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Present Passive

Exercise I. Choose the correct word.

1. Some bags _____ made of paper
2. Paper _____ made from trees.
3. This park _____visited by many people.
4. Many animals _____ killed every year.
5. This music _____ played by teenagers.

Exercise II. Drag and drop the words in the box to complete the sentences

is spoken	is cleaned	is spent	is paid	are grown
are written	are taken	are used	is played	are bought

1. My office _____every morning.
2. Electricity _____ every two months.
3. Many cars_____ to that garage.
4. Loud music _____ at the gym.
5. English _____ in many countries.
6. Interesting articles _____ in this magazine.
7. A lot of money _____ on charity every year
8. 3 bottles of milk _____ every day.
9. Vegetables _____ in my house.
10. Past participle verbs _____ in the present passive.

Exercise III. Complete the sentences with *IS or ARE and the correct form of the verb* **in parentheses.**

1. That song _____ (sing) by children.
2. Those pictures _____ (sell) at the museum.
3. This application _____ (use) to make mind maps.
4. Most movies _____ (produced) in Hollywood.
5. Nowadays lots of items _____ (buy) online.
6. Books _____ (read) very little.
7. Her clothes _____ (import) from Paris
8. Glass _____ (make) from sand.
9. The company _____ (run) by Mr. Thompson.
10. Spanish _____ (speak) in Mexico.

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Exercise IV. Rewrite these sentences. Follow the example.

Example: People recycle bottles to help the environment.
Bottles are recycled to help the environment.

1. First, People put used bottles in the recycling bin.

   First, used bottles _____

2. Next, we collect used bottles and take them to the factory which will recycle the bottles.

   Next, used bottles _____

3. They heat and melt the bottles.

   The bottles _____

4. Then they form new bottles.

   New bottles _____

5. After cooling, we distribute the recycled bottles to companies.

   After cooling, the recycled bottles_____

Exercise V. Write the sentences into the present simple passive.

The Process of Making Paper

Example: First, they cut trees.
First, trees are cut. ____

1. Machines slice off the bark.

   _____

2. They load the logs onto trucks and take them to mills.

   _____

3. Big wood chippers chop the logs into small bits.

   _____

4. They boil the chips into a soup that looks like toothpaste.

   _____

5. Finally, they smash flat, dry and cut up the soup into sheets of paper.

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