

VOICE

Why do we use passive voice?

Active voice:- (Subject=Doer)

Passive voice (Be+v3) :- (Subject =Receiver)

Be verb:-

→Is/Am/Are

→Was/Were

→Been

→Being

^s ^v ^{obj}
Mohan bought a car.

^s ^v ^p ^{PO}
A car was bought by Mohan.

❖ **To lay stress on the receiver**

Active voice:- Mohan stole a car.

Passive voice:- A car was stolen by Mohan .

❖ **If the doer is not known**

➤ His car was stolen yesterday.

➤ Bronze was discovered around 3500 BC.

❖ **If the doer is obvious....**

- The thieves were arrested yesterday.
- English is spoken all over the world.

❖ **If the doer is irrelevant....**

➤ Your application has been rejected.

➤ Your account is verified now.

❖ **Avoid Responsibility**

➤ These Stains can't be removed .

➤ This T.V. can't be repaired.

❖ Legal statements

- Trespassers will be punished.
- Eatables are not allowed inside metro.

	Indefinite	Continuous	Perfect	Perfect cont.
Present	V1 or Do/does+Vb	Is/am/are+ V1+ing	Has/have + V3	Has/have+ been+V1+ing
Past	V2 or Did + Vb	Was/were + V1 + ing	Had + V3	Had + been + V1 + ing
Future	Will/Shall + Vb	Will/shall + be + V1 +ing	Will/shall+ have+V3	Will/shall + have + been+V1+ing

Mohan has completed the task.

— Present Pr

Shalini was singing a song.

— Past Cont

He teaches English at AVSEC.

— Pr Ind

She has been sleeping for the last 2 hours.

— Pr Pr Cont.

He is playing cricket with his father.

— Pr Cont

Past Ind

Mohan solved all the questions very easily.

Past Pr

Past Ind

He had brought the medicines before his mother called him.

Fut Ind

I will help you in the project.

Fut Pr

Pr Ind

He will have finished the assignment by the time you come back.

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Passive	Is /am /are +v3	Is/am/are+ being+v3	Has/have +been+v3	Passive not possible
Active	V2 or Did + V1	Was/were + V1 + ing	Had + V3	Had + been + V1 + ing
Passive	Was/were +v3	Was/were+ being+v3	Had+been+v3	Passive not possible
Active	Will/Shall + V1	Will/shall + be + V1 +ing	Will/shall+ have+V3	Will/shall + have+ been+V1+ing
Passive	Will/Shall + be +v3	Passive not possible	Will/shall+ have+been+v3	Passive not possible

Mohan plays cricket.

Cricket is played by Mohan

Mohan is playing cricket.

Cricket is being played by Mohan

Mohan has played cricket.

Cricket has been played by Mohan

Mohan has been playing cricket.

① Grammar → Passive not possible

Cricket has been being played by Mohan. (exam)

Mohan played cricket.

Cricket was played by Mohan

Mohan was playing cricket.

Cricket was being played by Mohan

Mohan had played cricket before his father came.

Cricket had been played by Mohan before

Mohan had been playing cricket.

Cricket had been being played by Mohan (exam)

Grammar → Passive not possible ✓

Mohan will play cricket.

Cricket will be played by Mohan

Mohan will be playing cricket.

Grammar - passive not possible

Cricket will be being played by Mohan. (Exam)

Mohan will have played cricket before you come.

Cricket will have been played by Mohan before - - -

Mohan will have been playing cricket when she comes

(Exam)

Cricket will have been being played by Mohan when — —

Grammar → passive not possible

Assertive Sentence :-

Rajesh doesn't scold his son.

His son is not scolded by Rajesh

I did not complete the task.

The task was not completed by me

He would have never made this mistake.

This mistake would have ✓ been made by him
never never

You should have never supported them.

They should have never been supported by you

The principal has called you as well as your friend.

your friend.

~~①~~ You have been called by the principal as well as?

② You as well as your friend have been called by the principal

I want a car with alloy wheels.

S ✓ obj (p → p.o) → Adj Ph

A car with alloy wheels is wanted by me

S p → p.o

S V Obj prep PO

Police arrested Ranga besides 5 other criminals.

Ranga besides 5 other criminals was/were arrested.

S prep PO

They killed the ferocious lion with a spear. → Adv Ph of manner

P PO

The ferocious lion was killed by them with a spear

Q → Active - Passive

Reporters_S were_{uv} following_{mv} the boy_{obj} who had won the gold medal._{R.P H.V m.v obj. Adj Cl.}

The boy was being followed by reporters who had won the gold medal. ✗

Reporters were being followed by the boy who had won the gold medal. ✗

The boy who had won the gold medal was following reporters. ✗

The boy who had won the gold medal was being followed by reporters. ✓

The boy by whom the gold medal had been won was being followed by reporters. ✓✓

S V IO Qn Adj DO

He lent me some money.

I was lent some money by him. ✓✓

Some money was lent to me by him ✓

Rajesh told us an interesting story.

We were told an interesting story by Rajesh

An interesting story was told to us by Rajesh.