**Active and Passive Voice**

Vocabulary:

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To be verbs ka rupharu: be/am/are, was/were, been, being, is

Voice vanna le vorb ko rup ho jas dwara kasle(who/what) kam gareko xa or kam ko asar kaslai pareko xa vanne bujhauxa. Edi subject le kam gareko (performing action) kuralai dekhaunu paryo vane active voice ko use hunxa. Edi subject lai kam ko asar pareko xa vane athava sabject le aru kasaile garek kaam graham gareko xa (receiving action) vane testo abastha ma passive voice ko use garinxa.

Active Voice: The subject is doing/performing the action.

**Example:**

Active Voice: Ram eats rice.

Ram = active subject

Eats =active verb

Sentence =active sentence

Structure: active subject+ active verb+ object

Active voice ma kasle kam garyo vanne important hunxa.

Passive Voice: The subject is receiving the action.

Passive Voice: Rice is eaten by Ram.

Rice=passive subject

Is eaten = passive verb

Sentence=passive sentence

Structure: passive subject+to be verb+v3+by +object

Passive voice ma kasle kam garyo vanne kura important hudaina. Kahile kahi kasle kam gareko ho tesko matlab garidaina. Kahile kahi te kasle garyo vanera dekhaunu pani pardaina.

Example:

Active Voice: Texas College will start the extra classes from tomorrow.

Passive Voice: The extra classes will be started from tomorrow.

Active voice ko use kahili garne?

Answer: Kasle kaam garyo vanera importance dinu paryo vane active voice ko use garne. English ma dherai sentence haru active voice ma hunxan.

Passive ko use kahile garne?

1. When intentionally trying to hide the subject of the sentence.

For example, a politician might say, The mistake was made by someone. (Hiding the subject helps him/her hide the blame.

1. ​When intentionally trying to minimize the guilt of the subject.

For example, a cheating boyfriend might say, Cheating was committed by me.

1. When passive voice better emphasizes the main point of the message, such as Children were harmed by the drunk driver.
2. Kam garne manxe/bastu vanda pani kaam vadi important vayo vane, such as Pashupati Nath temple was built long ago by Prachanda Dev.

**How to change active into passive**

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| **Active** | **Passive** |
| V1 | Am/are+v3 |
| V5 | Is+v3 |
| Is/am/are/was/were/be+v4 | Is/am/are/was/were/be+being+v3 |
| Has/have/had+v3 | Has/have/had+been+v3 |
| Will/would/can/could/shall/should/may/might/need to/must+v1 | Will/would/can/could/shall/should/may/might/need to/must + b3 + v3 |

**Examples:**

Convert the following sentences into passive voice.

1. Active: Sam gives five dollars to Tom. (v5)

Passive: Five dollars is given to Tom by Sam. (is+V3)

1. Active: Sam is giving five dollars to Tom. (v4)

Passive: Five dollars is being given to Tom by Sam. (being+v3)

1. Active: He has given five dollars to Tom. (v3)

Passive: Five dollars has been given to Tom by him. (been+v3)

1. Active: I have been giving five dollars to Tom. (v4)

Passive: Five dollars have been being given to Tom by me. (being+v3)

1. Active: We gave five dollars to Tom. (v2)

Passive: Five dollars were given to Tom by us. (were +v3)

1. Active: You were giving five dollars to Tom. (v4)

Passive: Five dollars were being given to Tom by you. (being+v3)

1. Active: She had given five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars had been given to Tom by her.

1. Active: They had been giving five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars had been being given to Tom by them.

1. Active: It will give five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars will be given to Tom by it.

1. Active: Sam will be giving five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars will be being given to Tom by Sam.

1. Active: Sam is going to give five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars is going to be given to Tom by Sam.

1. Active: Sam will be giving five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars will be being given to Tom by Sam.

1. Active: Sam is going to be giving five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars is going to be being given to Tom by Sam.

1. Active: Sam will have given five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars will have been given to Tom by Sam.

1. Active: Sam will have been giving five dollars to Tom.

Passive: Five dollars will have been being given to Tom by Sam.

Subjective form by+ Objective form

I by me

We by us

You by you

He by him

She by her

They by them

It by it

Active: Ram ate rice.

Passive: Rice was eaten by Ram.

Active: Ram eats rice and daal.

Passive: Rice and daal are eaten by Ram.

Active: Ram is eating rice.

Passive: Rice is being eaten by Ram. (

Active: Sam eats rice.

Passive: Rice is eaten by Sam.

Active: Ram was eating rice.

Passive: Rice was being eaten by Ram.

Active: Ram has eaten rice.

Passive: Rice has been eaten by Ram.

Active: Ram had eaten rice.

Passive: Rice had been eaten by Ram.

Active: Ram will eat rice.

Passive: Rice will be eaten by Ram.

Active: Sam is teaching me.

Passive: I am being taught by Sam.

Active: Pranchanda Dev built Pashupatinath temple longo ago.

Passive: Pashupatinath temple was built long ago by Pranchanda Dev.

Passive: Pashupatinath temple was built long ago.

Active: PM Oli rebuilt the Bhimsen Tower recently.

Passive: The Bhimsen Tower was rebuilt recently.

Active: Chandra Smaser built Trichandra College in 1918.

Passive: Trichandra College was built in 1918.

Note: Jun sentence ma object xaina (intransitive verb), teslai passive banauna mildaina.

Active: Sam goes home. Yo sentence lai passive banauna mildaina.

Passive: None

Active: Sam will come to Nepal in the summer.

Passive: None

Active: Tom is sleeping now.

Passive: none

Active: Tom just got up.

Passive: None

Active: Tom will have been sitting on a chair next Sunday.

Passive: None

Active: I will walk outside.

Passive: none

Active: I will buy some vegetables.

Passive: Some vegetables will be bought by me.

Active Voice:

To be verb=v4

Has/have/had+v3

Incorrect: ~~I am go home.~~

Correct: I am going home.

Incorrect: ~~I am sleep.~~

Correct: I am sleeping.

Incorrect:~~He is ate.~~

Correct: He is eating, He ate.

Incorrect:~~Matrika gone to college.~~

Correct: Matrika has gone to college.

Passive Voice: to be +v3

~~Rice will eaten.~~

=Rice will be eaten.

~~Sam is help by Ram.~~

= Sam is helped by Ram.

She cooks rice and vegetables every day. (subject=she, verb=cooks, object=rice and vegetables)

Rice and vegetables are cooked every day by her. (

She is cooking rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables are being cooked everyday by her.

She has cooked rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables have been cooked everyday by her.

She has been cooking rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables have been being cooked every day by her.

She cooked rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables were cooked everyday by her.

She was cooking rice and vegetables everyday.

Rice and vegetables were being cooked everyday by her.

She had cooked rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables had been cooked everyday by her.

She had been cooking rice and vegetables everyday.

Rice and vegetables had been being cooked every day by her.

She will cook rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables will be cooked everyday by her.

She is going to cook rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables are going to be cooked everyday by her.

She will be cooking rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables will be being cooked everyday by her.

She will have cooked rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables will have been cooked everyday by her.

She will have been cooking rice and vegetables every day.

Rice and vegetables will have been being cooked everyday by her.

Recourses

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