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Class Objective

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What is the passive?

The **passive** is the form of the verb that is used when the subject of the verb is the person or thing that is affected by the action, for example, I was given, we were told, it had been made.



Present Tense	1. Du wir	st 1.	You are b	eing
	beoba	chtet	observed	
	2. Der Wa	agen wird 2.	The car is	being
	abgeso	chleppt.	towed.	
	3. Der Die	ebstahl 3.	The theft	is being
	wird ar	ngezeigt.	reported.	



Past Tense	1. Du wurdest	1. You were seen.	
	gesehen.		
	2. Ein Fehler wurde	2. A mistake was	
	gemacht.	made.	
	3. Das Haus wurde	3. The house wasn't	
	nicht in einem	built in a day.	
	Tag erbaut.		



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Present Perfect Tense	1. Du bist gesehen	1.	You were seen.
	worden.		
		2.	The whole
	2. Das Ganze ist		thing has been
	vergessen worden.		forgotten.
	3. Ihr Mann ist	3.	Her husband
	verhaftet worden.		has been
			arrested.



