

Week2_ Past simple vs. Present Perfect Practice

A. Match each sentence with an explanation.

1. Jim has just written a book.		a. This is not his first book.
2. Has Jim written a book yet?		b. Does Jim write books?
3. Jim has already written a book.		c. He finished his book last year.
4. Jim wrote a book a year ago.		d. He finished a few days ago.
5. Jim has never written a book.		e. Jim started writing in 2006 and has written two books between then and now.
6. Has Jim ever written a book?		f. Jim doesn't write books.
7. Jim has written two books since 2006.		g. Has he finished a book?

B. Complete each sentence with a time word from the box.

already	ever	for	just	never	since	yet
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8. Have you _____ been to the Greek islands?
9. Rick has lived in Japan _____ 2008.
10. She has worked here _____ 3 years.
11. Hurry up! Haven't you finished _____?
12. I've _____ been on a big ship before. It's an interesting experience!
13. Ouch! An insect has _____ bitten me!
14. I don't want to see this film. I've _____ seen it.

C. Ask for the information in the **bold and underlined** part of the sentence.

20. <u>My sister</u> has cooked dinner.	
21. Sue has read the book <u>twice</u> .	
22. <u>My computer</u> has crashed.	
23. Jeane has been on holiday <u>for eight days</u> .	
24. Catherine has cleaned the house <u>because she is having a party tonight</u> .	
25. <u>Last week</u> , Mandy went to the market.	