

Present Perfect

Exercise 1: Conjugate the Verbs

1. Mary _____ always _____ (want) to live abroad. In fact, she _____ (be) a resident of Ireland for two years.
2. Jane _____ (not know) him for very long. They _____ (date) for only three weeks.
3. _____ you ever _____ (feel) as much in love as Mary _____ (demonstrate) these past few weeks with her new husband?
4. The mayor _____ (give) a new order to close the city down because the government _____ (be worried) about crime for a long time.
- 5 I _____ often _____ (wonder) whether he _____ (prepare) enough for his life as a emergency doctor.
- 6 How long _____ John _____ (hope) to become engaged with Susan? I know they _____ (be in love) for a very long time.
- 7 My dog _____ (not be wash) in a long time. I need to take him to the groomers. He _____ (begin) to stink!
- 8 Peter says she _____ (prepare) well for the test. I know she _____ (study) every day for the past three weeks.
- 9 The boys _____ (not be) in trouble for almost two weeks. I can't believe it!
- 10 I _____ (believe) in the power of positive thinking since I got into an accident twenty years ago.

Exercise 2: Choose the correct answer.

11. My mother hasn't seen metwo days.
12. She has written a bookyesterday.
13. I have lived here.....I was two years ago.
14. We have baked a cake 8 o'clock.
15. He hasn't drunk beer a long time.
16. They have visited our unclemany times.
17. Tom's worked hereeight years.
18. Father has driven a car to Pattaya two hours.
19. We have been herewe were born.
20. Jimmy has taught Frenchlast week.

Exercise 3: Choose the best answer.

21. We.....good friends for many years.
- a. are b. were c. did d. have been
22.she everto an open air rock concert?
- a. Has, been b. Did, be c. Was, being d. Is being
23. That Man.....in prison for five years.
- a. are b. were c. has been d. is being
24. Iup the car yet.
- a. has washed b. haven't washed c. didn't wash d. don't wash
25. John.....Russian since he was six years old.
- a. speak b. spoke c. has spoken d. is speaking

26.Jack.....the football team?

- a. Have, joined b. Is, joining c. Was, joining d. Has, joined

27. He.....two gold medals so far.

- a. have won b. has won c. didn't win d. was win

28. Dave.....nevercompetition in his life.

- a. has, lost b. have. lost c. was losing d. didn't lose

29. How long.....youbaseball?

- a. did, play b. has, played c. was, played d. have, played

30. They.....snowboarding yet.

- a. haven't tried b. have tried c. hasn't tried d. has tried