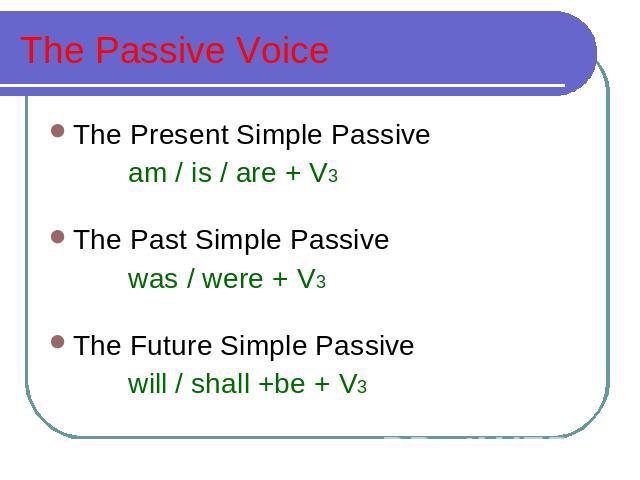
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Passive Voice







Exercise 1

**Translate the following word combinations into English using Present, Past or Future Simple Passive.**

Мне рассказали - Мне рассказывают - Мне расскажут

Мне показали - Мне показывают - Мне покажут

Ее привели - Ее приводят - Ее приведут

Нас спросили - Нас спрашивают - Нас спросят

Нам ответили - Нам отвечают - Нам ответят

Нас послали - Нас посылают - Нас пошлют

Им дали - Им дают - Им дадут

Ему помогли Ему помогают - Ему помогут

Ему посоветовали - Ему советуют - Ему посоветуют

Его забыли - Его забывают - Его забудут

Его вспомнили - Его вспоминают - Его вспомнят

Нас пригласили - Нас приглашают - Нас пригласят

Нас поправили - Нас поправляют - Нас поправят

Его позвали - Его зовут - Его позовут

Exercise 2

Open up the brackets using Present, Past or Future Simple Passive.

1. My question (to answer) yesterday.

2. Hockey (to play) in winter.

3. Mushrooms (to gather) in fall.

4. Many houses (to burn) during the Great Fire of London.

5. His new book (to finish) next year.

6. Flowers (to sell) in shops and in the streets.

7. St. Petersburg (to found) in 1703.

8. Bread (to eat) every day.

9. The letter (to receive) yesterday.

10. Nick (to send) to Kiev next week.

11. I (to ask) at the lesson yesterday.

12. I (to give) a very interesting book at the library last Friday.

13. Many houses (to build) in our town every year.

14. This work (to do) tomorrow.

15. This text (to translate) at the last lesson.

16. These trees (to plant) last fall.

Exercise 3

Rewrite the following sentences using Passive Voice.

1. The doctor prescribed her new medicine.

2. They often speak about him.

3. Everybody laughed at this funny animal.

5. We will insist on strict discipline.

6. They teach three foreign languages at this school.

7. We received this letter after his departure.

9. Bees gather honey from flowers.

10. The storm drove the ship against a rock.

Exercise 4

Choose the right answer

1. **We ... by a loud noise during the night.**  
   woke up  
   are woken up  
   were woken up  
   were waking up
2. **A new supermarket is going to ... next year.**  
   build  
   be built  
   be building  
   building
3. **‘Where ...?’ ‘In London’.**  
   were you born  
   are you born  
   have you been born  
   did you born
4. **There was a fight at the party, but nobody ... .**  
   was hurt  
   were hurt  
   hurt
5. **Jane ... to phone me last night, but she didn’t.**  
   supposed  
   is supposed  
   was supposed
6. **... during the storm.**  
   They were collapsed the fence  
   The fence was collapsed  
   They collapsed the fence  
   The fence collapsed
7. **... chair the meeting.**  
   John was decided to  
   There was decided that John should  
   It was decided that John should  
   John had been decided to
8. **This car is not going ... in the race.**  
   to drive  
   to be drive  
   to driven  
   to be driven
9. **Will these clothes ... by Saturday?**  
   make  
   made  
   be make  
   be made
10. **When a student I ... to the discos every Friday night.**  
    used to go  
    are used to go  
    use to go  
    were used to go
11. **Neither Jim nor Jack ... there.**  
    was invited  
    was been invited  
    were invited  
    were been invited
12. **After the volcanic eruption of 1957 the railway station ... .**  
    destroyed completely  
    was completely destroyed  
    has been destroyed  
    has destroyed