

Exercise 14 (page 433)

1. *The exam has been canceled by the teacher.*
2. *The company has manufactured the product.*
3. This book has been translated into many languages.
4. The senator has been called dishonest.
5. The man has eaten the steak.
6. A new prescription has been recommended by the doctor.
7. The computer has been used by the whole class.
8. The school newspaper has received an award.

Exercise 15 (page 433)

1. A: *Have you been invited to any parties lately?*
B: *Yes, I have.*
2. A: Will your apartment be painted this year?
B: Yes, it will./No, it won't.
3. A: Has your class been canceled recently?
B: Yes, it has./No, it hasn't.
4. A: Is your telephone being used right now?
B: Yes, it is./No, it isn't.
5. A: Had you ever been robbed before?
B: Yes, I had./No, I hadn't.

6. A: Will your rent be raised soon?
B: Yes, it will./No, it won't.
7. A: Is this course being taught by a man?
B: Yes, it is./No, it isn't.
8. A: Was this English course being given last semester?
B: Yes, it was./No, it wasn't.

Exercise 16 (page 434)

1.

When John arrives at the emergency room, his arm will be examined and he will be sent for an X ray.
After his arm is x-rayed, he will be told whether it is broken. If his arm is broken, he will be sent back to the emergency room, where a cast will be put on his arm. First, his arm will be put in the proper position. Then, a cotton sleeve will be put over his arm and it will be wrapped with wet bandages.

(The agent is not needed here because the focus is on the patient and the patient's arm. The agent *they* is vague, and therefore the active version sounds less informative.)

2.

Each subject will be given two lists of words by the research assistant. The subjects will be asked to read each list once. Then they will be shown some pictures and (they) will be asked to press a bell...

(The agent is needed in the first sentence since it is new information. Once the agent is given, it is not needed in the remaining sentences because it is understood. The active description is focused more on the research assistant and his actions. The passive version focuses on the subjects and what they are going to do.)

Exercise 20 (page 437)

1. *The office was being painted yesterday.* (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
2. *The house will be painted by a painter from Dryden.* (The sentence tells us something about the agent.)
3. The prices at the farmer's market are always being reduced. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
4. At the meeting, the new regulations will be announced by the president. (The agent is necessary because the sentence tells us something about the agent.)

5. Applications for summer employment are being accepted at the supermarket. (The agent, impersonal *they*, doesn't add any important information to the sentence. It is unnecessary.)
6. When a pipe burst in our house, our new carpet was ruined. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
7. The strikers will be arrested if they don't leave. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
8. At that moment, the door was being unlocked. (It's obvious that somebody was unlocking the door; the agent doesn't add any information to the sentence. It's unnecessary.)
9. My aunt's car was being repaired at the service station. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
10. Many accidents are caused by people who drink alcohol. (The agent is necessary because it tells which people.)
11. Many books are being written about health and nutrition. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)
12. Next semester, undergraduates will be required to take five courses each semester. (The agent is obvious from the meaning of the sentence.)

Exercise 23 (page 441)

1. *Membership passes must be shown at the gate.*
2. Guest passes can be bought at the main office.
3. The number of guests may be limited on weekends.
4. Children under 12 are not admitted unless they are accompanied by an adult.
5. Small children must be supervised at all times.
6. A shower must be taken before entering the pool.
7. The lifeguard must be obeyed at all times.
8. Diving is permitted in designated areas only.
9. Smoking, gum-chewing, and glass bottles are prohibited.
10. Food may be eaten in the picnic area only.

Exercise 24 (page 442)

1. A: *Should smoking be permitted in public places?*
B: *Yes, it should./No, it shouldn't.*
2. A: *Should bicyclists be allowed on busy streets?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
3. A: *Should violence be banned from television?*
B: *Yes, it should./No, it shouldn't.*
4. A: *Should guns be sold in stores?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
5. A: *Should pilots be tested for drugs and alcohol?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
6. A: *Should women be paid the same wages as men?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
7. A: *Should men be given parental leave?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
8. A: *Should animals be used for medical research?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
9. A: *Should children be given an allowance?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*
10. (~~~) A: *Should teenagers be allowed to drive?*
B: *Yes, they should./No, they shouldn't.*

Exercise 25 (page 442)

Answers will vary. For example:

1. *It could have been delivered incorrectly.*
It may have been sent to the wrong address.
It might have been lost.
2. It could have been delayed.
3. They might have had an argument.
4. The paper may have been copied.
5. His house might have been robbed.
6. It could have been stolen.

Exercise 26 (page 443)

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| 1. (b) | 5. (b) |
| 2. (a) | 6. (b) |
| 3. (a) | 7. (b) |
| 4. (b) | 8. (b) |