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# **Personal and Impersonal Sentences**

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**Another way to re-  
create sentences is  
by changing the  
style of a sentence.**

**1. Personal Active Sentence**

**2. Personal Passive Sentence**

**3. Impersonal Active Sentence**

**4. Impersonal Passive Sentence**

# Personal Active Sentence

**Study the following sentences.  
Identify personal active sentence.**

- 1. I have not made a call.**
- 2. The mobile sends the text message.**
- 3. You lift the handset from the cradle.**

# Personal active sentences are:

1. **I** have not made a call.



Subject



2. **You** lift the handset from the cradle.



Subject



# Personal active sentence is:



1. **I** have not made a call.



Subject

# Personal active sentence is:

2. **You** lift the handset from the cradle.



Subject





# Personal Passive Sentence

**Study the following sentences.  
Identify personal passive sentence.**

- 1. A call has not been made.**
- 2. The text message is sent.**
- 3. The handset is lifted from the cradle.**

# Study the following sentences.

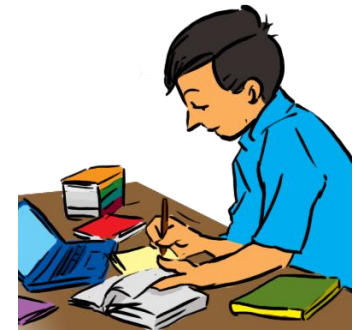
1. A call has not been made. ✘
2. The text message is sent. ✘
3. The handset is lifted from the cradle. ✘

# Personal passive sentence is:

Telkom University students **were given** time to study before the final exam.



Object ⇔ Subject



Active

**Professor Wijaya** **gave** Telkom University students time to study before the final exam.

# Impersonal Active Sentence

**Study the following sentences.  
Identify impersonal active sentence.**

- 1. I have not made a call.**
- 2. The mobile sends the text message.**
- 3. You lift the handset from the cradle.**

# Impersonal active sentence is:

1. **The mobile** sends the text message.



Subject



# Impersonal Passive Sentence



**Study the following sentences.  
Identify impersonal passive  
sentence.**

- 1. A call has not been made.**
- 2. The text message is sent.**
- 3. The handset is lifted from the cradle.**

# Impersonal passive sentences are:

- 1. A call has not been made.**
- 2. The text message is sent.**
- 3. The handset is lifted from the cradle.**

# Impersonal passive sentence is:

1. A call has not been made.

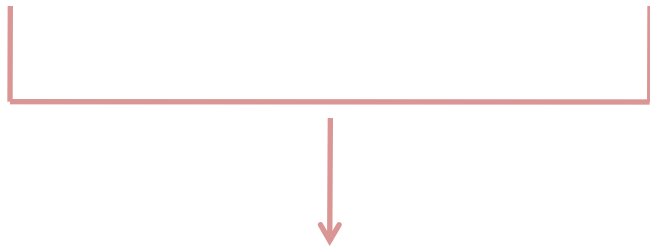


Object ⇔ Subject



# Impersonal passive sentence is:

2. The text message **is sent**.



Object ⇨ Subject



# Impersonal passive sentence is:

3. The handset **is lifted** from the cradle.



Object ⇔ Subject



# Changing Personal to Impersonal Sentence

# Study the changes.

Personal

**I** have not made a call.



Subject

Impersonal

**A call** has not been made.



Object ⇔ Subject

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# Study the following sentence.

Aisya and Fihrin laughed and cried at the *Rush Hour* film last night.

Rush Hour film was laughed and cried at by Aisya and Fihrin last night. ❌

**Now you have learned how to restructure sentences to become:**

- 1. Personal Active Sentence**
- 2. Personal Passive Sentence**
- 3. Impersonal Active Sentence**
- 4. Impersonal Passive Sentence**

# Apply them in your writing experience!



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