

## PASSIVE – EXERCISES

### A. COMPLETE THESE SENTENCES BY PUTTING THE VERB IN BRACKETS INTO THE PRESENT PASSIVE.

1. Millions of newspapers \_\_\_\_\_ (sell) every day.
2. BMW cars \_\_\_\_\_ (produce) in Germany.
3. Coffee \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) in most countries.
4. Newspapers \_\_\_\_\_ (load) into vans every morning.
5. Cartoons \_\_\_\_\_ (draw) by Mandy.
6. Newspaper stories \_\_\_\_\_ (write) by reporters.
7. Football \_\_\_\_\_ (play) all over the world.
8. Stories \_\_\_\_\_ (check) by a reader.
9. A murder case \_\_\_\_\_ (solve) by Sweet Sue every week.
10. My room \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) once a week.
11. English \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) all over the world.
12. Paper \_\_\_\_\_ (make) from wood.
13. Presents \_\_\_\_\_ (give) at Christmas.
14. Dinner \_\_\_\_\_ (serve) at 6 p.m. every evening.
15. The cooking \_\_\_\_\_ (do) by my mum.
16. The mail \_\_\_\_\_ (deliver) by a postman.
17. My car \_\_\_\_\_ (repair) by my father.
18. Television \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) every evening.
19. Messages \_\_\_\_\_ (take) to the editor's desk every morning.
20. Newspapers \_\_\_\_\_ (send) to other countries.

### B. CHANGE THESE SENTENCES FROM ACTIVE TO PASSIVE.

1. My mother waters the flowers every day. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Clive Clark wrote good newspaper stories. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Photographers take photographs. \_\_\_\_\_
4. We always do our homework in time. \_\_\_\_\_
5. PJ Prince presents "The Wheels of Fortune." \_\_\_\_\_
6. Kelly cooks the dinner. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Pupils do a lot of important exercises. \_\_\_\_\_

### C. CHANGE FROM PASSIVE INTO ACTIVE.

1. Silly sentences are written by your teacher. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Flowers are looked after by the gardener. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Films are watched by millions of people. \_\_\_\_\_
4. The baby penguin is looked after Millie. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Some gorillas are killed by poachers. \_\_\_\_\_
6. The oceans are polluted by tankers. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Peter Pan is chased by Captain Hook. \_\_\_\_\_