PASSIVE VOICE

The passive is formed with the appropriate tense of the verb to be + past participle



They grow rice in China.

Rice in China.



They grow rice in China.

Rice is grown in China.



We water the flowers every morning.



We water the flowers every morning.

The flowers are watered every morning.



They don't use this road in winter.

This road in winter.



They don't use this road in winter.

This road isn't used in winter.



They built these houses in 1989.

These housesin 1989.



They built these houses in 1989.

These houses were built in 1989.



He didn't tell me the whole truth.

I
the whole truth.



He didn't tell me the whole truth.

I wasn't told the whole truth.



Who made the cake?

Who the cake by?



Who made the cake?

Who was the cake made by?



We are redecorating my house now.

My house now.



They are redecorating my house now.

My house is being redecorated now.



They are redecorating my house now.

My house is being redecorated now.



They are building a new school in my town.

A new school in my town.



They are building a new school in my town.

A new school is being built in my town.



They are painting our rooms at the moment.

Our roomsat the moment.



They are painting our rooms at the moment.

Our rooms are being painted at the moment.



They were counting the votes when I came.



They were counting the votes when I came.

The votes were being counted when I came.



They were painting the wall when we arrived.

The wallwhen we arrived.



They were painting the wall when we arrived.

The wall was being painted when we arrived.



Someone has stolen my wallet!

My wallet



Someone has stolen my wallet!

My wallet has been stolen!



The police haven't arrested the criminal yet.

The criminal yet.



The police haven't arrested the criminal yet.

The criminal hasn't been arrested yet.



Has Amanda sent those letters yet?

those letters
by Amanda yet?



Has Amanda sent those letters yet?

Have those letters been sent by Amanda yet?



PAST PERFECT

She had eaten the cake by the time we arrived.



PAST PERFECT

She had eaten the cake by the time we arrived.

The cake had been eaten by the time we arrived.



They will arrest the thief soon.

The thief soon.



They will arrest the thief soon.

The thief will be arrested soon.



They won't deliver your parcel next week.

Your parcelnext week.



They won't deliver your parcel next week.

Your parcel won't be delivered next week.



FUTURE PERFECT

We will have done everything by Monday.

Everything by Monday.



FUTURE PERFECT

We will have done everything by Monday.

Everything will have been done by Monday.



Someone should invite her to the party.

She to the party.



Someone should invite her to the party.

She should be invited to the party.



We must protect the environment.

The environment



We must protect the environment.

The environment must be protected.



BE GOING TO

They are going to publish Tina's novel.

Tina's novel



BE GOING TO

They are going to publish Tina's novel.

Tina's novel is going to be published.



They say that Alice plays the piano very well.



They say that Alice plays the piano very well.

Alice is said to play the piano very well.



They say that Alice plays the piano very well.

It Alice plays the piano very well.



They say that Alice plays the piano very well.

It is said that Alice plays the piano very well.



People think that Sue is very rich.

Suevery rich.



People think that Sue is very rich.

Sue is thought to be very rich.



People think that Sue is very rich.



People think that Sue is very rich.

It is thought that Sue is very rich.



REVISION



Steven Spielberg directed this film.



This film was directed by Steven Spielberg.



They are pulling down that old building.



That old building is being pulled down.



People in Asia eat a lot of rice.



Alot of rice is eaten in Asia.



Someone will buy this painting tomorrow.



This painting will be bought tomorrow.



They may cancel the match.



The match may be cancelled.



They will have built this house by the end of the year.



This house will have been built by the end of the year.



The postman isn't going to deliver the parcel tomorrow.



The parcel isn't going to be delivered tomorrow.



People say that he speaks five languages.



He is said to speak five languages. / It is said that he speaks five languages.



They have sent for the doctor.



The doctor has been sent for.



My brother didn't break the window.



The window wasn't broken by my brother.



Zapraszamy do sklepu – znajdziecie tam naszą nowość – <u>grę karcianą z Passive Voice</u> – świetną dla uczniów szkół średnich i nie tylko :)



