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Dental clinic; active voice



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Dental clinic looks like in this picture.



You enter in dental clinic, tell your name and reason of your visiting to dental assistant.





After your name is called in the waiting room, you'll go into an exam room and sit down in a big, comfortable chair that is like a huge recliner.



Next to the chair may be a little sink with a cup that you can use to rinse out your mouth as your teeth are being cleaned.

*After you sit down, dentist will
come to you.*





The dentist will look at all of your teeth and check your gums to make sure they're strong and healthy.



During the exam, your teeth will be cleaned, flossed, and checked for cavities.

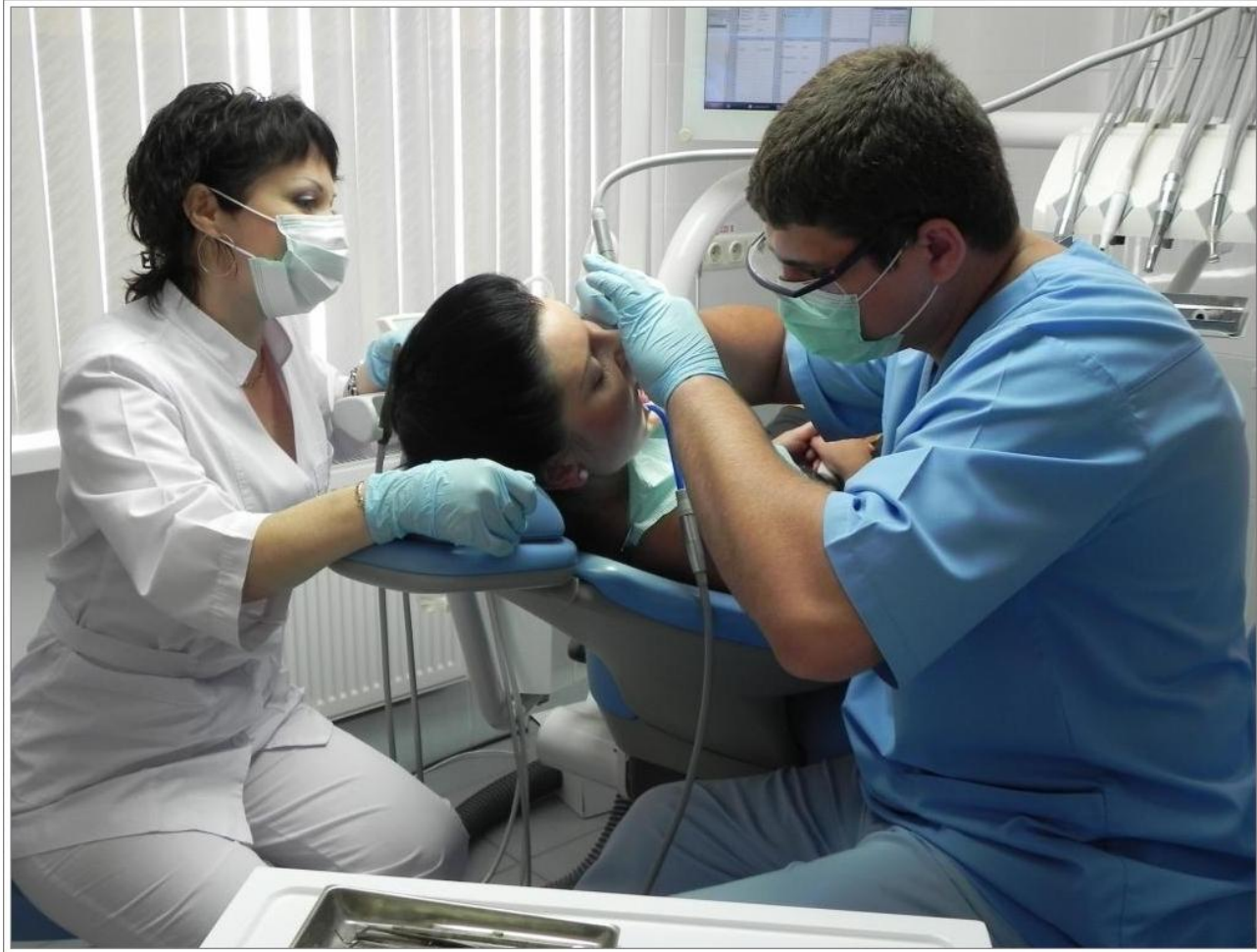


A dentist is a surgeon who specializes in dentistry—the diagnosis, prevention, and treatment of diseases and conditions of the oral cavity.

A DENTIST AND HIS ASSISTANT MAKING A GOLD CROWN FOR A PATIENT.



The dentist's supporting team aids in providing oral health services.





The dental team includes dental assistants, dental hygienists, dental technicians, and in some states, dental therapists.

Active voice.

In most English sentences with an action verb, the subject performs the action denoted by the verb.

These examples show that the subject is doing the verb's action.

The man must have eaten five hamburgers

The **man** (subject) is doing the **eating** (verb).

Marilyn mailed the letter.

Marilyn (subject) is doing the **mailing** (verb).

