

Unit 7 Passive Voice 被動式

I. 英文句子的主動句與被動句。

主動句: I **do** my homework every day.

主詞 I 表達動詞 **do** 的動作，此動作反應在受詞 my homework 上。

被動句: My homework **is done** by me every day.

主詞 my homework 接受被動詞 **is done** 的動作，此動作由 by 後面的 me 表達。

時態	主動	被動
現在簡單	The news surprises me. The news surprises us.	I <u>am surprised</u> by the news. We <u>are surprised</u> by the news.
過去簡單	The news surprised me. The news surprised us.	I <u>was surprised</u> by the news. We <u>were surprised</u> by the news.
現在完成	Bob <u>has mailed</u> the letter. Bob <u>has mailed</u> the letters.	The letter <u>has been mailed</u> by Bob. The letters <u>have been mailed</u> by Bob.
過去完成	Bob <u>had mailed</u> the letter when I called him.	The letter <u>had been mailed</u> by Bob when I called him.
未來	Bob <u>will mail</u> the letter. Bob <u>is going to mail</u> the letter.	The letter <u>will be mailed</u> by Bob. The letter <u>is going to be mailed</u> by Bob.

說明：

通常做一個表達，以主動句比較直接易懂，可是有時候我們會必須要用被動句，最主要原因有兩個：

1. 我們無法確切知道執行動作者是甚麼，例如：

那座建築物是 200 年前蓋的。The building was built 200 years ago.

(我們並不知道 200 年前是誰蓋那間建築物的。)

2. 我們要強調某樣東西，例如：

那個手錶是我爸爸給我的。The watch was given by my father.

(我們用被動句來強調手錶。)

習作 1：將下列的主動句改為被動句。

Active (主動)	Passive (被動)
1. The teacher helps me.	<u>I am helped</u> by the teacher.
2. The teacher helps Jane.	<u>Jane is helped</u> by the teacher.
3. The teacher helps us.	<u>We are helped</u> by the teacher.
4. The teacher helped me.	<u>I was helped</u> by the teacher.
5. The teacher helped them.	<u>They were helped</u> by the teacher.
6. The teacher has helped Joe.	<u>Joe has been helped</u> by the teacher.
7. The teacher has helped us.	<u>We have been helped</u> by the teacher.
8. The teacher had helped Mary.	<u>Mary had been helped</u> by the teacher.
9. The teacher will help me.	<u>I will be helped</u> by the teacher.
10. The teacher is going to help me.	<u>I am going to be helped</u> by the teacher.
11. The teacher will help Tim.	<u>Tim will be helped</u> by the teacher.
12. The teacher is going to help Tim.	<u>Tim is going to be helped</u> by the teacher.
13. The teacher can help me.	<u>I can be helped</u> by the teacher.
14. The teacher should help me.	<u>I should be helped</u> by the teacher.
15. The teacher may help me.	<u>I may be helped</u> by the teacher.

習作 2：將動詞以被動方式呈現，注意不要改變時態。

1. Bob mailed the package.

The package was mailed by Bob.

2. Mr. Catt delivers our mail.

Our mail is delivered by Mr. Catt.

3. The children have eaten the cake.

The cake has been eaten by the children.

4. Linda wrote that letter.

That letter was written by Linda.

5. The man is going to fix my watch.

My watch is going to be fixed by the man.

6. Ms. Bond will teach our class.

Our class will be taught by Ms. Bond.

7. That company hires many people.

Many people are hired by that company.

8. That company has hired Sue.

Sue has been hired by that company.

9. The secretary is going to fax the letters.

The letters are going to be faxed by the secretary.

10. A college student bought my old car.

My old car was bought by a college student.

11. Mr. Adams will do the work.

The work will be done by Mr. Adams.

12. Mr. Fox washed the windows.

The windows were washed by Mr. Fox.

13. Ms. Hopkins invited me to dinner.

I was invited by Ms. Hopkins to dinner.

14. My sister will clean the room.

The room will be cleaned by my sister.

15. A worker is going to fix the basin.

The basin is going to be fixed by a worker.

16. A lot of people speak English.

English is spoken by a lot of people.