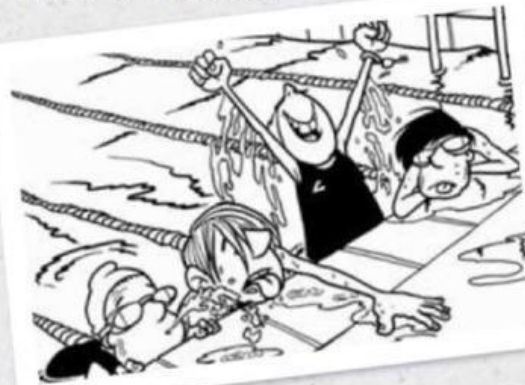


1 Complete the texts with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.



Terry ¹ _____ (just have) some great news. He ² _____ (win) a singing competition. He ³ _____ (entered) a lot of competitions in the past, but the judges ⁴ _____ (not like) his voice or his choice of songs. But today he ⁵ _____ (sing) a popular song well. The judges ⁶ _____ (be) very impressed.

Jules ¹ _____ (just swim) five kilometres in a race. She didn't win, but she ² _____ (show) everyone that she can do well in races. Jules and I ³ _____ often _____ (train) together, so I know her well. In the beginning she ⁴ _____ (not work) very hard, but in the last few months I ⁵ _____ (see) her change, she ⁶ _____ (go) to the pool every day. I think, she'll win the next race she enters.



2 Rewrite the sentences using the present perfect and *just*.

- 1 Two minutes ago it started to rain.

- 2 Five minutes ago Sarah left home for school.

- 3 James called May three minutes ago.

- 4 Tara saw a famous film star ten minutes ago.

- 5 We swam a one kilometre race.

- 6 I ate dinner 15 minutes ago.

- 7 You did the shopping.

- 8 I was in New York until yesterday.

Look at the picture clues. Make questions. Then ask and answer with your partner.

