

PRESENT PERFECT



TASK A. Underline the correct past participle form given in parentheses.

Example: Dr. Smith has (was, been) my friend since I was a child.

1. Sheila has (brang, brought) her daughter to work a couple of times.
2. The restaurant has always (payed, paid) its employees on Fridays.
3. I feel terrible because I have (forgot, forgotten) all about the surprise party for Robert.
4. Professor James is sure he has (lain, laid) the exams on his desk.
5. Lisa has (went, gone) home already.
6. Luis has (drank, drunk) all of his Pepsi.



TASK B. In the blank, write the past participle of the base verb given in parentheses.

Example: The repairs on my car had cost (cost) me \$600.

1. Shauna has _____ (ride) the bus to school all semester.
2. Although the witness has _____ (swear) to tell the truth, I think he's lying.
3. We realized at the airport that we have _____ (leave) our apartment door unlocked!
4. Janet has _____ (do) all of her homework for Monday.
5. We have just _____ (seen) that new movie. It was really sad we cried the whole movie.
6. How long has Michael _____ (be) in Barcelona?
7. Jonas has _____ (bet) \$200 on the losing team



TASK C. Complete with the present perfect simple.

- 1 I have arranged (arrange) a surprise birthday party for Kelly.
- 2 _____ (you/hear) about the present we're giving her?
- 3 Tracey _____ (not hire) a clown for her party.
- 4 I'm sure the twins _____ (speak) to Harry about the invitations.

- 5 _____ (Sue/lav) the table yet?
- 6 What _____ (Rose/do) with the snacks?
- 7 _____ (he/drive) you mad today with his questions?



TASK D. Choose the present perfect or past simple:

1. I have seen (see) three police cars this morning (it's still morning).
2. After he _____ (arrive) home, he _____ (unpack) and _____ (go) to bed early.
3. A: What's wrong?
B: I _____ (just/ break) a glass!
4. My grandparents only _____ (know) each other for a few months before they _____ (get) married.
5. I _____ (be) in London for three years. I love it here.

6. We _____ (see) Julie last night.
7. He _____ (be) a teacher before he _____ (become) a musician.
8. When the boss _____ (walk) into the room, we _____ (know) someone was going to get fired.
9. My children _____ (go) to the principal's office three times this year. They're naughty!
10. He _____ (see) that film last year.



TASK E. Correct the error or errors in each of the sentences.

1. Have you ever eat Chinese food?

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2. She has moved to another city last year.

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3. They have sent out the invitations yet.

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4. Jack hasn't seen Jill since she has graduated.

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5. Mr Brown already left the office.

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6. We haven't been abroad since a year.

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7. The lesson has started ten minutes ago.

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8. Did she just leave?

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TASK F. Choose the correct answer.

1. I'm really hungry. I (haven't eaten / didn't eat) yet.
2. They (arrived / have arrived) a week ago.
3. We (have worked / worked) here for three years.
4. They (didn't recognize / haven't recognized) me at yesterday's meeting.
5. Our neighbor (was / has been) in the hospital since Friday.

6. (Have you travelled / Did you travel) abroad many times?

