



What are the Voices of the Verbs?



Grammar

Voices of the Verbs – Part 1

Active X Passive



Active Voice

I clean the room.
(Simple Present)

Passive Voice

The room was cleaned by me.
(Simple Past)

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Active Voice

He **plays** football every day.

Passive Voice

Soccer **is played** by him everyday.
(Simple Past)

Let's Practice



Now look at the pictures and try to frame sentences in active as well as passive voice.



Questions and Answers

Q: how / people / ketchup / create

A: from tomatoes

Active Question:

How **do** people **create** ketchup?

Active Answer:

People **create** ketchup from tomatoes.

Passive Question:

How **is** ketchup **created** (by people)?

Passive Answer:

Ketchup **is created** (by people) from tomatoes.



Questions and Answers

Q: how / chefs / omelets/ make

A: from oil and eggs

Active Question:

How **do** chefs **make** mayonnaise?

Active Answer:

Chefs **make** mayonnaise from oil and eggs.

Passive Question:

How **is** mayonnaise **made** (by chefs)?

Passive Answer:

Mayonnaise **is made** (by chefs) from oil and eggs.



Questions and Answers

Q: why / people / aspirin / take

A: for headaches

Active Question:

Why **do** people **take** aspirin ?

Active Answer:

People **take** aspirin for headaches.

Passive Question:

Why **is** aspirin **taken** (by people)?

Passive Answer:

Aspirin **is taken** (by people) for headaches.



Questions and Answers

Q: where / farmers / grapes / grow

A: in California

Active Question:

Where **do** farmers **grow** grapes?

Active Answer:

Farmers **grow** grapes in California.

Passive Question:

Where **are** grapes **grown** (by farmers)?

Passive Answer:

Grapes **are grown** (by farmers) in California.



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