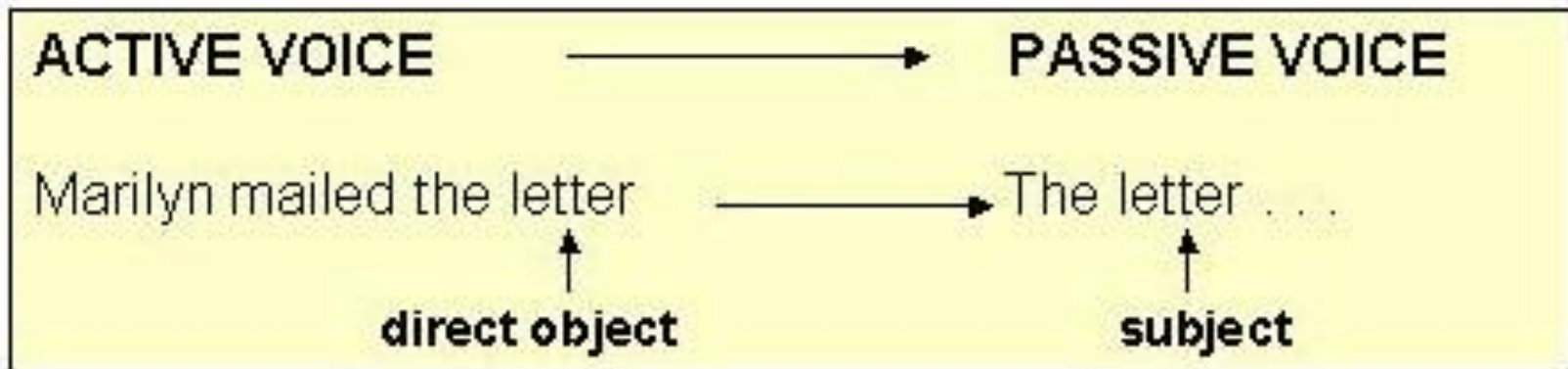
Colorful parrots live in the rainforests.

Parrots (subject) are doing the **living** (verb).

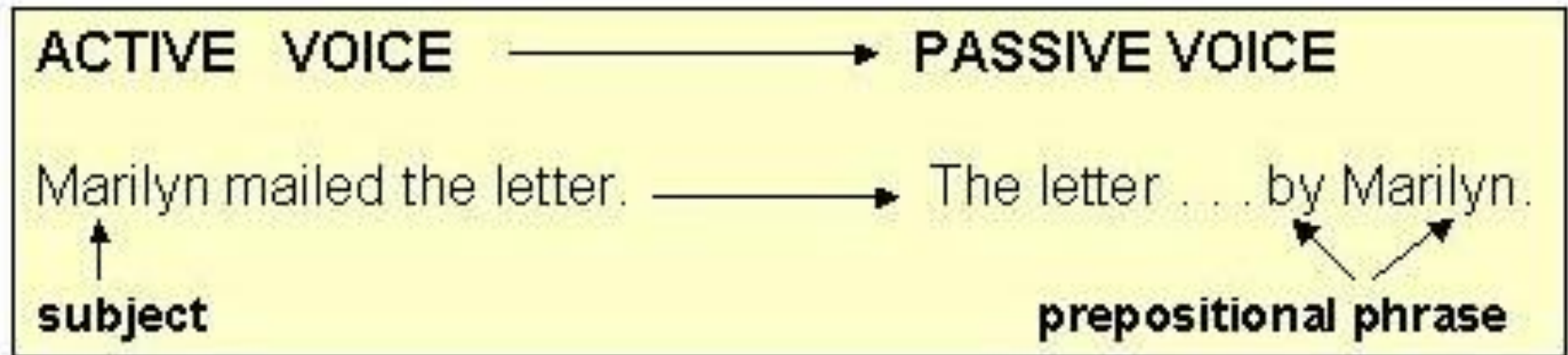
Because the subject does or "acts upon" the verb in such sentences, the sentences are said to be in the active voice.

To change a sentence from active to passive voice, do the following:

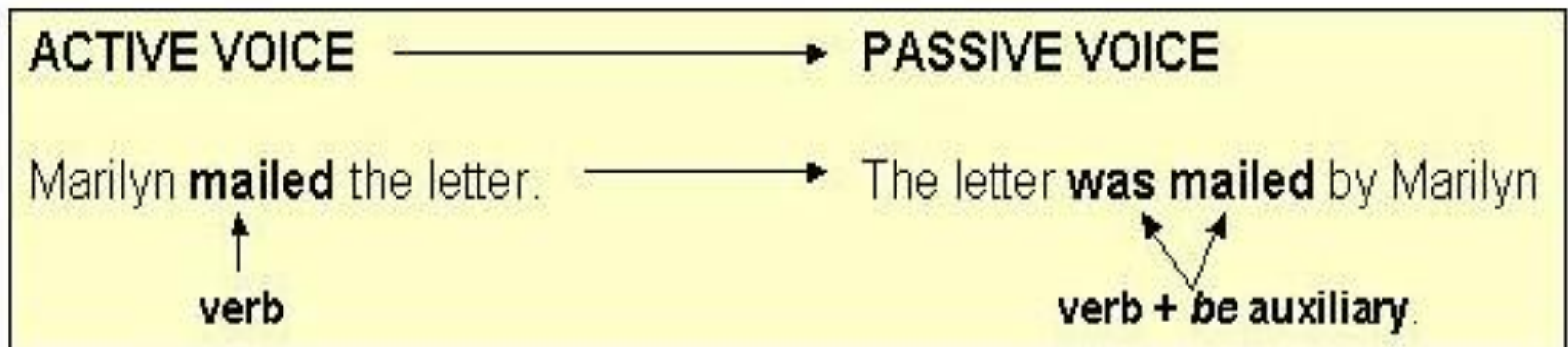
1. Move the active sentence's direct object into the sentence's subject slot



2. Place the active sentence's subject into a phrase beginning with the preposition by



3. Add a form of the auxiliary verb be to the main verb and change the main verb's form



ACTIVE VOICE

Asbestos abatement teams will remove large chunks of asbestos-laden material from the hallways on the second and third floors.

doer of action

action

receiver of action

PASSIVE VOICE

Large chunks of asbestos-laden material will be removed from the hallways on the second and third floors by asbestos abatement teams.

receiver of action

action

doer of action

It is generally preferable to use the ACTIVE voice.