

## Worksheet: Transforming Active and Passive Sentences

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### Part 1: Active to Passive Voice

Change the following active sentences into passive voice. The object of the sentence should become the subject in the passive voice.

1. The boy ate the apple.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  2. She is writing a letter.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  3. They will build a new library.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  4. The cat chased the mouse.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  5. The teacher praised the student.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  6. The children are playing football.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  7. My mother cleaned the room yesterday.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  8. John solved the math problem.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  9. The chef prepares delicious meals.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
  10. The police caught the thief.  
**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_
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### Part 2: Passive to Active Voice

Change the following passive sentences into active voice. The subject of the passive sentence should become the object in the active voice.

1. The cake was eaten by the children.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
2. The letter was written by Tom.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
3. The homework has been completed by Anna.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_

4. The song was sung by the choir.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  5. The room was cleaned by my sister.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  6. The ball was kicked by David.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  7. The dinner is being cooked by my father.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  8. The plants were watered by the gardener.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  9. The house was painted by the workers.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
  10. The book was read by the whole class.  
**Active:** \_\_\_\_\_
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**Challenge:**

Write your own sentence in **active voice**, and then transform it into **passive voice**.

1. **Active:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Active:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passive:** \_\_\_\_\_

## ANSWERS

### Part 1: Active to Passive Voice

1. The boy ate the apple.  
**Passive:** The apple was eaten by the boy.
  2. She is writing a letter.  
**Passive:** A letter is being written by her.
  3. They will build a new library.  
**Passive:** A new library will be built by them.
  4. The cat chased the mouse.  
**Passive:** The mouse was chased by the cat.
  5. The teacher praised the student.  
**Passive:** The student was praised by the teacher.
  6. The children are playing football.  
**Passive:** Football is being played by the children.
  7. My mother cleaned the room yesterday.  
**Passive:** The room was cleaned by my mother yesterday.
  8. John solved the math problem.  
**Passive:** The math problem was solved by John.
  9. The chef prepares delicious meals.  
**Passive:** Delicious meals are prepared by the chef.
  10. The police caught the thief.  
**Passive:** The thief was caught by the police.
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### Part 2: Passive to Active Voice

1. The cake was eaten by the children.  
**Active:** The children ate the cake.
2. The letter was written by Tom.  
**Active:** Tom wrote the letter.
3. The homework has been completed by Anna.  
**Active:** Anna has completed the homework.
4. The song was sung by the choir.  
**Active:** The choir sang the song.
5. The room was cleaned by my sister.  
**Active:** My sister cleaned the room.
6. The ball was kicked by David.  
**Active:** David kicked the ball.
7. The dinner is being cooked by my father.  
**Active:** My father is cooking the dinner.

8. The plants were watered by the gardener.

**Active:** The gardener watered the plants.

9. The house was painted by the workers.

**Active:** The workers painted the house.

10. The book was read by the whole class.

**Active:** The whole class read the book.

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