

Passive Voice Practice:

Change the following sentences into passive causative structures:

e.g. A person cleaned my house last week.

I got my house cleaned last week. Or I had my house cleaned last week.

1. The teacher will check the student's essays.
2. Someone feeds my dog every weekend.
3. The handyman has repaired my bathroom's pipes.

Impersonal Passive and Personal Passive:

Change the following sentences to the impersonal and personal passive form:

e.g. It is said that the President will change this country.

The President is said to change this country.

1. Someone reports that the defense minister is going to resign.

(I)

2. People believe the company stole over a million pounds.

(P)

3. People knew that the prisoners had escaped.

(I)

4. People expect that a new law will be introduced next year.

(P)

5. People are thinking that Mr. Brown owns a lot of land in the north.

(I)

(P)