

## 3.1 The passive voice. Setz ins Passiv:

SPEAK - English ...*is spoken*... in all the countries of the Commonwealth.

PULL DOWN, BUILD – Some years ago the old cinema .....  
and a supermarket ..... instead.

TURN ON - When I came home I saw that the TV .....

NOT CLEAN - This car looks as if it ..... for years.

SHOULD WASH - This shirt ..... in warm water.

SELL – Stamps ..... in post offices.

ARREST – The robber ..... last night.

WRITE – Robinson Crusoe ..... by Daniel Defoe.

NAME – Their son ..... Ywan.

PAINT – The front door ..... mint green.

ASK – Everyone ..... to be on time.

**Bildung des Passivs**  
Das Passiv wird gebildet durch BE+PARTIZIP  
PERFEKT (+by+Objekt)  
The northern part of the country was attacked by strong enemy forces.  
(Der nördliche Teil des Landes wurde durch starke feindliche Kräfte angegriffen.)

BE entspricht dem deutschen „werden“ in Passivkonstruktionen.



## 3.2 The past perfect. Verbinde die folgenden Sätze mit „because“. Verwende im Satzteil, der mit „because“ eingeleitet ist, das Plusquamperfekt statt des Pasts.

John booked a flight to Spain. His doctor advised him to take a holiday.

*John booked a flight to Spain because his doctor had advised him to take a holiday.*

Ann was worried. Her friend sent no emails.

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Britney tried to ring up Chris. There was an important message for him.

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Sarah flew back home. She decided to end her holiday.

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Laura and Tom were very amused. The film was funny.

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She kissed his cheek. He helped her with her homework.

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He had to return home. Thieves stole all his money.

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I was very tired. I was working from morning till late at night.

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They stopped their work. They saw the ice cream man.

