

2 Bachillerato extra practice Passive and Causatives

Exercise 1 – Fill in the Gaps (Passive Voice – Mixed Tenses)

Complete the sentences with the correct passive form of the verb in brackets.

1. The new sports centre _____ next month. (open)
2. A solution to the problem _____ already _____ (find).
3. The documents _____ yet. (not / deliver)
4. The stolen painting _____ in a warehouse yesterday. (discover)
5. Your order _____ at the moment, so please be patient. (process)
6. By the time we got home, dinner _____ already _____ (prepare).
7. English _____ in many countries around the world. (speak)
8. A new law _____ by the government last week. (introduce)
9. The city's old buildings _____ over the next few years. (restore)

Exercise 2 – Multiple Choice (Passive vs Active)

Choose the correct option (A, B, or C).

1. The meeting _____ due to technical problems.
A. was organized
B. organized
C. organize
2. The results _____ at the end of the week.
A. were published
B. published
C. publish
3. By 2030, many traditional jobs _____ by AI technologies.
A. will be replaced
B. replace
C. replaced
4. The suspects _____ by the police as we speak.
A. are being questioned
B. question
C. questioned
5. This novel _____ into over 20 languages.
A. was translated
B. translate
C. translating
6. Unfortunately, the flight _____ because of the fog.
A. was delayed
B. delay
C. delaying
7. The instructions _____ clearly on the package.
A. were written
B. write
C. writing
8. A new stadium _____ in our city right now.
A. is being built
B. build
C. building
9. The guests _____ to their rooms by hotel staff.
A. were shown
B. show
C. showing

Exercise 3 – Causative Have: Rewrite the Sentences

Rewrite the sentences using **have + object + past participle**. Use this colour coding if you find it useful, where **have** is the verb in the needed tense, **object** is in green and needs no changing, and **past participle** is that verb in participle form. Remember, the order of the elements is important too.

1. A mechanic **repaired** **my car** last Friday.

2. Someone will **clean** **our classrooms** before the exam.

3. A tailor is **shortening** **my trousers**.

4. A professional photographer **took** **our graduation photos**.

5. A technician will **update** **my laptop** tomorrow.

6. A cleaner **washes** **the windows** every Saturday.

7. A vet **checked** **our dog** last week.

8. A designer is **decorating** **their living room**.

9. A specialist **repaired** **her phone screen** yesterday.

10. A gardener will **trim** **the hedges** next weekend.

Exercise 4 – Mixed Bag (Passive + Causative Have)

Complete the sentences using a passive form **or** a causative *have* form.

1. I usually _____ **(my teeth / check)** every six months.
2. The old bridge _____ **(rebuild)** at the moment.
3. We need to _____ **(this report / finish)** before Monday.
4. She _____ **(her hair / dye)** for the party last weekend.
5. The new uniforms _____ **(deliver)** tomorrow morning.
6. I'm going to _____ **(the car / service)** before our road trip.
7. All the guests _____ **(invite)** weeks in advance.
8. We _____ currently **(our kitchen floor/repair)**.
9. He _____ just **(the locks / replace)**.

Exercise 5 – Error Correction (Passive & Causative Have)

Each sentence contains one error. Correct it.

1. The match was cancel because of heavy rain. _____
2. I had my phone to repair yesterday. _____
3. The castle is building since 2018. _____
4. Our passports have been stole. _____
5. We will have our house painting next month. _____
6. The winners were announce on social media. _____
7. She is having her nails painting right now. _____
8. The documents were send to the wrong address. _____
9. The show will be broadcasting live. _____
10. I got my bicycle fix by a professional. _____