



Impersonal and Passive Se

Español II Capítulo Tres



Impersonal Se

The impersonal se can be the subject of the third person singular form of a verb (él, ella, Ud. forma) without an object. It can mean *they, one, or you*.



Impersonal Se

Se vive bien en este pueblo.

They (people) live well in this town.

Se trabaja mucho en este país.

One works a lot in this country.



Passive Se

The pronoun *se* can also be used to say that something *is done*, without saying who does it. The verb agrees in number with the noun receiving the action. This use is called **passive se**.



Passive Se

verb agrees with noun



¿Se vende pan en la tienda de comestibles?

verb agrees with noun



¿Dónde se pueden comprar unos mapas?