

Lesson C: Present Perfect vs. Simple Past

A: Circle the **correct form of the verb** in parentheses.

1. Paola (has traveled | traveled) by airplane many times.
2. Yuan (has walked | walked) to class this morning.
3. My parents (have bought | bought) a new car last year.
4. Lisa (has started | started) a new job in January.
5. Kai (has seen | saw) this movie twice since it came out.

B: Complete the sentences with the **correct form of the verb** in parentheses.

1. Last spring, Justin got promoted (get promoted) to senior manager.
2. Justin _____ (be) happy with the promotion to senior manager.
3. He _____ (work) for the company for six years.
4. Justin _____ (begin) his career as an assistant manager.
5. He _____ (work) hard over the years.

C: Complete the sentences. Use the words in parentheses to make expressions **in the present perfect**.

1. Mike has just returned (just, return) home from work.
2. Cecilia _____ (never, be) on an airplane.
3. The students _____ (just, graduate) from college.
4. My brother _____ (just, pass) his driving test.
5. My grandmother _____ (never, send) an email.

D: Complete the sentences. Use the words in parentheses to make negative expressions **in the present perfect**.

1. Our teacher hasn't read (not read) our compositions.
2. Fiona _____ (not read) the book.
3. The students _____ (not visit) the museum.
4. Our bags _____ (not arrived) in baggage claim.
5. Han _____ (not be) to many countries.

E: Write questions with the **correct form of the verb** in parentheses.

1. (Mila, graduate) Has Mila graduated from college yet?
2. (you, go) _____ to class today?
3. (they, live, ever) _____ in a different country?
4. (Jorge, take) _____ the exam yet?
5. (you, ever, write) _____ a poem?