

Worksheet

Read the text aloud before filling in the blanks of a summary of the text.

Fill in the blanks with words from the text in their proper forms.

Tu Youyou, the first Chinese scientist who won the Nobel Prize in _____, was born in Ningbo in 1930. At 21, she went to Beijing to _____ her studies in medicine and was _____ with searching for a new malaria treatment when she worked at China Academy of Traditional Chinese Medicine. During the long hard research, Tu and her team _____ hundreds of books about traditional Chinese Medicine and _____ many experienced doctors. Tu _____ over 2,000 prescriptions and _____ 640 of them in a single collection of anti-malaria prescriptions. With a lot of _____, they found the key to _____ malaria in an ancient medical book by Ge Hong. The team then started _____ tests on the plant and found artemisinin could _____ malaria. Thanks to this discovery, millions of lives in Asia and Africa were _____.

KEY

Physiology or Medicine; further; tasked; examined; interviewed; collected; summarized; persistence; beating; running; treat; saved