

# 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.  
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2. The secretary has sent the emails.  
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3. J. K. Rowling wrote the Harry Potter books.  
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4. The Smiths will meet him at the airport.  
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5. Students must return the books to the library.  
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