

FOR AND SINCE

since or for?

- _____ ten o'clock
- _____ Christmas
- _____ last summer
- _____ ten minutes
- _____ one month
- _____ my birthday
- _____ the last lesson
- _____ a long time
- _____ a week
- _____ the beginning of the term
- _____ ages
- _____ we met the last time

Fill in since or for and the right form of the present perfect.

1. Joe _____ (be) at this school _____ five years.
2. Where's Alison? I _____ (not see) her _____ this morning.
3. Mr Wayne _____ (know) his wife _____ they were both small children.
4. Ben _____ (not see) his uncle _____ several years.
5. I _____ (not be) very well _____ Monday.
6. My brother _____ (have) his new mountain bike _____ two weeks.
7. They _____ (live) here _____ they first came to Britain.
8. The poor animal is very hungry. It _____ (not have) anything to eat _____ days.

Fill in since or for.

1. She has been in hospital _____ this morning.
2. Joe has lived in London _____ five years.
3. We have known each other _____ June 2010.
4. How long have you been here? - I have been here _____ half an hour.
5. I have had this teddy bear _____ I was a little child.
6. Jason has made music _____ more than 25 years.
7. My mother hasn't spoken to my sister _____ three days.
8. I have learned these words _____ three hours.

Complete these sentences with since or for and the right form of the verb.

1. Our family _____ (live) in the north of the USA _____ 1997.
2. My father _____ (work) as an engineer _____ then.
3. My parents _____ (divorce) _____ more than five years now.
4. My sister _____ (know) her boyfriend _____ six years.
5. I _____ (not see) my aunt _____ last summer.
6. My friend Tommy lives in the south. I _____ (not talk) to him _____ a long time.
7. My friend Margo _____ (write) me two letters _____ I met her at the summer camp.