

Discovery Activity – Present Perfect

Read the following examples and answer the questions about present perfect:

1. Have you ever eaten Indian food?
2. No, I haven't. I have never eaten Indian food but I've tried Chinese food.
3. Have they ever bought clothes online?
4. Yes, they have. They've liked the experience.
5. — Has he studied English this week?
6. Yes, he has. He's done it with his friends but he hasn't cleaned his room.

Answer these questions

1. Choose the correct option: We use the present perfect to talk about:

Finished actions in the past	Unfinished time up to now	General experiences
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2. We form the present perfect with **the verbs**: _____ or _____ + **the past participle** of the main verb.
3. We use **"have"** with the pronouns:

I	You	He	She	It	We	They
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We use **"Has"** with the pronouns: He – she – it

4. How can we contract the following:

I have	I've
You have	
They have	
We have	
He has	He's
She has	
It has	

5. To form the past participle of the regular verbs we add: _____ to the end of the verb.

6. What is the past participle of these irregular verbs:

Eat	
Buy	
Do	

7. What word do we use to ask the question: Have you _____ eaten?

8. We use _____ to talk about things we have not done in our life. (Read line 2)

9. Make these sentences negative:

I've been to Quito twice.	
He's travelled to Paris.	
They have read that book before.	

10. Drag and drop: What is the structure of a question?

V in Past participle	Have /has	Subject	Complement	Ever
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