

PRESENT SIMPLE PASSIVE



	SUBJECT	ACTION	OBJECT
ACTIVE	Mountains	surround	the village
PASSIVE	The village	is surrounded	by mountains

- Form the present simple passive with the present simple form of the verb to be (am, is, are) and the past participle of the main verb
- ✓ The object of the active sentences becomes the subject of the passive sentences
- ✓ Use by + person or thing after the passive to include the object

Complete the sentences using AM, IS or ARE:

1. All drinks are included in the price
2. The castle is shown by a tour guide
3. My mother says I am not allowed to go out alone
4. Guests is invited several days before the party
5. All the dishes is washed after the meal
6. The national park are visited by many tourists

Complete using the present simple passive form of the verbs in the box:

READ - WATER - PREPARE - SEE - OFFER - DO

1. This test is done by students all around the world
2. Flowers are watered every morning
3. Sushi is offered in many restaurants
4. Best seller books are read by millions of people
5. This film is seen only by kids
6. Tasty cakes are prepared to celebrate birthdays

Make these active sentences passive:

1. The children organise a Christmas party
A christmas party are organised by the childr
2. My neighbour trains guard dogs
the guard dogs are trained by my neighbour
3. People of all ages play this game
this game is played by people of all ages
4. The secretary sends a lot of e-mails every day
a lot e-mail are sends by the secretary every day
5. Two teachers correct these tests
these tests are correct by two teachers
6. A police car follows the green cars
the green cars is followed by a police car

PAST SIMPLE PASSIVE



	SUBJECT	ACTION	OBJECT
ACTIVE	Mountains	surrounded	the village
PASSIVE	The village	was surrounded	by mountains

- Form the past simple passive with the past simple form of the verb to be (was, were) and the past participle of the main verb
- The object of the active sentences becomes the subject of the passive sentences
- Use by + person or thing after the passive to include the object

Complete the sentences using WAS or WERE:

1. The hills were seen by many travellers
2. This house was built in 1997
3. The e-mails were sent by my partner not by me
4. The match was finished five minutes earlier
5. These medals were won by the best players
6. My town was attacked several times

Complete using the past simple passive form of the verbs in the box:

INVENT - INVESTIGATE - BUY - EAT - FEED - CLEAN

1. Those cds was bought by Lawrence .
2. All the windows were cleaned this week.
3. Her cake was eaten by all the guests .
4. The telephone was invented many years ago.
5. Hungry dogs were feeder by the shop assistants.
6. This famous town was investigated by many scientists.

Make these active sentences passive:

1. They gave Mimi some flowers.
flowers were given by some
2. Madonna sang famous songs.
a famous song is sung by madonna
3. They offered Jane a well-paid job.
a well-paid job was offered by them
4. Her parents promised Ann a great birthday present.
a great birthday was promised by her parents
5. Alexander Bell invented the telephone
the telephone was invented by alexander bell
6. I took lots of beautiful pictures
a beautiful pictures were took by me

