### 084\_intermediate\_grammar

### Passive Voice

Keys



### Exercise 1

Transform the following sentences into Passive

- 1. A lot of money was stolen from the shop.
- 2. By six o'clock the work had been finished.
- 3. At twelve o'clock the trucks were being loaded.
- 4. By three o'clock the trucks had been loaded.
- 5. Our daughter is sent to rest in the south every year.
- 6. This film will be shown on TV.
- 7. A new concert hall is being built in our street.
- 8. Potatoes were bought yesterday.
- 9. The books will be brought tomorrow.
- 10. The clock is being repaired now.

### Exercise 2

Transform the following sentences into Passive

- 1. Milk is sold in this shop.
- 2. The whole text has been translated..
- 3. The window was broken last week.
- 4. When I came home, the sweets had been eaten.
- 5. The work will be done in the evening.
- 6. This book was written in the 19th century.

- 7. Tennis was being played from four till five.
- 8. The number of important experiments have been made in this laboratory.
- 9. Central Africa was explored by Livingstone in the 19th century.
- 10. By the middle of fall all the trees had been planted

### Exercise 3

Put the words in the correct order

- 1. Have all these books been read?
- 2. Whom were these letters written by?
- 3. The letter has just been typed.
- 4. Sue showed me the picture which had been painted by her husband.
- 5. I will not be allowed to go there.
- 6. He has been told everything, so he knows what to do now.
- 7. All the questions must be answered.
- 8. The door has been left open.

Exercise 4

Fill in the gaps.

- 1. were made.
- 2. had been received.
- 3. have just been introduced.
- 4. will be taken, will be brought.
- 5. will be asked.
- 6. was much spoken.
- 7. was expected.
- 8. would be opened.
- 9. is (being) sold.
- 10. were looked, was found.

#### Exercise 5

Choose the correct answer

- 1. Yesterday we ... to the party by our friends.
  - are invited
  - were invited
  - C invite

- 2. Our house ... now.
  - is being repaired
  - is been repaired
  - has being repaired
- 3. The message ... by e-mail tomorrow by 10 oclock.
  - will be sent
  - will have been sent
  - will be sended

## 4. Nick ... to be a very interesting person.

- has been known
- is known
- is been known
- 5. Our school conferences ... once a year.
  - C were held
  - are being held
  - are held

### 6. Your results ... and found correct.

- have been studied
- has being stidied
- were studied

## 7. This book ... by October 15.

- would been published
- will have been published
- will been published
- 8. He ... in a small Ukrainian village not far from the sea.
  - was born
  - am born
  - has been born
- 9. All the participants of the conference ... about the time-table.
  - should have been told
  - should be told
  - should been told
- 10. All tasty things ... at once. There is nothing on the plates.
  - have been eaten
  - has being eaten
  - C were eaten

# 11. My suitcase ... when my friends came to see me off.

- was already being packed
- had already been packed
- was packed

# 12. The text ... translated.

- was already
- is already
- has already been