

Active and passive voice exercise

Sentences are given in the active voice. Change them into the passive voice.

1. He teaches English. / English by him.

taught

is taught

was taught

2. The child is eating bananas. / Bananas by the child.

are eaten

are being eaten

have been eaten

3. She is writing a letter. / A letter by her.

is written

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is being written

has been written

4. The master punished the servant. / The servant by the master.

is punished

was punished

has punished

5. He was writing a book. / A book by him.

was written

had written

was being written

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6. Who wrote this letter? / By whom
.....?

was this letter written

was this letter being written

had this letter written

7. Somebody cooks meal every day. / Meal
..... by someone every day.

is cooked

has cooked

is cooking

8. He wore a blue shirt. / A blue shirt
by him.

wore

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was wore

was worn

9. May God bless you with happiness! /
..... with happiness.

May you blessed

May you be blessed

May blessed you be

10. They are building a house. / A house
..... by them.

is built

is being built

was built

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11. I have finished the job. / The job
..... by me.

has finished

has been finished

is finished

12. I sent the report yesterday. / The report
..... yesterday.

is sent

was sent

had sent

Answers

1. English is taught by him.
2. Bananas are being eaten by the child.
3. A letter is being written by her.

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4. The servant was punished by the master.

5. A book was being written by him.

6. By whom was this letter written?

7. Meal is cooked by someone every day.

8. A blue shirt was worn by him.

9. May you be blessed with happiness!

10. A house is being built by them.

11. The job has been finished by me.

12. The report was sent yesterday.