

# Worksheet: The Passive Voice

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### Instructions:

Rewrite the following sentences in the passive voice. Remember to change the sentence so the object of the action becomes the subject.

## How to make a passive sentence:

- Active: Subject + Verb + Object (e.g., The cat caught the mouse.)
- Passive: Object + be verb (is, are, was, were) + Past Participle (e.g., The mouse was caught by the cat.)

### **Practice Questions:**

- 1. My mom bakes a cake every week.
- 2. The dog chased the ball.
- 3. A famous author wrote that book.
- 4. The company will build a new factory.
- 5. The students are cleaning the classroom.
- 6. People speak English all over the world.
- 7. The police found the stolen car.
- 8. My sister drew this beautiful picture.
- 9. The doctor is helping the patient.
- 10. The teacher gave the students homework.
- 11. They are building a new road.
- 12. The wind blew the leaves away.
- 13. The chef prepared a delicious meal.
- 14. A mechanic repaired my car.
- 15. The children are painting a mural.
- 16. The government will open a new hospital.
- 17. The mail carrier delivers the mail every day.
- 18. My parents bought this house last year.
- 19. A lot of people use the internet.
- 20. The storm destroyed the old bridge.

	21. The fire department is extinguishing the fire.
	22. The students will perform a play.
	23. The company sells these products in many countries.
	24. The jury made a final decision.
	25. My brother opened the window.
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## **Answer Key**

- 1. A cake is baked by my mom every week.
- 2. The ball was chased by the dog.
- 3. That book was written by a famous author.
- 4. A new factory will be built by the company.
- 5. The classroom is being cleaned by the students.
- 6. English is spoken all over the world.
- 7. The stolen car was found by the police.
- 8. This beautiful picture was drawn by my sister.
- 9. The patient is being helped by the doctor.
- 10. The students were given homework by the teacher.
- 11. A new road is being built by them.
- 12. The leaves were blown away by the wind.
- 13. A delicious meal was prepared by the chef.
- 14. My car was repaired by a mechanic.
- 15. A mural is being painted by the children.
- 16. A new hospital will be opened by the government.
- 17. The mail is delivered by the mail carrier every day.
- 18. This house was bought by my parents last year.
- 19. The internet is used by a lot of people.
- 20. The old bridge was destroyed by the storm.
- 21. The fire is being extinguished by the fire department.
- 22. A play will be performed by the students.
- 23. These products are sold in many countries.
- 24. A final decision was made by the jury.
- 25. The window was opened by my brother.