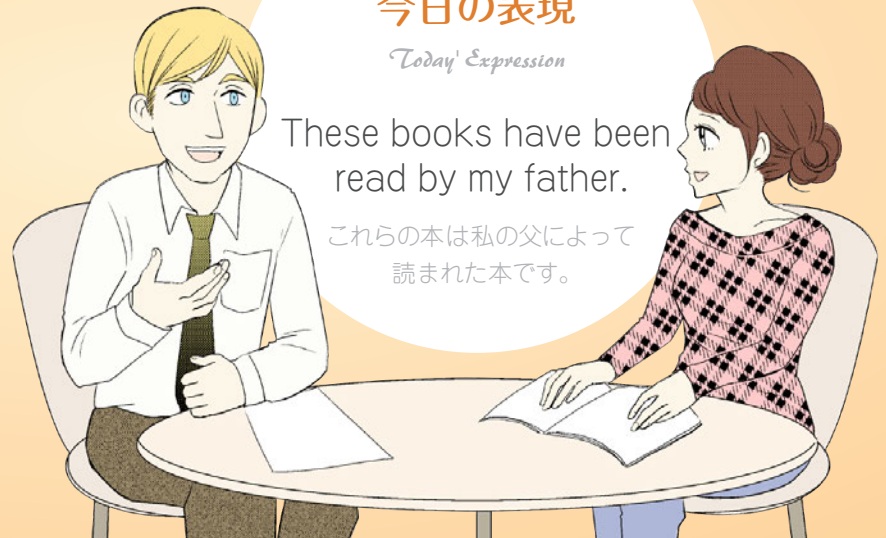


Passive Voice
受動態

「ずっと～されている」「～されたところだ、～されてしまった」「～されたことがある」と言いたい時は、「have(has) + been + -ed (現在完了の受動態)」を使います。

更に「～されているところだ/だった」としたい時は、「be動詞 + being + -ed (進行形の受動態)」で表現します。「laugh at～」などの熟語は、全体をひとまとまりにして扱います。



今日の表現

Today's Expression

These books have been read by my father.

これらの本は私の父によって読まれた本です。

Exercise 1 Repeat each sentence after your teacher.

先生に続いて、重要表現をリピートしましょう！

1 These books have been read by my father.
これらの本は私の父によって読まれた本です。

2 The letter is being written by Serena.
その手紙はセリーナによって書かれました。

3 Mr. White was spoken to by a stranger.
ホワイトさんは見知らぬ人によって話しかけられました。

4 Yesterday's meeting was not called off.
昨日の会議は中止にはなりませんでした。

5 Have the thieves been caught yet?
その盗人たちは捕まりましたか？

Check the grammar

The present **has been** opened by Mana. = Mana has opened the present.

Q: **Have** the parcels **been** sent by Jun? A: Yes, they have. / No, they haven't.

= Q: Has Jun sent the parcels? A: Yes, he has. / No, he hasn't.

The dishes are not **being washed** right now. = They are not washing the dishes right now.

Q: **Were** the pancakes **being made** by him? A: Yes, they were. / No, they weren't.

= Q: Was he making the pancakes? A: Yes, he was. / No, he wasn't.

Exercise 2 Sort the words and build sentences.

単語を並べ替えて、完成した文章を読みましょう！

- 1 (been phoned / has Jade / by Alex yet)?
- 2 (by many people / is looked at / the picture).
- 3 (made fun of / the bullies / weak kids in school).



Answers

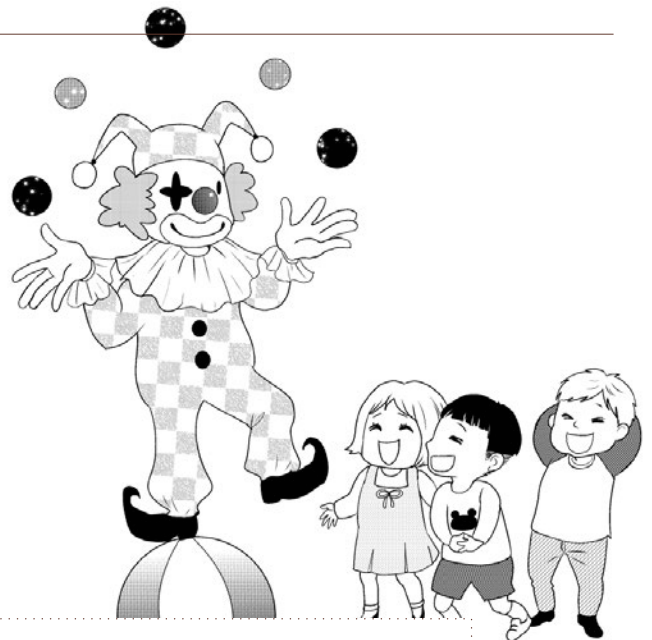
- 1 Has Jade been phoned by Alex yet?
- 2 The picture is looked at by many people.
- 3 The bullies made fun of weak kids in school.

Exercise 3 Answer the following questions. Try to explain your thoughts in sentences.

次の質問に答えましょう。文章であなたの考えを説明してみましょう！

- 1 How does it feel being laughed at when you made a mistake?

- 2 Please describe the picture using the phrasal verb "laughed at".



Additional Lesson

How do you think you feel, when you are looked up to by some people?