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Active/Passive Voice - Worksheet 2

Change each sentence from active to passive voice.

Ex. 1 SIMPLE PRESENT TENSE

Note - To change a sentence from active to passive voice in the simple present tense we use the helping verbs **am / is /are** plus the **past participle** of the main verb .

Eg. Mary **buys** potatoes on Mondays.

Potatoes **are bought** by Mary on Mondays.

1. My puppy always chews my socks.

My socks _____ by my puppy.

2. Mother chooses lovely birthday presents.

Lovely birthday presents _____ by Mother.

3. Father drives a red sports car.

A red sports car _____ by Father.

4. Cows eat grass.

Grass _____ by cows.

5. My cousin paints beautiful portraits.

Beautiful portraits _____ by my cousin.

EX. 2 SIMPLE PAST TENSE

Note - To change a sentence from active to passive voice in the simple past tense we use the helping verbs **was /were** plus the **past participle** of the main verb .

Eg. Mary **bought** potatoes on Monday.

Potatoes **were bought** by Mary on Monday.

6. My puppy always chewed my socks.

My socks _____ by my puppy.

7. Mother chose lovely birthday presents.

Lovely birthday presents _____ by Mother.

8. Father drove a red sports car.

A red sports car _____ by Father.

9. Cows ate grass.

Grass _____ by cows.

10. My cousin painted beautiful portraits.

Beautiful portraits _____ by my cousin.

EX. 3 SIMPLE FUTURE TENSE

Note - To change a sentence from active to passive voice in the simple future tense we use the helping verbs **shall/will** plus the **past participle** of the main verb.

Eg. Mary **will buy** potatoes on Monday.

Potatoes **will be bought** by Mary on Monday.

11. My puppy will always chew my socks.

My socks _____ by my puppy.

12. Mother will choose lovely birthday presents.

Lovely birthday presents _____ by Mother.

13. Father will drive a red sports car.

A red sports car _____ by Father.

14. Cows will eat grass.

Grass _____ by cows.

15. My cousin will paint beautiful portraits.

Beautiful portraits _____ by my cousin.