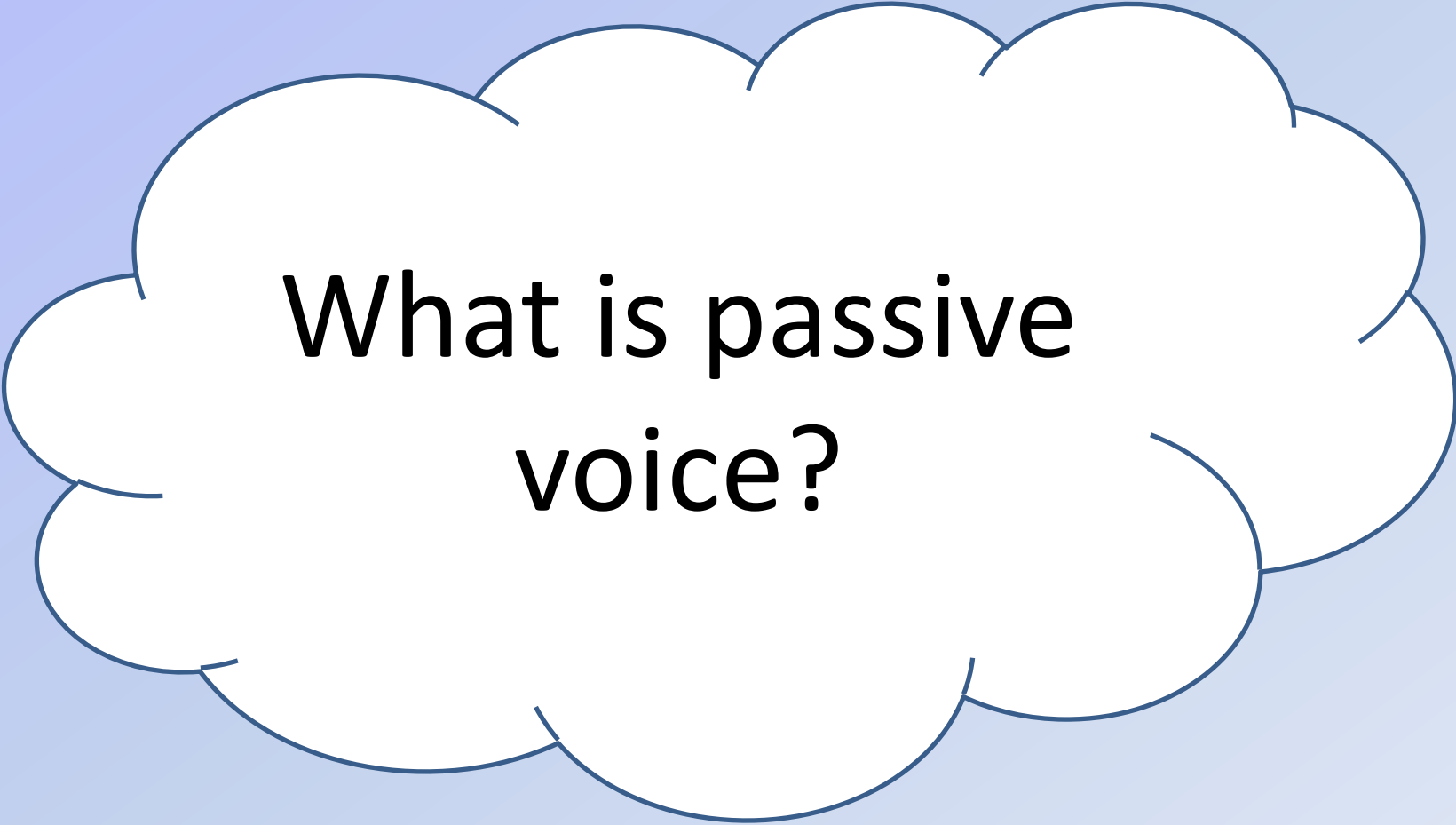


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## Passive Voice

In a passive sentence, the thing that would normally be the **object** gets turned into the **subject** through the use of the passive form of the verb. They often include a prepositional phrase starting with 'by'.

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To be able to recognise and use active and passive voice, you must be able to identify the parts of the sentence. In the following sentences, identify the **subject**, **action** (the verb) and **object**:

The **plane is boarded** by the **family**.

The **damage was caused** by the **storm**.

**Issac threw** a **ball** at the window.

The **magician pulled** a **rabbit** from the hat.

**Helen practised** her **recorder** every day.

The **flowers were grown** by my **nan**.

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Have a go at identifying the object, subject and action in these sentences.

On the plain, the lioness chased an antelope.

Harry ate sandwiches for lunch.

My brother always eats the carrots.

Can you change these active sentences into passive ones?

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Your Task is to create some passive sentences to use in your recount.

These are some from the example recount earlier in the week. How could you make them passive?

The instructor, who was called Jeremy, showed us the canoes.

In the afternoon Jeremy set us a challenge.