

Present Perfect Simple Vs. Present Perfect Continuous

WORKSHEET 9

A—COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT FORM OF THE VERB, PRESENT PERFECT SIMPLE OR PRESENT PERFECT PROGRESSIVE.

Ex. John finished his business degree. Then he started to work for a large international company.

John has been working for a large international company ever since he finished his business degree.

1. I _____ (write) e-mails since 10:00 this morning. So far, I _____ (finish) about 20.
2. I love that restaurant. I _____ (eat) there many times.
3. Go and wake up your father. He _____ (sleep) all afternoon.
4. Laura is at the mall. She _____ (shop) all morning.
She _____ already _____ (buy) three new pairs of shoes, two dresses, and a coat.
5. They _____ (build) that office tower for almost two years.
So far, it _____ (cost) over \$200 million dollars.
6. The boys _____ (fish) all afternoon. So far, they _____ (catch) ten fish.

7. Let's sit down. I'm tired. We _____ (dance) for hours.
8. Kelly is standing on the corner. She _____ (wait) for her boyfriend for the past twenty minutes.
9. There is a police car parked on the street across from my house. I _____ (watch) it for over an hour, but nothing _____ (happen) yet.
10. Please answer the phone. It _____ (ring) for the past five minutes.
11. Anna _____ (be) in the hospital for over a month. She may come home next week.
12. "Sorry I'm late."
"That's okay. I _____ (not/wait) very long.
13. It _____ (rain) steadily for the past two days.
14. I smell chocolate in here! _____ you _____ (bake)?
15. Adrienne and Judy _____ (know) each other since they were children.