PASSIVE VOICE

(A) PUT INTO PASSIVE VOICE – MIND THE TENSES!!!

(1) Somebody has broken two of mum's dinner plates.

(2) Did they fight a big battle here 200 years ago?

(3) They are cutting down the large tree in front of our school.

(4) Unfortunately she didn't find her diary last Sunday.

(5) People speak English all over the world.

(6) You can choose the book you want to read.

(7) Sarah is helping me at the moment.

(8) My dad always doesn't catch a lot of fish whenever he goes fishing.

(9) Have they built the house out of stone and concrete?

(10) Grandma always brings us presents.

(B) FILL IN THE CORRECT TENSE – ACTIVE or PASSIVE VOICE

(1) We ..... (start) to renovate our house last month. Much ..... (do) so far. All the windows ..... (already / change), the roof ..... (also / repair). At the moment the fence ..... (repair). Tomorrow we ..... (start) painting the walls of the living room. We cannot do it today as the paint on the floor of the room ..... (not try) yet.

(2) We usually ..... (cook) our meals ourselves, but last week we ..... (have) a party, so we ..... (need)

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some extra help. We ..... (ask) Mrs Btar to help us and she ..... (agree). When the guests ..... (come) the ..... (be) very surprised as all the tables ..... (lay) perfectly and the food ..... (be) delicious.

(3) Yesterday afternoon while my mother ..... (work) in the garden, my father ..... (come) and ..... (tell) her that our aunt ..... (get) into a serious accident.

(4) He ..... (live) in this house sine he ..... (be) born. I ..... (think) that he really ..... (like) this place.

(5) The results of this research ..... (publish) in 2001. A lot ..... (change) since then.

(6) You always ..... (do) your homework on time but last week you ..... (forget) to do it. It was a surprise for me. But even the greater surprise is that you ..... (not / bring) it yet!

(7) Many useful things ..... (do) at school every do. New words ..... (learn) and exercises ..... (hand) in. The only problem is that not all of the students ..... (pay) attention to what ..... (say). They sometimes ..... (chat) and ..... (not listen) to their teachers.

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