

UNIT 4 – GRAMMAR REVISION (THE PASSIVE, MAKING REQUESTS)

PRESENT PASSIVE

- 1) Easter _____ (celebrate) in March or April.
- 2) Alcohol _____ (not sell) in this shop.
- 3) Oil _____ (carry) by huge tankers.
- 4) The offices _____ (not clean) every morning.
- 5) Many articles _____ (write) about global warming.
- 6) Many precious metals _____ (find) in Australia.

PAST PASSIVE

- 1) The first Harry Potter book _____ (publish) in 1997.
- 2) In 2007, the coast of Mexico _____ (hit) by a hurricane.
- 3) Many buildings in Zagreb _____ (destroy) by an earthquake.
- 4) The printing press _____ (not invent) in the 17th century.
- 5) The 2000 Olympic Games _____ (not hold) in Europe.
- 6) Titanic _____ (direct) by James Cameron.

FUTURE SIMPLE PASSIVE

- 1) A new marina _____ (build) here next year.
- 2) The birds _____ (release) into the wild after they recover.
- 3) The old skyscraper _____ (tear) down next week.
- 4) In the nature reserve the bears _____ (teach) how to survive.
- 5) The space shuttle _____ (launch) next Saturday.
- 6) Flying cars _____ (not invent) any time soon.

PRESENT PERFECT PASSIVE

- 1) Many shops _____ (close) due to the Corona virus pandemic.
- 2) A few bears _____ (save) by the hunters.
- 3) The polluted beach _____ (clean) by the volunteers.
- 4) The forest _____ (cut) down.
- 5) We _____ (not tell) the news yet.
- 6) Your homework _____ (not correct) yet.

REWRITE THE SENTENCES IN THE PASSIVE. KEEP THE SAME TENSE.

Example: They play cricket in Australia.

Cricket is played in Australia.

- 1) Recycling aluminium saves energy.

- 2) Computers on standby waste energy.

- 3) Higher sea levels will destroy many cities.

- 4) Deforestation has damaged the global environment.

- 5) Drought has caused forest fires.

- 6) Hurricane Katrina flooded the city of New Orleans.

- 7) The strong winds blew down many buildings.

- 8) They will make a new car park here.

MATCH THE BEGINNINGS AND THE ENDINGS OF THESE REQUESTS.

1) The coffee isn't sweet enough.	Could you start a fire, please?
2) I missed the bus.	Could you wash and peel one for me?
3) I'd like to eat an apple.	Could you give me some sugar?
4) The lunch is almost done.	Could you turn down the volume?
5) Your shoes are dirty.	Would you mind throwing them away?
6) The TV is too loud.	Would you mind giving me a lift?
7) It's getting a bit cold in the house.	Would you mind setting the table?
8) These tomatoes are rotten.	Would you mind taking them off?