

ACTIVE AND PASSIVE VOICE

(present and past)

Instructions: write **ACTIVE** or **PASSIVE** on the squares on the side of each sentence.

ACTIVE PRESENT SIMPLE

subject + verb in present + object

ACTIVE PAST SIMPLE

subject + verb in past + object

PASSIVE PRESENT SIMPLE

object + am/is/are + verb in
past participle + subject

PASSIVE PAST SIMPLE

object + was/were + verb in
past participle + subject

1. The weather is sunny and hot.
2. The entire house was painted by Tom.
3. At dinner, six shrimp were eaten by Harry.
4. Sue changed the flat tire.
5. The novel was read by my mom yesterday.
6. The staff is required to watch a safety video every year.

7. Alex posted the video on Facebook.

8. The house was remodeled by the homeowners.

9. Sugar cane is raised by some people in Hawaii.

10. The baby was carried by the kangaroo in her pouch.

11. Thousands of tourists view the Grand Canyon every year.

12. No one responded to my sales add.

