

**Are the sentences written in Active or Passive? (Write an X)**

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| <b>1) Peter likes playing basketball.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive    | <b>6) They often read e-mails.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive         |
| <b>2) Bingo is played in Britain.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive        | <b>7) Fiat cars are produced in Italy.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive |
| <b>3) He lost his keys yesterday.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive        | <b>8) French is spoken in Canada.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive      |
| <b>4) A letter was written.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive              | <b>9) Lots of houses were destroyed.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive   |
| <b>5) They are listening to their music.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive | <b>10) The bus driver was hurt.</b><br>___ Active ___ Passive        |

**Write sentences in Passive forms from the given phrases. Mind the tenses in brackets.**

- 1) English - speak (Simple Present) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) films - watch (Simple Present) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) posters - make (Simple Present) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) stories - tell (Simple Present) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) computer games - buy (Simple Present) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) books - write (Simple Past) \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) volleyball - play (Simple Past) \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) songs - sing (Simple Past) \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) skateboards - ride (Simple Past) \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) a prize - win (Simple Past) \_\_\_\_\_

**Change the Active sentences into Passive.**

- 1) They understand Spanish.  
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- 2) My father bought a new car.  
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- 3) Joanne cleaned the bathroom.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4) The teacher turns off the computer.  
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- 6) Our dog did not bite the cat.  
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- 7) The mechanic repairs cars.  
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- 8) The electricians test the fire alarm.  
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- 9) Levi Strauss invented the blue jeans.  
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- 10) Frank takes photos.  
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**Change the Passive sentences into Active.**

1) The telephone was invented by Alexander Graham Bell.

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2) This book was written by an Irishman.

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3) The president was elected by the people.

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4) The bag was packed by his mother.

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5) The child was hit by a car.

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6) The exercise is completed by the teacher.

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7) Google was founded by Larry and Sergey.

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8) Football is played by the children.

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9) The computer is used by Laura.

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10) Coffee is sold by Marie.

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