



UNIT 5 – PRESENT PERFECT

NAME: _____ DATE: _____

Present perfect with *for* and *since*

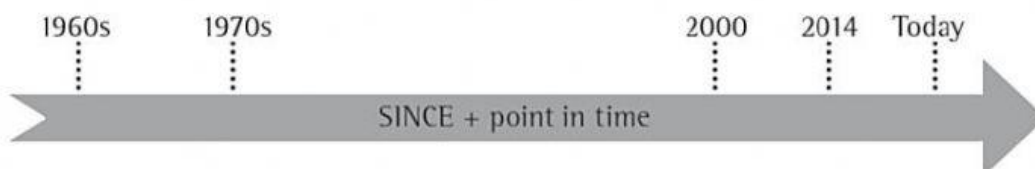
I've	worked	here	for	ten years.	I've = I have haven't = have not hasn't = has not
I haven't	taken	a vacation	since	2016.	
Snowboarding has	been	popular	since	the Olympics.	
Skiing hasn't	been	popular	for	many years.	

for + a period of time

since + a point in time

Use the present perfect for a past action that continues up to now.

1 Read and write. Look at the timeline. Write the sentences.



1. My friends / be / fans of hang-gliding / 2014.

My friends have been fans of hang-gliding since 2014.

2. People / enjoy / kitesurfing / 2000.

3. Surfing / be popular / around the world / the 1970s.

4. 1960s / more than 10 million people / try / skateboarding.

2 Read and write. Read the sentences in Activity 1 and do the math! Rewrite the sentences.

1. My friends have been fans of hang-gliding for more than six years.

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____