

Lesson 49 Part 2 Grammar Passive Advanced

Таблица всех времен в *Passive Voice*

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Exercise 1

Open the brackets using Present, Past or Future Simple Passive

- Bread (to eat) every day.
- The letter (to receive) yesterday.
- Many houses (to build) in our town every year.
- This work (to do) tomorrow.
- These trees (to plant) last autumn.
- His new book (to finish) next year.
- The book (to discuss) at the next conference.
- Yesterday he (to tell) to prepare a speech.
- Taxes (to pay) by citizens every year.

10. While mastering a foreign language, words (to learn) by heart.

Exercise 2

Transform from Active Voice into Passive Voice using Present or Past Continuous Passive

- 1) Is somebody using the computer at the moment?
- 2) I didn't realize that somebody was recording our conversation.
- 3) Are they building a new road round the city?
- 4) We were discussing the matter the whole day yesterday.
- 5) They are watching a movie at the moment.
- 6) When I saw her, she was reading a newspaper.
- 7) The detectives were investigating the case.
- 8) The farmers are digging out their crops at the moment.
- 9) The elective representative is announcing the results of selections.
- 10) We are listening to the radio now.

Exercise 3

Transform from Active Voice into Passive Voice using Present/ Past/ Future Perfect Passive

- 1) Somebody has cleaned the room.
- 2) They have postponed the meeting.
- 3) When we got to the stadium, we found that they had cancelled the game.
- 4) Have you ironed your dress yet?
- 5) They have built excellent shelters for tourists in these mountains.
- 6) By three o'clock we had prepared everything.
- 7) This report will have done by tomorrow.
- 8) Have dogs ever attacked you?
- 9) The secretary has not typed the letters yet.
- 10) He will have found a new job by the end of the month.

Exercise 4

Open the brackets using Passive Voice with modal verbs

- 1) An appointment to the doctor must (to make) by tomorrow.
- 2) This road must (to avoid) because of the dangerous curves.
- 3) The meeting must (to attend) by every employee.
- 4) This issue must (to discussed).
- 5) This music should (to play) at the party.

Exercise 5

Choose the correct answer

- 1) Their new house _____ yet. **a) hasn't been finished** b) wasn't finished
- 2) The robbers _____ as soon as they left the bank. **a) were arrested** b) have been arrested

- 3) Sue told us her baby _____two weeks earlier than expected.
a) is born **b) had been born**
- 4) If there is too much snow, the match _____. a) has been cancelled **b) will be cancelled**
- 5) When were you _____about the new rules? **a) told** b)have you been told

