Passive voice – modal verbs

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Books ________________________ by the children.

Susan has to learn geography.
Geography ________________________ by Susan.

The dog should bring the bones.
The bones ________________________ by it.

Tom must open the window.
The window ________________________ by him.

Poor people can not spend a lot of money.
Yes, a lot of money ________________________ by poor people.

The pupils must answer a lot of questions.
A lot of questions ________________________ by the pupils.

How can we solve that problem?
How ______ the problem ________________________?

You must not touch this button while the experiment is in progress.
This button ________________________ while the experiment is in progress.

We should call the police at once after the accident.
The police ________________________ at once after the accident by us.

We must put an end to this quarrel.
This quarrel ________________________ an end to.

You shouldn’t make fun of the poor.
The poor ________________________ fun of.

The policeman should do a good job.
A good job ________________________ by the policeman.
The injured man couldn’t walk and had to ____________________________. (carry)

I told the hotel receptionist that I wanted to ____________________________ at 6.30 the next morning. (wake up)

The situation is serious. Something must ____________________________ before it’s too late. (do)

Do you think that less money should ____________________________ on armaments? (spend)

People complain about the noise in the street.
The noise in the street ____________________________ by the people.

Children often don’t pay attention to their parents’ words.
The parents ____________________________ to their words.

Sometimes the teacher takes advantage of the pupils’ good ideas.
The pupils’ good ideas ____________________________ by the teacher.

Does somebody look after the child?
______________________________ the child ____________________________?

In some countries people believe that fresh air is bad for sick people.
That fresh air is bad for sick people ____________________________ in some countries.

You must not touch this button while the experiment is in progress.
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We ought to have called the police at once after the accident.
The police ____________________________ at once after the accident by us.
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I told the hotel receptionist that I wanted to be woken up at 6.30 the next morning.

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Do you think that less money should be spent on armaments? (spend)

People complain about the noise in the street.
The noise in the street is complained about by the people.

Children often don’t pay attention to their parents words.
The parents are often not paid attention to their words.

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The pupils’ good ideas are sometimes taken advantage of by the teacher.

Does somebody look after the child?
Is the child looked after?

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