

PASSIVE VOICE (PR.CONTINUOUS/PR. PERFECT)



22.1 What's happening?



- 1 The car is being repaired. 3 The windows
2 A bridge 4 The grass

22.2 Look at the pictures. What is happening or what has happened? Use the present continuous (is/are being ...) or the present perfect (has/have been ...).



- 1 (the office / clean) The office is being cleaned.
2 (the shirts / iron) The shirts have been ironed.
3 (the window / break) The window
4 (the roof / repair) The roof
5 (the car / damage)
6 (the houses / knock / down)
7 (the trees / cut / down)
8 (they / invite / to a party)

22.3 Complete the sentences. (Study Unit 21 before you do this exercise.)

- 1 I can't use my office at the moment. It is being painted (paint).
2 We didn't go to the party. We weren't invited (not/invite).
3 The washing machine was broken, but it's OK now. It (repair).
4 The washing machine (repair) yesterday afternoon.
5 A factory is a place where things (make).
6 How old are these houses? When (they/build)?
7 A: (the computer / use) at the moment?
B: Yes, Steve is using it.
8 I've never seen these flowers before. What (they/call)?
9 My sunglasses (steal) at the beach yesterday.
10 The bridge is closed at the moment. It (damage) last week and it (not/repair) yet.