

Grammar in context 1

Present perfect with *ever* and *never*

1 ☆ Complete the sentences with the present perfect form of the verbs given.

- Josh thinks he (break) his ankle.
- Two famous tennis players (sprain) their elbows.
- I (not do) my homework.
- Ellen and Phoebe (catch) a cold?
- Sarah (not buy) a cat. She (get) a dog!
- My cousins (paint) their study room green. It looks terrible!
- Molly (make) lunch?

2 ☆☆ Write the questions and negative answers in the present perfect. Use *ever* and *never*.

- he / climb a high mountain?
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- your uncle and aunt / visit Scotland?
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- you / speak to a billionaire?
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- Chris Hemsworth / win an Oscar?
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- your mum and dad / ride an elephant?
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- your neighbour / star in a film?
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Present perfect with *for* and *since*

3 ☆☆ Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

- I've had a pain in my stomach this morning.
- Lauren has had a cold three days.
- We haven't seen Julia September.
- Dave's been with the doctor a long time.
- I've loved ice cream I was very young.

4 ☆☆☆ Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the present perfect. Use *for* or *since* and short answers when necessary.

Tom: You look terrible! How long (a)
..... (you/feel) ill?

Mia: (b) yesterday.

Tom: (c) (be) to the doctor?

Mia: No, I (d) I don't like going to see the doctor. I (e) (not see) a doctor (f) years.

Tom: OK, you (g) (not be) ill (h) a long time - only (i) one day. But what about if you still feel ill tomorrow?

Mia: I (j) (not think) about that. And I don't want to think about it!

Grammar challenge ☆☆☆

5 Find and correct seven mistakes in the text.

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Lewis Hamilton has been a Formula 1 driver for the age of 22. Having the Formula 1 Drivers Championship six times. Who knows how many times he can win it? His career certainly don't finish!

Although he is British, Hamilton lives in Monte Carlo since 2010. He don't like it there, but he has to stay there for 12 months. He is worried about environmental problems and, for this



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