

Passive Voice

AFFIRMATIVE

Rewrite the sentences in the passive voice.

1. Teenagers read fashion magazines.
Fashion magazines -----
2. Girls watch Tyra Banks show.
Tyra Banks show -----
3. Susan follows fashion trends.

4. Most women appreciate shoes.

5. Fashion influences young teenagers.

6. Luke wears loose clothes.

7. Tess and Sandra wear tight clothes.

8. Fashion magazines sell dreams.

9. Professional models teach young models.

10. My cousin Lucy appreciates long dresses.

NEGATIVE

Now rewrite the sentences in the passive voice (negative form). Follow the example.

1. Most boys don't watch Tyra Banks show.
Tyra Banks show isn't watched by most boys.
2. Helen doesn't follow fashion trends.
Fashion trends -----
3. Some people do not accept fashion changes.

4. Paul doesn't buy fashion magazines.

5. My mother doesn't buy dresses.

6. Some designers don't use innovative materials.

7. Trendy girls don't wear unfashionable clothes.

8. Most models don't eat cakes.



INTERROGATIVE

Rewrite the sentences in the passive voice (interrogative form). Follow the example.

1. Do boys watch Tyra Banks show?
Is Tyra Banks show watched by boys?
2. Do teenagers read fashion magazines?
Are -----
3. Does fashion influence young teenagers?

4. Do you watch Portugal Fashion?

5. Do boys buy on-line clothes?

6. Do fashion magazines sell dreams?

7. Do designers make clothes with different materials?

8. Do most people accept fashion changes?

SPECIAL CASES

Now pay attention to some passive cases, namely those that require the omission of the passive agent, and a change from subject pronoun to object pronoun.

1. International designers introduce many clothing styles.

2. People appreciate comfortable clothes.

3. I wear cotton clothes.

4. They sell nice and cheap clothes in this shop.

5. She buys fashion magazines.

6. Some photographers manipulate models' photographs.
