

# PASSIVE VOICE



## 1. Turn the following sentences into the Passive Voice.

- a) He taught her how to write.
- b) They have cancelled the meeting.
- c) The manager is interviewing him at the moment.
- d) You should keep the flowers in a warm place.
- e) They make this computer in the USA.
- f) When will you tell him the news?
- g) Are they going to fire him?
- h) Has he invited them, too?
- i) When will you send the letters?



## 2. Rewrite the following sentences in two ways as the example.

e.g. Tom offered me a flower.

I was offered a flower by Tom.

A flower was offered to me by Tom.

- a) Mum gave me a watch for my birthday.

A watch \_\_\_\_\_

I \_\_\_\_\_

- b) The company has awarded him the first prize.

The first prize \_\_\_\_\_

He \_\_\_\_\_

- c) They are giving her some flowers.

Some flowers \_\_\_\_\_

She \_\_\_\_\_



## 3. Finish the following sentences.

- a) It is believed that a happy family is what everybody wants.

A happy family \_\_\_\_\_

- b) It is known that her father is a successful lawyer.

Her father \_\_\_\_\_

- c) It is expected that this law will change sooner or later.

This law \_\_\_\_\_

- d) It is said that Susan divorced her husband.

Susan \_\_\_\_\_

- e) It is believed that money brings happiness.

Money \_\_\_\_\_

- f) It is reported that the notorious criminal was arrested by the local police.

The notorious criminal \_\_\_\_\_