

GRAMMAR: PRESENT PERFECT (FOR AND SINCE)

1. Watch this video and study the grammar with Callum.

[Callum's video about Present Perfect with for and since.](#)

2. Later read this chart.

PRESENT PERFECT WITH FOR AND SINCE					
I	've have	had	backache	FOR	THREE DAYS
You			toothache		A WEEK
We			earache		A MONTH
They					SIX YEARS
He	's has		a temperature.	SINCE	YESTERDAY
She			a cough.		LAST WEEK / MONTH / YEAR
It			a headache.		MONDAY
			a stomach ache.		JANUARY
		a sore throat.		MY BIRTHDAY	

6. Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

- a) I've had a headache since last night.
- b) Carol and Peter have had earache _____ Thursday.
- c) My father has had a cold _____ a week.
- d) We've had a temperature _____ three days.
- e) My cousin has had toothache _____ yesterday.
- f) They have had a stomach ache _____ 6 hours.

7. Write the appropriate word (for or since)

- a) We use _____ to say when something started.
- b) We use _____ to talk about a length of time.

8. Listen, complete and match.

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Carol has had _____

for two days

Peter has had _____

since Monday

Mum has had _____

for three days

Dad has had _____

since last week

9. Order this sentence.

for 3 days.

earache

We

Have had

10. Complete the sentences bellow with for and since.

I haven't seen my cousin _____ two weeks.

Josh has lived here _____ 2012.

It has rained _____ three days.

Laura has had a headache _____ yesterday.

I have wanted to be a teacher _____ I was a kid.

We haven't eaten any junk food _____ several months.

Paul hasn't had a holiday _____ last year.

Sarah and Josh have been friends _____ they were kids.

I am very tired. I haven't slept _____ yesterday.

We haven't gone to school _____ a month.

They haven't read a book _____ last holidays.

Emma hasn't visited her granny _____ 3 days.

Josh is very thirsty. He hasn't drunk any water _____ 12 hours.

Carol is very hungry. She hasn't eaten _____ this morning.

George hasn't made a snowman _____ three years.

Noah hasn't gone horse riding _____ last summer.

Jack hasn't read a book _____ he was at school.

We haven't gone to an outdoor cinema _____ two years.

Charlie hasn't fed his pets _____ yesterday.

William has explored an island _____ 5 months.

My friend Isabella has dived near coral reef _____ three hours.