

## Section Three

## The Passive Voice Verb (الفِعْلُ الْمَجْهُولُ)

## Past Tense Passive Voice Verb

This verb is derived from the past tense active voice verb.

## Formation:

The vowel on the first original letter gets changed from Fathah to Dhammah (فَعَلَ → فُعَلَ). The second step is to change the vowel on the second original letter to kasrah (فُعَلَ → فُعِلَ). According to this, the past tense passive voice verb has only this one pattern.

قُرِبَ ← قُرِبَ      سَمِعَ ← سَمِعَ      مَنَعَ ← مَنَعَ

As previously said, the passive voice is conjugated according to the proxy subject (نائب الفاعل).

نَصَرَ جَعْفَرُ فَاطِمَةَ (Ja'far helped Fatimah) → نُصِرَتِ فَاطِمَةُ (Fatimah was helped)

**Table 1.9 - The Patterns Of The Past Tense Passive Voice Verb**

الجموع	المثنى	المفرد	المعلوم	الماضي
فُعِلُوا	فُعِلَا	فُعِلَ		الغائب:
فُعِلْنَا	فُعِلْتَا	فُعِلْتُ		الغائبة:
فُعِلْتُمْ	فُعِلْتُمَا	فُعِلْتِ		المخاطب:
فُعِلْتُمْ	فُعِلْتُمَا	فُعِلْتِ		المخاطبة:
فُعِلْنَا		فُعِلْتُ		المتكلم:

## Present Tense Passive Voice Verb (المُضارعُ المَجْهولُ)

This verb is derived from the present tense active voice verb.

### Formation:

Frist, the particle of the present tense gets Dhammah (يَفْعَلُ ← يُفَعْلُ) and then the second original letter gets Fathah. Therefore there is only one pattern or Wazn for this verb.

**Table 1.10 - Patterns Of The Present Tense Passive Voice Verb**

المُضارعُ المَعْلوم	المُفْرَد	المُثَنَّى	الجَمْع
الغائب:	يُفَعْلُ	يُفَعْلَانِ	يُفَعْلُونَ
الغائبة:	تُفَعْلُ	تُفَعْلَانِ	تُفَعْلْنَ
المُخاطَب:	تُفَعْلُ	تُفَعْلَانِ	تُفَعْلُونَ
المُخاطِبة:	تُفَعْلِينَ	تُفَعْلَانِ	تُفَعْلْنَ
المُتَكَلِّم:	أُفَعْلُ		تُفَعْلُ