

Passive voice – 1A

a) Revise some class notes about the passive voice here:

http://www.ies-modesto-navarro.es/european_section/2_activities/exercises/english4/passive_classnotes_1.htm

b) Write this sentence in the passive voice:

1. On 14th December 2020 they injected the first vaccine against COVID19 in the USA.

c) Check your answer before you do the next one:

2. They chose an intensive care unit nurse in New York to receive the first vaccine.

Check your answer:

3. The virus had killed nearly 300,000 people in the US.

Check your answer:

4. They must keep these vaccines at minus 94 Fahrenheit during transport.

Check your answer:

5. We will not vaccinate many people until well into 2021.

Check your answer:

d) Write the rest of the sentences in the passive voice:

6. The authorities are prioritising hospital workers and nursing home staff and residents.

7. They have found a new variant of coronavirus in the south of England.

8. They have notified the World Health Organisation.

9. We have identified cases in nearly 60 different local authority areas.

10. We cannot consider this new variant more dangerous.

News adapted from:

<https://www.nbcnews.com/news/world/covid-d-day-arrives-vaccine-set-arrive-all-50-states-n1251074>

<https://www.bbc.com/news/health-55308211>