

## ENGLISH 3

## THE PASSIVE VOICE

**KEY**

## EXERCISE 2

1. The meeting was cancelled  
annullerades
2. These documents have been translated into French.  
översattes
3. This building project will be implemented despite the economic recession.  
kommer att genomföras
4. Slavery was abolished in the 1860's.  
avskaffades
5. The dogs were fed at three o'clock.  
matades
6. They are always fed in the afternoon.  
matas alltid
7. Sugar beets are grown in many parts of Finland.  
odlas
8. Not much is done in order to improve the situation.  
görs
9. Not much has been done in order to improve the situation.  
har gjorts
10. The military area was closed.  
stängdes
11. The troops were withdrawn immediately after the ceasefire.  
drogs tillbaka
12. The truth will be revealed/unveiled.  
kommer att avslöjas
13. The truth would have been revealed/unveiled if the CIA had found the coded messages.  
skulle ha avslöjats
14. All the applicants would be interviewed if the personnel manager had enough time.  
skulle intervjuas
15. The results should/ought to be improved.  
borde förbättras
16. The number of participants will be increased.  
måste ökas
17. The children had been abandoned (by) their parents.  
hade övergetts av sina föräldrar
18. The windows need to be washed and the floor needs to be vacuumed/hovered.  
behöver tvättas  
behöver dammsugas  
vacuumed  
vacuum-cleaned
19. I am always sent to summer camp even though my parents know that I hate it.  
skickas alltid
20. Everything had been thrown away!  
hade kastats
21. Many things can be recycled.  
kan återanvändas

22. Our plans must be implemented despite all the difficulties.  
måste genomföras
23. Who was sent to the international congress?  
skickades
24. Seat belts must be fastened immediately!  
måste spännas fast
25. The door has been locked and all the windows have been closed.  
har låsts  
har stängts
26. The message was interpreted by some of the best experts.  
tyddes/tolkades
27. The car was painted after it had been repaired.  
målad  
hade reparerats
28. All the ingredients must be mixed.  
måste blandas
29. This gadget can't/cannot be used.  
kan inte användas
30. The lock had been broken.  
hade söndrats
31. My wallet was stolen and my passport had also been taken.  
stals  
hade också tagits
32. The prisoners had been tortured.  
hade torterats
33. Many Chinese prisoners have been executed in the last few decades.  
har avrättats
34. Nothing will be forgotten.  
kommer att glömmas
35. All the invoices have been (paid)! paid.  
har betalats
36. One soldier was killed when the bomb exploded.  
döddes
37. Three soldiers were killed when the bomb exploded.  
döddes
38. Most puppies are sold at the age of 7-8 weeks.  
säljs
39. Hundreds of thousands of Japanese cars were exported to Europe.  
exporterades
40. Fifteen electricians were employed by the new building company.  
anställdes
41. The fossils were found in Utah.  
hittades
42. The company was founded by my grandfather.  
grundades
43. A delicious meal was prepared and the table was laid.  
tillreddes  
dukades
44. No mistakes were made.  
gjordes