

PASSIVE

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- **Určeno pro:** žáky středních škol
- **Vzdělávací předmět:** anglický jazyk
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- **Anotace:** Prezentace je určena pro žáky středních škol, představuje trpný rod, je doplněna cvičeními, které mají za úkol procvičit a upevnit učivo
- **Klíčová slova:** passive, past, present perfect
- **Metodický popis:** prezentace, podpora výkladu učitele



FORM

- Am/ is / are
- Was / were
- Has / have been
- Will

+ -ed
(past participle)

Use

- We use THE PASSIVE when we want to focus on the action, not on who performs it, or when we don't know who performs it.
- We often use present simple passive to describe a process.

Ex. First, the bottles are washed. Then they are sorted into different colours. Next...

In these cases we use the PASSIVE

1. We don't know the agent
2. The agent is not important
3. The agent is obvious

Use- the object of an active verb becomes the subject of a passive verb.

object

- Active Shakespeare wrote **Hamlet**.
- Passive **Hamlet** was written by Shakespeare.

subject

Examples: PRESENT

- English is spoken all over the world.
- Nikon cameras are made in Japan.
- Coffee is not grown in England.
- Magazines are not sold in this shop.
- Where is rice grown?
- Is your bicycle serviced regularly?

PAST

- My car was stolen last night.
- The animals were frightened.
- He was not injured in the accident.
- They were not invited to the party.
- Were the plants watered last night?
- How was the window broken?

PRESENT PERFECT

- I have been robbed.
- X-ray machines have been used for many things.
- The room has not been cleaned.
- I have not been invited.
- Has my car been repaired?
- How many times have you been hurt playing football?

WILL

- A lot of cars will be produced next year.
- The pyramids will be closed next week.
- The cars won't be sold in the UK.
- A new bridge won't be built next year.
- Will the children be sent to a new school?

Short answers

- Are cars made in your country?
- Yes, they are. / No, they are not.

- Has my car been repaired?
- Yes, it has. / No, it has not.

- Is your bicycle serviced regularly?
- Yes, it is. / No, it isn't.



Sometimes we want or need to include the agent. We use „BY“

- Two hundred people are employed by the company.
- Many accidents are caused by dangerous driving.
- This house was built by my grandfather.
- America was discovered by Ch. Columbus.
- Hamlet was written by Shakespeare.

Practise- rewrite the active sentences in the passive

- 1, Someone sells tickets at the box office.
- 2, How do people use chopsticks?
- 3, They recycle a lot of paper in Britain.
- 4, They don't sell books in this shop.
- 5, They don't grow oranges in Hungary.
- 6, They cancelled the football match.
- 7, Someone has serviced my car.

Solution

- 1, Tickets are sold at the box office.
- 2, How are chopsticks used?
- 3, A lot of paper is recycled in Britain.
- 4, Books are not sold in this shop.
- 5, Oranges are not grown in Hungary.
- 6, The football match was cancelled.
- 7, My car has been serviced.

Find and correct 2 sentences that are wrong

- 1, These cars are made in Germany.
- 2, The money was stole from the bank.
- 3, Dinner is usually served at 7 p.m.
- 4, Spanish spoken in Latin America.
- 5, A new bridge will be built next year.

Solution

- 2, The money was stole from the bank.
- CORRECT: The money was stolen from the bank.

- 4, Spanish spoken in Latin America.
- CORRECT: Spanish is spoken in Latin America.

Complete the sentences with the present simple passive form of the verbs in brackets

- 1, Rice _____ (grow) in China.
- 2, Turkey _____ (eat) at Christmas.
- 3, Helmets _____ (wear) by ice hockey players.
- 4, English _____ (teach) in schools all over Europe.
- 5, Coffee _____ (drink) in most countries of the world.

Solution

- 1, Rice is grown in China.
- 2, Turkey is eaten at Christmas.
- 3, Helmets are worn by ice hockey players.
- 4, English is taught in schools all over Europe.
- 5, Coffee is drunk in most countries of the world.

Rewrite the sentences in the passive. Use BY if necessary to say who has done the action.

- 1, Somebody has stolen my camera.
- 2, The police have interviewed three suspects.
- 3, Somebody has vandalised the bus stop.
- 4, They have murdered three people.
- 5, Shoplifters have taken the new DVDs.
- 6, Somebody has burgled their house.

Solution

- 1, My camera has been stolen.
- 2, Three suspects have been interviewed by the police.
- 3, The bus stop has been vandalised.
- 4, Three people have been murdered.
- 5, The new DVDs have been taken by shoplifters.
- 6, Their house has been burgled.

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