

We use the Simple Present Passive to talk about general facts and things that happen every day.

SIMPLE PRESENT PASSIVE

Form: am / is / are + past participle (V3)

- Examples:**
- English **is spoken** all over the world.
 - Milk **is used** to make cheese.
 - The books **are sold** in many countries.

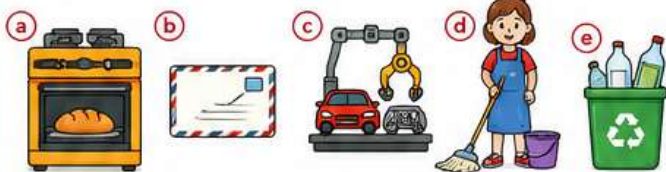
Remember!

- Object becomes the subject.
- We don't know or don't care who does the action.
- Time expressions: every day, usually, often, always, etc.



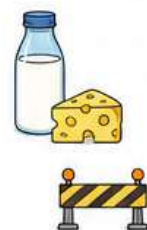
A. Match the sentences with the pictures.

- Bread is baked in the oven. ()
- Cars are made in factories. ()
- Letters are sent by mail. ()
- The room is cleaned every day. ()
- Bottles are recycled. ()



B. Complete the sentences with am, is, or are.

- English _____ spoken in many countries.
- The cake _____ made with flour and sugar.
- My house _____ cleaned every Saturday.
- These shoes _____ made in Italy.
- Water _____ found in nature.
- Many emails _____ sent every day.
- Milk _____ used to make cheese.
- New roads _____ built in our city.
- The exam _____ given in June.
- Trees _____ planted in spring.



C. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form (Simple Present Passive).

- The piano _____ (play) in the concert every year.
- This T-shirt _____ (make) from cotton.
- Many languages _____ (speak) in this country.
- Homework _____ (give) every day.
- The news _____ (read) on TV every evening.
- Our food _____ (not / waste).
- These flowers _____ (water) twice a week.
- The house _____ (paint) every five years.
- Pizza _____ (love) by many people.
- Rules _____ (follow) in this class.



D. Rewrite the sentences in the passive.

- People speak Spanish in many countries.
→ _____
- They make coffee in Brazil.
→ _____
- The teacher explains the lesson.
→ _____
- We clean the classroom every day.
→ _____
- Scientists discover new animals.
→ _____
- My mother cooks dinner.
→ _____



E. Choose the correct answer.

- The pyramids _____ in Egypt.
a) is built b) are built c) are building
- Facebook _____ by many people.
a) use b) is used c) are used
- The house _____ every week.
a) clean b) is cleaned c) are cleaned
- Many books _____ in this library.
a) keep b) is kept c) are kept
- Rice _____ in many countries.
a) grow b) is grown c) are grown
- English _____ as a second language.
a) teach b) is taught c) are taught



F. Circle the mistake and write the sentence correctly.

- The letters are send every day.

- Is the homework give every Friday?

- New movies is released every month.

- My bike are repaired yesterday.

- The classroom is cleaned by the students.

Find it and fix it!



G. Read the text and answer the questions.

Chocolate is loved by people all over the world. It is made from cocoa beans. The beans are grown in hot countries. After that, they are dried in the sun. Then, they are roasted and ground. Sugar and milk are added. Finally, chocolate is packaged and sold in shops.



- What is chocolate made from? _____
- Where are cocoa beans grown? _____
- What happens after the beans are dried? _____
- What is added to the chocolate? _____
- In what form is chocolate sold? _____

H. Write about these things using Simple Present Passive.

- this book / write / by my sister

- this building / design / by a famous architect

- this song / sing / by a popular singer

- homework / check / by the teacher

- fruit / sell / in this shop



TIP! Look for the object. Make it the subject.

Use: am / is / are + past participle. 😊