

Tuesday 5th May 2020

Active and Passive Verbs

Task 1: Watch the first two videos [here](#) and then complete Activity 1.

Task 2: Label these sentences as either Active or Passive:

1. Mr Cook attended a meeting with Ms Ramsay. **Active**
2. An important meeting was attended by Ms Ramsay and Mr Cook. **Passive**
3. The dishes were washed by Miss Skinner's dad. **Passive**
4. Mr Cook made a video to explain the maths work. **Active**
5. Groceries are bought from the supermarket. **Passive**
6. The music was played through the speakers. **Passive**
7. The fridge keeps the food cool so that it doesn't go off. **Active**
8. Hot tea was poured into the mug. **Passive**
9. The English tasks were prepared by Miss Skinner. **Passive**
10. The Year 6 children completed the work on the website. **Active**

Task 3: Change the following sentences from active to passive:

1. The Year 6 children upload their work to Class Dojo.
The work is uploaded to Class Dojo by Year 6 children.
2. Zoe filmed a video about Climate Change.
A Climate Change video was filmed by Zoe.
3. Mr Cook built a chair for his study.
A chair was built by Mr Cook for his study.
4. Miss Ramsay wore an orange wig for her part of the video.
An orange wig was worn by Miss Ramsay for her part of the video.
5. Mr Webster is helping to look after his 3 daughters at home.
The 3 daughters are being looked after by Mr Webster.

Task 4: Change the following sentences from passive to active:

1. The hot tea was drunk by Miss Skinner.
Miss Skinner drank the hot tea.
2. The Hannah More twitter account was taken over by Miss Davis.
Miss Davis took over the twitter account.
3. A video of the Hannah More song was lip-synced by all the staff.
The Hannah More staff lip-synced a video of the school song.
4. Knives and forks are often used to eat.
To eat, you often use knives and forks.
5. Phones are used to keep in touch with your friends.
You can keep in touch with your friends using phones.

