

PRESENT PERFECT VS PAST SIMPLE

Complete the a) sentences with past simple and b) sentences with Present Perfect.

- 1a. I _____ (go) to Paris **last year**
- 1b. I _____ (go) to Paris
- 2a. I _____ (not eat) crocodile **yesterday**
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- 3a. _____ you _____ (have) a car **in June**?
- 3b. _____ you _____ (have) a car?
- 4a. My grandma never _____ (go) to Europe.
- 4b. My mom _____ never _____ (go) to Europe.

RULE: We use the past simple when:

- The action is finished / not finished.
- We ask or give / don't ask or don't give specific information.

We use Present Perfect when:

- The action is finished / not finished
- We focus / don't focus on the experience. We focus / don't focus on the details

Complete the sentences with the present simple passive or past simple passive form of the verbs.

0. Every year, hundreds of films are are made (make) in Hollywood.
1. They _____ (buy) their car two years ago.
2. They _____ (buy) a car
3. Phil _____ (go / not) to the cinema last night.
4. My 2 year old nephew _____ (go/not) to the cinema.
5. _____ you _____ (read) "El Quijote"?
6. _____ you _____ (read) "el Quijote" in December?