



Present
Perfect

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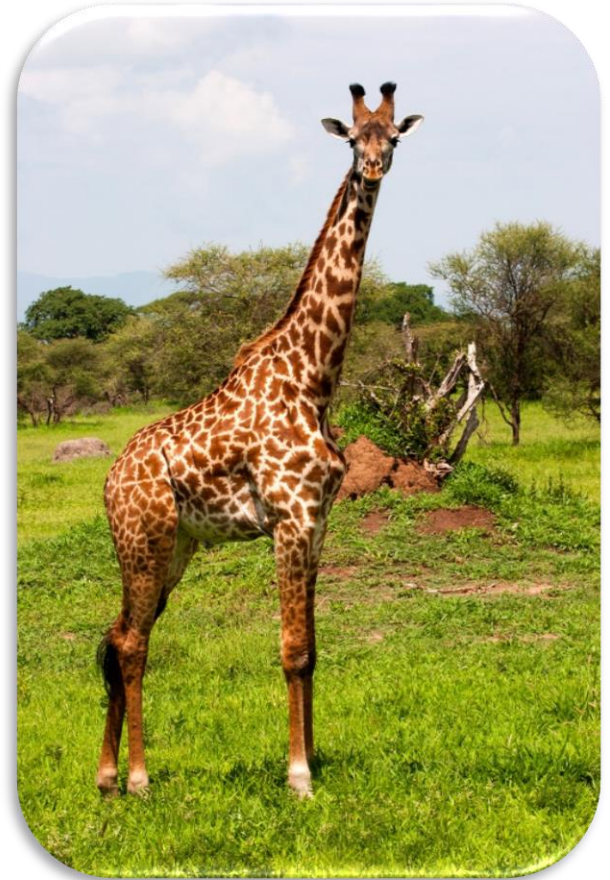
Have you ever had a...?



Have you ever gone..?



Have you ever seen a...?



Have you ever been to...?



Have you ever eaten...?



snails



Chinese food



frog legs

Have you ever been to..?



the USA



England



Spain

**I have already been to
London.**



This new VERB TENSE is called the...

PRESENT PERFECT

Present Perfect: Form

have / has + Past Participle

I **have been** to London. = I'**ve been** to London.

She **has been** to London. = She's **been** to London.

He **has not been** to London. = He **hasn't been** to London.



Present Perfect

Affirmative



Present Perfect: Form

have / has + Past Participle

Verb be

I **have been** to London.

You **have been** to London.

He/she **has been** to London.

We **have been** to London.

They **have been** to London.

I have = I've

She has = She's

Present Perfect

Negative



Present Perfect: negative

- subject + **have** / **has not** + Past Participle

*I **have not** (**haven't**) **been** to Lisbon yet.*

*The students **haven't** **studied** the lesson.*

*Jack **has not** (**hasn't**) **arrived**.*

Present Perfect

Interrogative



Present Perfect: questions

- **Have / has** + subject + **Past Participle**

Have *you* ever **slept** in a caravan?

Has *he* **eaten** Japanese food?

Have *you* **read** the book yet?

