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GRAMMAR: AVOIDING THE  
PASSIVE VOICE (B1-C1)

Learn how to change the passive into the active. Fill in the gaps with the correct form of the passive: use the word in (BRACKETS)

1. My new pool house is being built at the moment. My new pool is \_\_\_\_\_ right now. (CONSTRUCTION)
2. The class is being taught right now. The class is \_\_\_\_\_ right now. (PROGRESS)
3. The classroom is currently occupied so you won't be able to use it. The classroom is currently \_\_\_\_\_ so you won't be able to use it.(USE)
4. Our apartment block has been being developed for a really long time now. Our apartment block has been \_\_\_\_\_ for a really long time now. (DEVELOPMENT)
5. The exhibition will be being displayed over the next few months. The exhibition will be \_\_\_\_\_ over the next few months. (DISPLAY)
6. We have been playing the match for nearly an hour and a half. The match has been \_\_\_\_\_ for nearly an hour and a half. (PROGRESS)
7. The class has been going on for more than half an hour. The class has been \_\_\_\_\_ for more than half an hour (WAY)
8. We have been thinking about the project for various hours. The project has been \_\_\_\_\_ for various hours. (CONSIDERATION)

Answers:

1. under construction
2. in progress
3. in use
4. under development
5. in progress
6. on display
7. under way
8. under consideration