Voice

**Definition**

### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for Present Simple Tense**

Here in this table, we are elaborating Rules of Active and Passive Voice with examples for Present Simple.

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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb – is/am/are)** |
| Subject + V1+s/es+ object | Object+ is/am/are+ V3+ by + subject |
| Subject + Do/does+ not + V1 + Object | Object + is/am/are+ not + V3+ by Subject |
| Does+ Subject+ V1+Object+? | Is/am/are + Object+ V3+ by subject +? |

**Active and Passive Voice Example with Answers of Present Simple Tense**

**Active:**He reads a novel.

**Passive:**A novel is read.

**Active:** He does not cook food.

**Passive:** Food is not cooked by him.

**Active:** Does he purchase books?

**Passive:** Are books purchased by him?

**Active:** They grow plants.

**Passive:** Plants are grown by them.

**Active:** She teaches me.

**Passive:**I am taught by her.

### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for Present Continuous Tense**

Below we will explain the Rules of Active and Passive Voice with examples for Present Continuous tense.

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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- is/am/are + being)** |
| Subject + is/am/are+ v1+ ing + object | Object+ is/am/are+ being+ V3+ by + subject |
| Subject + is/am/are+ not+ v1+ ing+ object | Object + is/am/are+ not + being+V3+ by Subject |
| Is/am/are+ subject+v1+ing + object+? | Is/am/are + Object+ V3+ by subject +? |

**Active and Passive Voice Exercises of Present Continuous Tense**

**Active:**Esha is singing a song.

**Passive:**A song is being sung by Esha.

**Active:** Kritika is not chopping vegetables.

**Passive:** Vegetables are not being chopped by Kritika.

**Active:** Is Ritika buying a table?

**Passive:** Is a table being bought by Ritika?

**Active:** They are serving poor people.

**Passive:** Poor people are being served by them.

**Active:** She is disturbing Dinesh.

**Passive:**Dinesh is being disturbed by her.

### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for Present Perfect Tense**

You can understand passive voice for present perfect tense from the list which are given below.

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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- has/have +been)** |
| Subject + has/have+ v3+ object | Object+ has/have+ been+ V3+ by + subject |
| Subject + has/have+ not+ v3+ object | Object + has/have+ not + been+V3+ by Subject |
| Has/have+ subject+ v3 + object+? | Has/Have + Object+ been+V3+ by subject +? |

**Active and Passive Voice Example with Answers of Present Perfect Tense**

**Active:**Nitesh has challenged her.

**Passive:**She has been challenged by Nitesh.

**Active:** Radhika has not written an article.

**Passive:** An article has not been written by Radhika.

**Active:** Have they left the apartment?

**Passive:** Has apartment been left by them?

**Active:** She has created this masterpiece.

**Passive:** This masterpiece has been created by her.

**Active:** I have read the newspaper.

**Passive:**The newspaper has been read by me.

### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for Past Simple Tense**

Here in the below table, you can check Active and Passive Voice Rules for past simple tense.

|  |  |
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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- was/were)** |
| Subject + V2+ object | Object+ was/were V3+ by + subject |
| Subject +did+ not+v1+ object | Object + was/were+ not +V3+ by Subject |
| Did+ subject+V1+ object+? | Was/were + Object+ V3+ by subject +? |

**Active and Passive Voice Exercises of Past Simple Tense**

**Active:**Reema cleaned the floor.

**Passive:**The floor was cleaned by Reema.

**Active:** Aisha bought a bicycle.

**Passive:** A bicycle was bought by Aisha.

**Active:** Naman called my friends.

**Passive:** My friends were called by Naman.

**Active:** I saved him.

**Passive:** He was saved by me.

**Active:** Miraya paid the bills.

**Passive:**The bills were paid by Miraya.

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### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for** **Past Continuous Tense**