Present Perfect: you have to remember

the VERB LIST

buy - bought - bought

bring - brought - brought

feel - felt - felt

find - found - found

get - got - got

have - had - had

hear - heard - heard

leave - left - left

spend - spent - spent

take - took - taken

say - said - said

write - wrote - written

be - was/were - been

break - broke - broken

come - came - come

go - went - gone

give - gave - given

see - saw - seen

Present Perfect: SUMMARY

Affirmative

have/has + **past participle**

*I **have** **played** football.*

*He **has** **gone** to the cinema.*

Negative

have/has + **not** + **past part.**

*I **haven't** **played** football.*

*He **hasn't** **gone** to the cinema.*

Interrogative

Have/Has + subj. + **past part.?**

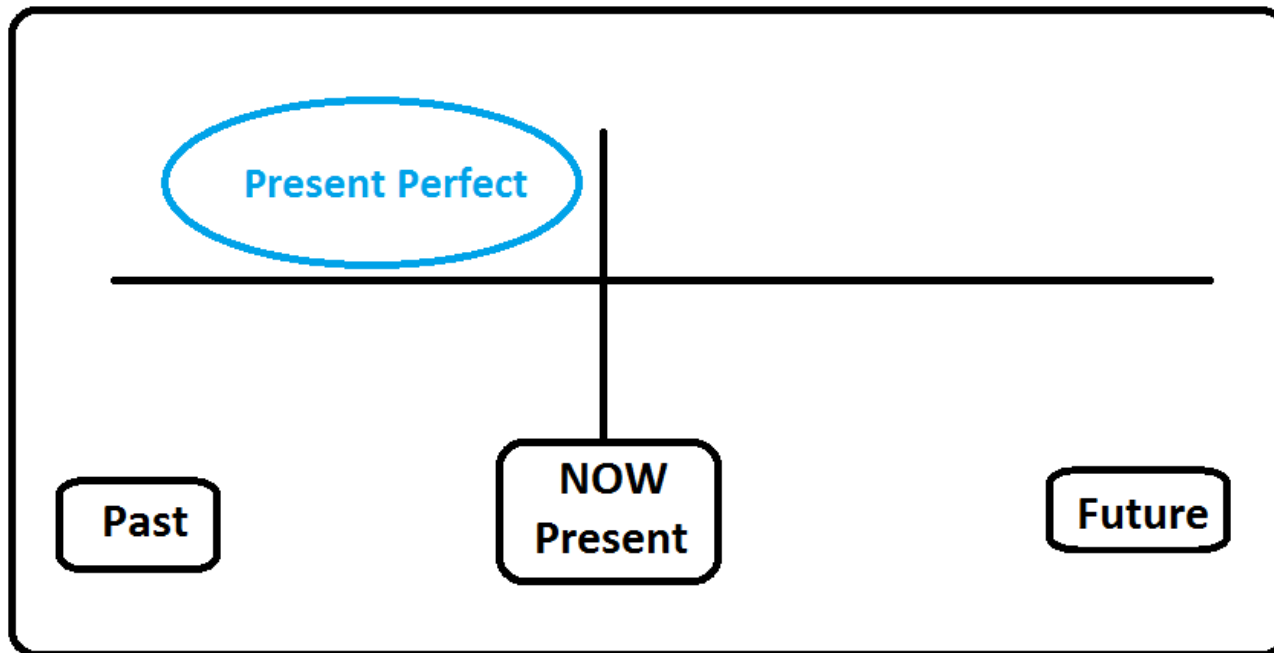
***Have** you **played** football?*

***Has** he **gone** to the cinema?*



We can use the **Present Perfect**:

To say that an *action happened* at an ***unspecified time*** in the past (before now).



We can use the Present Perfect:

To talk about:

1. Actions that started in the past and continues in the present
2. Actions that happened at an unspecified time in the past
3. Multiple actions which happened at different times
4. Past experiences
5. Time expressions with the Present Perfect

Present Perfect:

1. An action that started in the past, but continues in the present

I **have lived** in
London **since**
1996.



Present Perfect:

2. An action which happened at an unspecified time in the past



Michael **has learnt** how
to **ride a bike**.

Present Perfect:

...an uncompleted action

I haven't finished
reading this book.



Present Perfect:

3. An action which happened on various occasions in the past

The President
has come to
my city **five**
times.



Present Perfect:

4. Past experiences

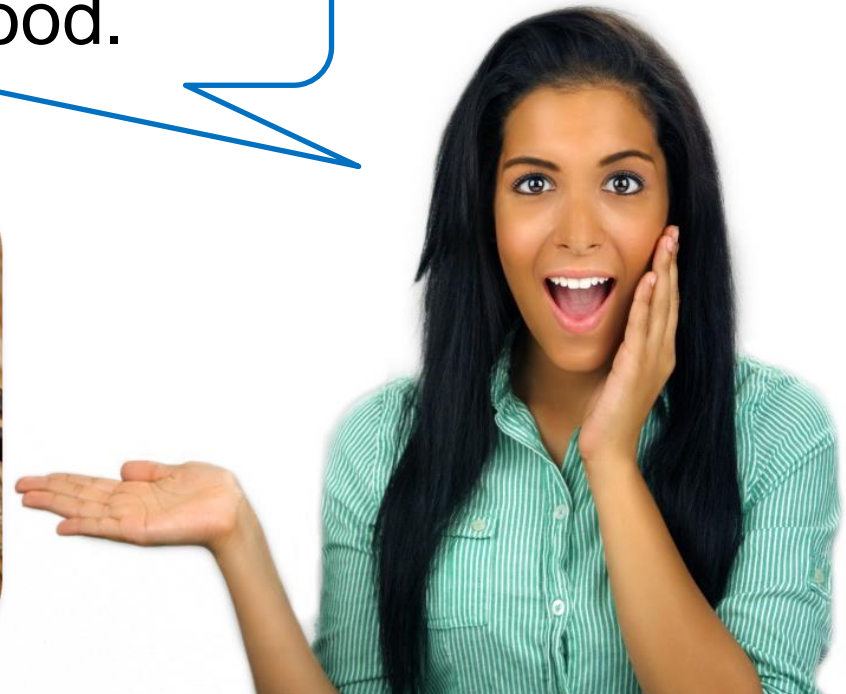
I have been to Paris.



Present Perfect:

5. Time expressions with the Present Perfect

I **have never** tasted
Chinese food.

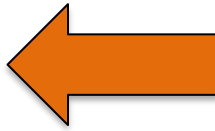


Present Perfect: time expressions

- **for**
- **since**
- **just**
- **already**
- **never – ever**
- **yet**

Present Perfect: time expressions

- **since**
- **for**
- **just**
- **already**
- **never – ever**
- **yet**



Present Perfect: SUMMARY

- **since, for** →
She *has lived* here **since** 1998.
She *has lived* here **for** three years.
in both cases the action is still true in the present
- the start period the duration of the action



Present Perfect: *for* or *since*?

1. I have studied hours.
2. Peter has lived in London 3 years.
3. We've known each other we were children.
4. I've been here 9 am.
5. He has waited at the bus stop one hour.
6. They have been in France a week.
7. I haven't talked to Susan last week.

Present Perfect: time expressions

Examples:

- I've lived here **for** ten years.
- I've lived here **since** 2011.
- I have **already** finished my homework.
- Have you **ever** been to Paris?
- I have **never** visited London.
- The rain **hasn't** stopped **yet**.

Write sentences in the **Present Perfect**:

1. I (*taste, never*) Japanese food.

*I **have never tasted** Japanese food.*

2. I (*have, not*) this much fun since I was young.

*I **haven't had** this much fun **since** I was young.*

3. I (*visit, never*) New York.

*I **have never visited** New York.*

4. Times (*change*) since I was born.

*Times **have changed** since I was born.*

5. How long (*you, be*) in Glasgow?

*How long **have** you **been** in Glasgow?*

Put the verbs in the **Present Perfect**:

1. Paul (never / have) a part in a school play.
2. Ana (never / go) to London.
3. (they / buy) a new mobile phone?
4. (Karen / ever / break) her arm?
5. (you / ever / lie) to your parents?
6. (you / ever / leave) anything on a bus?
7. Michael (never / run) a marathon.
8. Tina (never / give) me my birthday present.