

Active voice

- The subject of a sentence is the person or thing we talk about.
- When the subject does something, we use ACTIVE VOICE

Subject (doer)

Active verb (it can be in diff. tenses)

• E.g.: People sell good luck flowers.

Object (receiver)

Passive voice

- It is used when the subject is not the doer of an action.
- We put the receiver of an action as the subject.
- We put the doer of an action as the object.

Subject (receiver)

Passive verb
(It can be in diff. tenses)

Object (Doer)

• E.g.: Good luck flowers are sold by people.

The form of passive voice -It is formed by: be + past participle

Active	Passive
Collect	Is/are
Perform	Isøblæcted
Decorate	 seafe rmed
Light	de/aceated
Sweep	l ∄ /are
Burn	Swerget
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Practice



People eat moon cakes at Mid-Autumn Festival

Moon cakes are eaten (by people) at Mid-Autumn festival



People sweep graves with brooms at Ching Ming Festival.

Graves are swept with brooms (by people) at Ching Ming Festival.



People light lanterns at Mid-Autumn Festivals.

Lanterns are lit (by people) at Mid-Autumn Festivals



People sweep graves. Graves Are swept

swept

Are swept





People buy some flowers Some flowers <u>Are bought</u>.









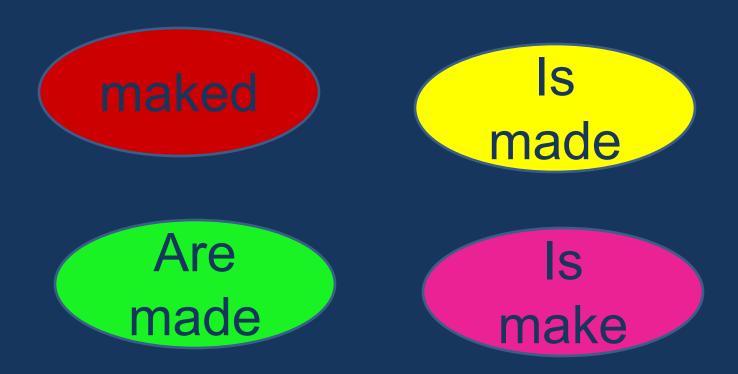
Miss Lee paints a picture.

A picture __Is painted __ by Miss Lee.

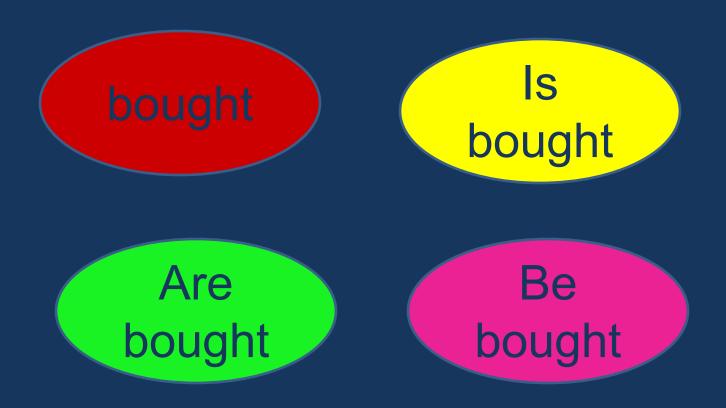


The brother make a cake.

A cake ____ls made ___ by the brother.



John buys some new clothes. Some new clothes Are bought by John



The family clean the house The house <u>Is cleaned by the family.</u>

Is cleaned by the family

Are cleaned by the family

Cleaned by the family

Clean by the family

Mr. Chan places some flowers Some flowers <u>Are placed by Mr. Chan</u>

Placed by Mr. Chan

Is Placed by Mr. Chan

Are placed by Mr. Chan

Are place by Mr. Chan

Sally throws the old things.

The old things <u>Are thrown by Sally</u>.

Are threw by Sally

Is thrown by Sally

Thrown by Sally

Are Thrown by Sally

Peter draws a car A car is drawn by Peter

A car is drew by Peter

A car is drawn by Peter

Peter is drawn by a car

Peter is drew by a car

Mr. and Mrs. Wu bake a cake <u>A cake is baked by Mr. and Mrs. Wu</u>

A cake are baked by Mr. and Mrs. Wu

A cake is baked by Mr. and Mrs. Wu

A cake baked by Mr. and Mrs. Wu

A cake bake by Mr. and Mrs. Wu.