

LANGUAGE IN ACTION

Present perfect with *already*, *just*, *still* and *yet*

1 ☆ Match sentences 1–6 with a–f.

- 1 My mum's just found her glasses.
- 2 I haven't seen that film yet.
- 3 The show has already started.
- 4 She still hasn't heard from Joel.
- 5 I've just had a second audition.
- 6 The children haven't gone to bed yet.

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- a She hopes he calls soon.
- b I hope I get the part.
- c Now she can see the stage.
- d They'll be tired in the morning.
- e We've missed the beginning.
- f We've got tickets to see it tomorrow.

2 ☆☆ Look at the photos. Write sentences about what has just happened.



- 1 she / cut his hair
She has just cut his hair.
- 2 The children / finish school for the day
- 3 they / have a swim
- 4 he / make a cake
- 5 the girls / see a funny film
- 6 the boy / give her some flowers

3 ☆☆ Circle the letter for the correct sentence.

- 1 ☒ A I've already seen the art exhibition.
B Already I've seen the art exhibition.
- 2 A Dylan just has left for school.
B Dylan has just left for school.
- 3 A She hasn't tidied her room still!
B She still hasn't tidied her room!
- 4 A Have you bought the orchestra tickets yet?
B Have you bought yet the orchestra tickets?
- 5 A Lay and Eva have come back from the cinema just.
B Lay and Eva have just come back from the cinema.

4 ☆☆☆ Rewrite the sentences putting the words in brackets in the correct position.

- 1 Hey, the gallery has announced an exciting event. (just)
Hey, the gallery has just announced an exciting event.
- 2 Have you heard about the Picasso exhibition? (yet)
- 3 Someone has discovered an unknown painting. (just)
- 4 The gallery has bought it from a collector in Paris. (just)
- 5 It seems they have agreed a fair price. (already)
- 6 They haven't told anyone how much they paid, though. (still)

5 ☆☆☆ Put the words in the correct order to make sentences and questions.

- 1 you / yet / seen / new / the / Shrek film / Have / ?
Have you seen the new Shrek film yet?
- 2 art gallery / already / to / Enzo / the / has / gone / .
- 3 still / art project / finished / Susie / her / hasn't / .
- 4 audition / you / your / had / yet / Have / ?
- 5 have / They / in town / just / held / an exhibition / .
- 6 three times / been / have / We / to / already / the theatre / this month / !