

5. Intensive practice

Change these sentences to the negative.

Example:

He has seen that movie. He hasn't seen that movie.

1. I've written him a letter.
2. I've done the homework.
3. We've read this book.
4. She has been to New York.
5. He has sold his bicycle.
6. They've gone to bed.
7. They've left.
8. She's gone shopping.
9. They've drunk their milk.
10. They've locked the gate.

Change these sentences to questions.

Example:

They have forgotten their books.

Have they forgotten their books?

1. It has cost him a lot of money.
2. You've studied the new sentences.
3. She's just bought a new hat.
4. He's already gone upstairs.
5. He's just begun the new lesson.
6. I've met your friend.
7. They've brought us some candy.
8. They've elected the captain.
9. She has tried to call you.

Make a new sentence, using the phrase at the left and the information in the sentences given.

Example:

this week I bought a present today.

I bought a present yesterday.

I've bought two presents this week.

this week

1. I wrote a letter yesterday.
I wrote three letters day before yesterday.

today

2. I found a pencil this morning.
I found a pencil this afternoon.

this month

3. We read two books last week.
We read a book three weeks ago.

this month

4. She sent her mother a letter last week.
She sent her mother two letters three weeks.

this month

5. He bought a shirt yesterday.
He bought two shirts last week.

this year

6. He took a trip last month.
He took a trip six months ago.

this month

7. I saw a movie last week,
I saw two movies three weeks ago.

this year

8. I stayed home one day a month ago.
I stayed home three days six months ago.

this week

9. He bought a tie yesterday.
He bought a tie four days ago.

this week

10. He drove his car to work on Tuesday.
He drove his car to work on Wednesday.
He drove his car to work on Friday.

Change these sentences to questions.

1. They've heard that story.
2. You've forgotten the new sentences.
3. He has found a piece of chalk.
4. It's rained a lot this summer.
5. He's read the lesson.
6. Mr. White has driven that car.
7. I've met his father.
8. She's gotten dinner for us,
9. They've thought about their homework.
10. She's been sick for a week.

Change these sentences to the negative.

1. I've lived here for two years.
2. She's written a letter to her mother.
3. He's slept very well.
4. I've felt sick today.
5. He's left his book in the classroom.
6. He's found the chalk.
7. He's kept his notebook carefully this year.
8. She's bought a house.
9. I've asked him to study every day.
10. I've locked the door.

Fill in the blanks with for or since.

1. She's been sick _____ Friday
2. He's slept _____ eight hours.
3. He's slept _____ ten o'clock.
4. He's studied the new sentences _____ a week.
5. He's studied in this school _____ two years.
6. He's worked _____ eight o'clock this morning.
7. They've waited for us _____ two o'clock.
8. I've studied in this school _____ 1991.
9. He's worked _____ five hours.
10. I've been hungry _____ five o'clock

Put already or yet in these sentences.

Example:

She hasn't called.

She hasn't called yet.

1. He's sold his bicycle.
2. They haven't arrived.
3. She's gone to bed.
4. He doesn't know how to swim.
5. We've eaten our candy.
6. I haven't practiced the new sentences.
7. The teacher has asked him.
8. I haven't met Mr. Johnson.
9. They've elected the captain.
10. She hasn't gone to the store.