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## Assessment Details

<b>Duration:</b> 45 minutes	<b>Total Marks:</b> 100
<b>Topics Covered:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction to the Passive Voice</li><li>• Formation of the Passive Voice</li><li>• Active and Passive Voice Comparison</li><li>• Tone and Meaning in the Passive Voice</li></ul>

## Instructions to Students:

1. Read all questions carefully before attempting.
2. Show all working out - marks are awarded for method.
3. Use the space provided for your answers.
4. If you need more space, use the additional pages at the end.
5. Time management is crucial - allocate approximately 1 minute per mark.

## Question 1

[2 marks]

Which of the following sentences is in the passive voice?

A) The dog bites the man.

B) The man is bitten by the dog.

C) The dog is biting the man.

D) The man bites the dog.

## Question 2

[2 marks]

Choose the correct form of the verb in parentheses to complete the sentence in the passive voice: The package \_\_\_\_\_ (deliver) yesterday.

A) was delivered

B) is delivered

C) will be delivered

D) has been delivered

## Question 3

[2 marks]

Identify the passive voice construction in the following sentence: "The new policy was written by the management team."

A) The new policy

B) was written

C) by the management team

D) The management team

## Question 4

[2 marks]

Select the correct form of the passive voice in the following sentence: "The play \_\_\_\_\_ (perform) by the theater company last night."

A) was performed

B) is performed

C) will be performed

D) has been performed

Recognize the difference between active and passive voice in the following sentences:

a) The chef cooked the meal.

b) The meal was cooked by the chef.

A) a) is active, b) is passive

B) a) is passive, b) is active

C) Both are active

D) Both are passive

**Question 6**

**[5 marks]**

Correct the following sentence to ensure it is in the passive voice: "The new policy writes by the management team."

**Question 7**

**[5 marks]**

Explain how the meaning of the sentence changes when it is converted from active to passive voice: "The chef cooked the meal" vs. "The meal was cooked by the chef."

**Question 8**

**[5 marks]**

Identify the tone conveyed by the use of the passive voice in the following text: "The package was delivered yesterday."

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**Question 9**

**[5 marks]**

Provide an example of a sentence in the passive voice and explain its effect on the reader.

**Question 10**

**[5 marks]**

Compare and contrast the use of active and passive voice in academic writing, providing examples to support your answer.

**Question 11**

**[50 marks]**

Discuss the role of the passive voice in academic writing, providing examples of how it can be used to convey objectivity and emphasize the action rather than the doer. Include a short paragraph describing a scientific experiment using the passive voice.





