How tortillas are made.

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|  | remove | Corn kernels (yellow bits) | from cob |
|  | dry | kernels | in sun |
|  | boil | kernels, lime | 1 or 2 hours |
|  | pour off | water |  |
|  | grind | cooked kernels | into dough |
|  | call | dough | “masa” |
| “tortillera” (person) | form | masa | into flat circles |
|  | cook | circles | on a flat metal plate |
|  | call | metal plate | “comal” |
| people | eat | tortillas | with beans, meat, etc. |

 NB: *lime*, *dough* and *masa* are non-count nouns .

The picture shows some Guatemalan *tortilleras* cooking tortillas on a *comal*.

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NOTE: because you are not going to try and make tortillas, these are *not* instructions (so *don’t* use imperative). Also, you do not have to make all the sentences passive, but most of them should be passive. Use Simple Present because this is how tortillas *are* made (past, present, and in the future.)