

Test on the passive voice

Task 1. Use the present or past simple passive!

1. Grapes _____ (grow) in southern countries.
2. Smoking _____ (not, allow) in public places.
3. A new shopping mall _____ (open) a couple of weeks ago.
4. The first car _____ (build) by Karl Benz in 1886.
5. Football _____ (know) all over the world.
6. The walls of this room _____ (paint) last year.
7. Kendra _____ (invite) to the ball last week.
8. Lots of exercises _____ (write) during the school years.
9. Many buildings _____ (destroy) by the earthquake in Turkey.
10. Harry Potter films _____ (not, direct) by Steven Spielberg.

Task 2. Turn the sentences from active to passive form. Always add **by** + the agent at the end of the sentence.

1. The policeman stopped the car.

2. The secretary has sent the emails.

3. J. K. Rowling wrote the Harry Potter books.

4. The Smiths will meet him at the airport.

5. Students must return the books to the library.
