



# Voz pasiva

Paso a paso



**The passive voice in Spanish is used to emphasize the action done to the subject, rather than the subject performing the action. It is formed by using the verb "ser" (to be) followed by the past participle of the main verb.**

Here's a step-by-step guide on how to form the passive voice in Spanish:

Identify the subject (the receiver of the action) and the direct object (the doer of the action) in the active sentence.

**Example: "Juan lava el coche." (Juan washes the car.)**

Start the passive sentence with the indirect object (the receiver of the action) and the verb "ser" conjugated according to the subject. The preposition "por" is used to indicate the doer of the action.

**Example: "El coche es lavado por Juan." (The car is washed by Juan.)**

Replace the direct object in the active sentence with the subject in the passive sentence.

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## Now, let's look at more examples to understand the passive voice better:

**Active Voice:** "La profesora explica la lección." (The teacher explains the lesson.)

**Passive Voice:** "La lección es explicada por la profesora." (The lesson is explained by the teacher.)

**Active Voice:** "El equipo construye el puente." (The team builds the bridge.)

**Passive Voice:** "El puente es construido por el equipo." (The bridge is built by the team.)

**Active Voice:** "El chef prepara la comida." (The chef prepares the food.)

**Passive Voice:** "La comida es preparada por el chef." (The food is prepared by the chef.)

**Active Voice:** "Mis padres han comprado un regalo." (My parents have bought a gift.)

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## More examples

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## Exercise 1: Rewrite the following sentences in the passive voice:

**Active Voice:** "El chef prepara la cena."

**Passive Voice:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Active Voice:** "Los estudiantes resolvieron el problema."

**Passive Voice:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Active Voice:** "Mi hermana hizo el pastel."

**Passive Voice:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Active Voice:** "La empresa construirá un nuevo edificio."

**Passive Voice:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Active Voice:** "El profesor explicará la lección mañana."

**Passive Voice:** \_\_\_\_\_.



## Exercise 2:

Complete the following sentences using the passive voice in Spanish:

- El libro \_\_\_\_\_ por mí.
- El coche \_\_\_\_\_ por mi padre.
- Los regalos \_\_\_\_\_ por los niños.
- La carta \_\_\_\_\_ por María.
- Los documentos \_\_\_\_\_ por el abogado
- El proyecto \_\_\_\_\_ por el equipo de trabajo.
- Las ventanas \_\_\_\_\_ por el carpintero.
- La canción \_\_\_\_\_ por la cantante famosa.
- Los libros \_\_\_\_\_ por los estudiantes.
- El informe \_\_\_\_\_ por el gerente.

