

Present simple passive



PASSIVE VOICE

The mouse is eaten by the cat

ACTIVE VOICE

The cat eats the mouse



Active sentence:

Who does the action? It's important

he

subject

paints

verb

the picture

object

Passive sentence:

Who does the action? It's not important

The object is important.



the picture

subject

is painted

verb

by him

So, the object of the active voice becomes the subject in the passive voice

he

subject

paints

verb

the picture

object

the picture

subject

is painted

verb

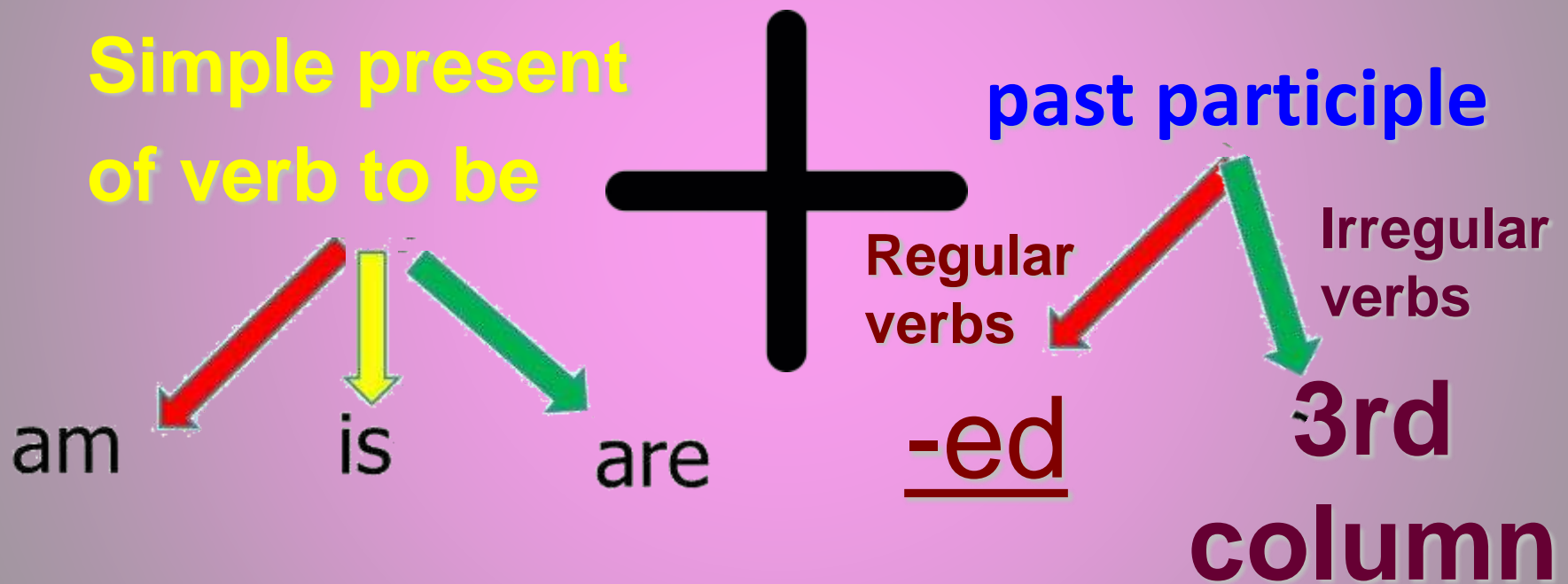
by him

Maybe you don't want to mention the person doing the action.



the picture is **Painted**
subject verb

How do we do the present simple passive?



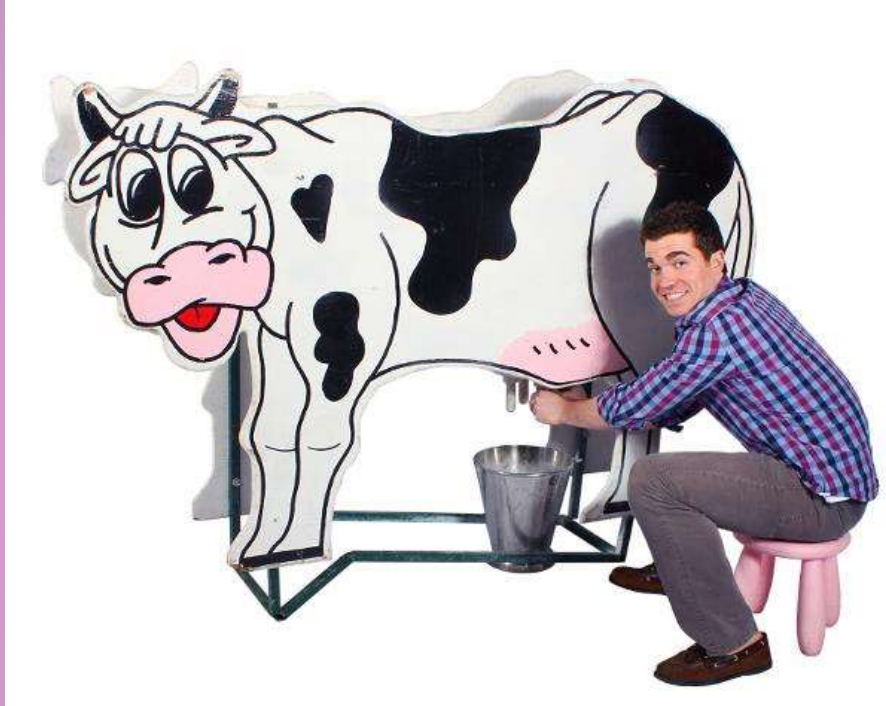


Hollywood **is known** for its movies.

The door **is opened**.



Jackie milks the cow every morning.



The cows is milked every morning.

Benny doesn't understand **the new teacher**



The new teacher is not **understood**

Everybody loves chocolate



Chocolate is loved by everybody

Kids always **eat** **candies**



Candies **are** always **eaten** **by** **kids**

YOUR TURN

Change the sentences from active to passive:

1) The shark eats the man.

2) The police takes him away.

3) The boy kills the spider.

4) The wood cutter cuts the trees.

5) We discover a new medicine



Exercises

Change the sentences from active to passive:



1) The man is eaten by the shark.

2) He is taken away.

3) The spider is killed by the boy.

4) The trees are cut by the wood cutter .

5) A new medicine is discovered by us.



Exercises

Change the sentences from active to passive:

6) The police arrest the thief.

7) The children make kites.

8) He writes a novel.

9) The hunter shoots the tiger.

10) He makes a discovery.

11) Everybody loves him.

12) My cousin draws a beautiful picture.



Exercises

Change the sentences from active to passive:

6) The thief is arrested by the police.



7) The kites are made by the children.

8) A novel is written by him.

9) The tiger is shot .

10) A discovery is made.

11) He is loved by everybody.

12) A picture is drawn by my cousin.



