Unit 8

Vocabulary:

Passive participial phrases
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1. be inspired by
2. be influenced by
3. be fascinated by
4. be moved by
Passive participial phrase consists of

1. **Past participle** (V3)

2. **Preposition**

   And always used with **V to be** to show the passive meaning
inspire = to make someone feel that they want to do something and can do it.

Ex: After her trip to Venezuela, she felt inspired to learn Spanish.
Valentino’s work inspires Katherine Wolf.
Katherine Wolf is inspired by the work of Valentino.
influence = to affect or change how someone or something develops, behaves or thinks

Ex: She is very good at making friends and influencing people.
Henri Cartier-Bresson’s work influences Susan Wallach.

Susan Wallach is influenced by the work of Henri Cartier-Bresson.
fascinate = to interest someone a lot

Ex: Anything to do with aeroplanes and flying fascinates him.
Ang Lee accepting Golden Lion

- Ang Lee’s work **fascinates** Burt Hildegard.
- Burt Hildegard **is fascinated by** the work of Ang Lee.
Many people are fascinated by Vincent van Gogh’s paintings.

His paintings were influenced by the poverty he had seen.
move = to cause someone to have strong feelings, such as sadness, sympathy, happiness or admiration

Ex: It was such a sad film that it moves me to tears.
Kahlo’s work is remembered for its ‘pain and passion.

Frida Kahlo’s work moves Nick Jenkins.

Nick Jenkin is moved by the work of Frida Kahlo.
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