We can easily convert sentences from Active to Passive Voice according to given rules below.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- was/were + being)** |
| Subject + was/were + v1+ing+ object. | Object+ was/were +being+V3+ by + subject |
| Subject +was/were+ not+v1+ing + object | Object + was/were+ not +being+V3+ by Subject |
| Was/were+ Subject + V1+ing + object+? | Was/were + Object+ being+v3+ by+ subject+? |

**Active and Passive Voice Examples with Answers of Past Continuous Tense**

**Active:**Nitika was painting the wall.

**Passive:**The wall was being painted by Nitika.

**Active:** Manish was repairing the car.

**Passive:** The car was being repaired by Manish.

**Active:** Were you reciting the poem?

**Passive:** Was the poem being recited?

**Active:** She was baking the cake.

**Passive:** The cake was being baked by her.

**Active:** She was watching me.

**Passive:**I was being watched by her.

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### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for** **Past Perfect Tense**

There are certain Active and Passive Voice Rules for Past perfect tense, with these only you can convert any sentence in Passive Voice.

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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- had +been)** |
| Subject + had + v3+ object. | Object+ had+been +V3+ by + subject |
| Subject +had+ not+v3+ object | Object + had+ not +been+V3+ by Subject |
| Had+ Subject + V3+ object+? | Had + Object+ been+v3+ by+ subject+? |

**Active and Passive Voice Exercises of Past Perfect Tense**

**Active:**Misha had cleaned the floor.

**Passive:**The floor had been cleaned by Misha.

**Active:** Vidhi had not received the parcel.

**Passive:** The parcel had not been received by Vidhi.

**Active:** Vishal had solved the doubt.

**Passive:** The doubt had been solved.

**Active:** Had they caught the thief?

**Passive:** Had the thief been caught by them?

**Active:** I had paid fifty thousand.

**Passive:**Fifty thousand had been paid by me.

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### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for** **Future Simple Tense**

You can check Active Voice and Passive Voice Rules chart for future simple tense.

|  |  |
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| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice**  **(Auxiliary Verb- will+ be)** |
| Subject + will+ v1+ object. | Object+ will+ be +V3+ by + subject |
| Subject +will + not+ V1+object | Object + will+ not +be+V3+ by Subject |
| Will+ Subject + V1+ object+? | Will + Object+ be +v3+ by+ subject+? |

We can better understand Rules of Active and Passive Voice with examples for future simple tense.

**Active and Passive Voice Examples with Answers of Future Simple Tense**

**Active:**Kriya will sew the bag.

**Passive:**The bag will be sewed by Kriya.

**Active:** Disha will not arrange the things.

**Passive:** The things will not be arranged by Disha.

**Active:** Will you mop the floor?

**Passive:** Will the floor be mopped by you?

**Active:** They will post the letter.

**Passive:** The letter will be posted.

**Active:** Reena will save money.

**Passive:**Money will be saved by Reena.

### **Active and Passive Voice Rules for** **Future Perfect Tense**

Here, we are sharing the Active Voice and Passive Voice Rules chart for future perfect tense.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Active Voice** | **Passive Voice** |
| Subject + will+ have +v3+ object. | Object+ will+ have+ been +V3+ by + subject |
| Subject + will+ have +not+v3+ object. | Object + will+ have +not+been+v3+ subject |
| Will+ Subject+have+v3+ object+? | Will + object+have+been+v3+by +subject+? |

**Active and Passive Voice Exercises of Future Perfect Tense**

**Active:**They will have brought the toy.

**Passive:**The toy will have been brought by them.

**Active:** Nimesh will not have changed the table cover.

**Passive:** The table cover will not have been changed by Nimesh.

**Active:** Will she have written the notes.

**Passive:** Will the notes have been written by her?

**Active:** They will have won the match.

**Passive:** The match will have been won by them.

**Active:** Vijay will have washed a shirt.

**Passive:**A shirt will have been washed by Vijay.

There is no Passive Voice formation for these tenses-

1.) Present Perfect Continuous Tense

2.) Past Perfect Continuous Tense

3.) Future Perfect Continuous Tense

4.) Future Continuous Tense