**PRESENT PERFECT EXERCISES**

* Affirmative sentences: put the verbs in the present perfect.

1. Bob / visit / his grandma 
2. Jimmy / play / on the computer 
3. Sue and Walter / wash / their car 
4. Andrew / repair / his bike 
5. Phil / help / Anne with maths 
6. Brad and Louise / watch / a film 
7. Tamara / talk to / her best friend 
8. Bridget / draw / a picture 
9. Carol / read / a computer magazine 
10. Tom and Alice / be / to a restaurant

* Negative sentences: put the verbs in eh present perfect.

1. Sarah / not / wash the dishes 
2. Anita / not / clean the kitchen 
3. Maureen and Gavin / not / water the plants 
4. Joey / not / make his bed 
5. David / not / buy milk 
6. Lisa / not / be to the baker's 
7. Aran and Jack / not / do their homework 
8. Jane and Ben / not / tidy up their rooms 
9. Alex / not / feed the hamster 
10. Hazel / not / empty the bin

* **Interrogative sentences: put the verbs in the present perfect.**

> you / answer / the question 

> Jenny / lock / the door 

* Walter / call / us 
* you / see / the picture 
* your parents / get / the letter 
* it / rain / a lot 
* how often / we / sing / the song 
* Maureen / watch / the film 
* how many books / Bob / read 
* ever / you / be / to London 

Time expressions with the present perfect.

* **Write   SINCE    or   FOR**

* 1.  a very long time                2. I left school
* 3. 10 years                           4. it started to rain
* 5. three weeks                      6. September
* 7. I came to London               8. half an hour
* 9. my birthday                     10. six months

**Complete with    For   or   SINCE**

* 1) I have been a teacher   30 years
* 2. Bob has worked in that import export company  he was thirty
* 3. I have studied English   four years
* 4. Jenny has eaten  five hamburgers    7pm
* 5. My parents have been married    twenty years
* 6.  I have known my best friend   I met him at high school
* 7. They have travelled in the USA   one month
* 8. The boys have played tennis  two hours
* 9. Kevin has been in Greece     July

1. My  brother has  drunk beer   two hours

PRESENT PERFECT VS SIMPLE PAST

 Using the words in parentheses, complete the text below with the appropriate tenses.

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1. A: Did you like the movie "Star Wars?"   
B: I don't know. I (see, never) **** that movie.   
  
2. Sam (arrive) **** in San Diego a week ago.   
  
3. My best friend and I (know) **** each other for over fifteen years. We still get together once a week.   
  
4. Stinson is a fantastic writer. He (write) **** ten very creative short stories in the last year. One day, he'll be as famous as Hemingway.   
  
5. I (have, not) **** this much fun since I (be) **** a kid.   
  
6. Things (change) **** a great deal at Coltech, Inc. When we first (start) **** working here three years ago, the company (have, only) **** six employees. Since then, we (expand) **** to include more than 2000 full-time workers.   
  
7. I (tell) **** him to stay on the path while he was hiking, but he (wander) **** off into the forest and (be) ****bitten by a snake.   
  
8. Listen Donna, I don't care if you (miss) **** the bus this morning. You (be) **** late to work too many times. You are fired!   
  
9. Sam is from Colorado, which is hundreds of miles from the coast, so he (see, never) **** the ocean. He should come with us to Miami.   
  
10. How sad! George (dream) **** of going to California before he died, but he didn't make it. He (see, never) **** the ocean.  
  
11. In the last hundred years, traveling (become) **** much easier and very comfortable. In the 19th century, it (take) **** two or three months to cross North America by covered wagon. The trip (be) **** very rough and often dangerous. Things (change) ****a great deal in the last hundred and fifty years. Now you can fly from New York to Los Angeles in a matter of hours.   
  
12. Jonny, I can't believe how much you (change) **** since the last time I (see) **** you. You (grow) **** at least a foot!   
  
13. This tree (be) **** planted by the settlers who (found) **** our city over four hundred years ago.   
  
14. This mountain (be, never) **** climbed by anyone. Several mountaineers (try) **** to reach the top, but nobody (succeed, ever) ****. The climb is extremely difficult and many people (die) **** trying to reach the summit.   
  
15. I (visit, never) **** Africa, but I (travel) **** to South America several times. The last time I (go) **** to South America, I (visit) **** Brazil and Peru. I (spend) **** two weeks in the Amazon, (hike) **** for a week near Machu Picchu, and (fly) **** over the Nazca Lines.Final del formulario