean)
17. I didn't tidy the house before the visitors arrived. (mean)
18. I didn't live in Ancient Rome. (would like)

## 2

Put a suitable infinitive of the verb *write* into each sentence. (One infinitive is without to.)

1. This letter appears \_\_\_\_\_ by a very young child.
2. I'm going \_\_\_\_\_ some postcards this afternoon.
3. Dickens is said \_\_\_\_\_ three novels that were never published.
4. These days, academic articles need \_\_\_\_\_ in English if they are to be widely read.
5. Please memorise these instructions, but be careful \_\_\_\_\_ anything down.
6. I seem \_\_\_\_\_ for ever - my hand really hurts.
7. This time tomorrow, I'll \_\_\_\_\_ answers to exam questions.

## 3

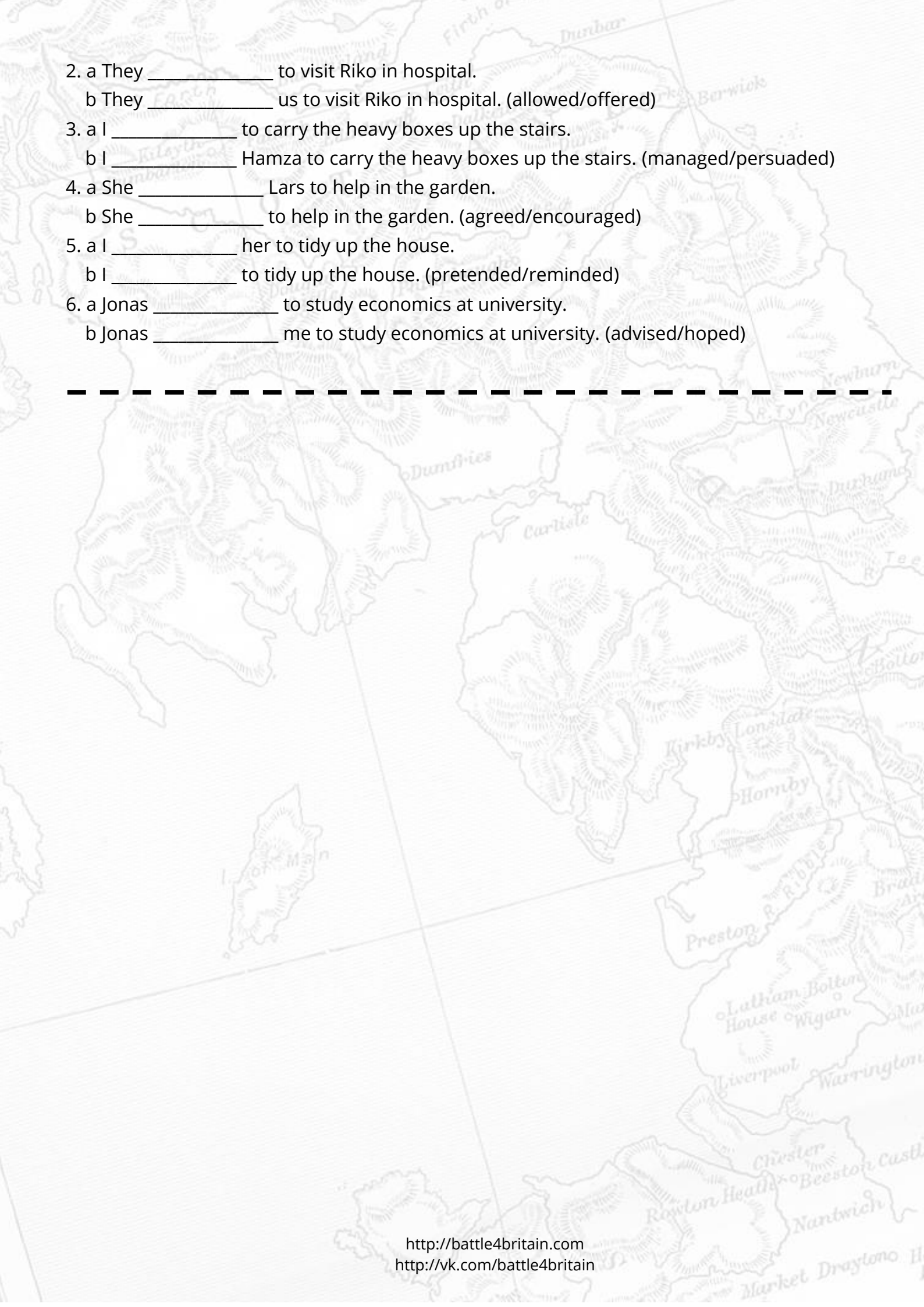
Make the sentences passive. Some of them will have a different meaning.

1. Kay's questions began to irritate Marco.
2. The team captain hopes to select Omar.
3. Alastair arranged to take Kathy to the station.
4. Critics have come to recognise Galdos as one of Spain's greatest novelists.
5. The south coast continues to attract holidaymakers.
6. Harris has agreed to interview the Finance Minister.

## 4

Complete each sentence with one of the verbs in brackets.

1. a My mother \_\_\_\_\_ me to throw away my old toys.  
b My mother \_\_\_\_\_ to throw away my old toys. (threatened/told)

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2. a They \_\_\_\_\_ to visit Riko in hospital.  
b They \_\_\_\_\_ us to visit Riko in hospital. (allowed/offered)
3. a I \_\_\_\_\_ to carry the heavy boxes up the stairs.  
b I \_\_\_\_\_ Hamza to carry the heavy boxes up the stairs. (managed/persuaded)
4. a She \_\_\_\_\_ Lars to help in the garden.  
b She \_\_\_\_\_ to help in the garden. (agreed/encouraged)
5. a I \_\_\_\_\_ her to tidy up the house.  
b I \_\_\_\_\_ to tidy up the house. (pretended/reminded)
6. a Jonas \_\_\_\_\_ to study economics at university.  
b Jonas \_\_\_\_\_ me to study economics at university. (advised/hoped)
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