

Grammar

Present perfect vs past simple

Czasu **present perfect** używamy, gdy mówimy:

- o wydarzeniu, które już miało miejsce, ale ma wpływ na obecną sytuację; nie podajemy wtedy informacji o czasie wydarzenia, interesuje nas przede wszystkim jego efekt,
- o doświadczeniach życiowych bez podawania szczegółów na ich temat.

I've lost my keys and I can't get into the house!

Have you ever lost your keys?

Gdy mówimy o wydarzeniu mającym miejsce w określonym czasie w przeszłości oraz kiedy podajemy informacje o jego okolicznościach, używamy czasu **past simple**.

I lost my keys last month. I think they fell out of my bag in the café.

5 Wybierz właściwą opcję.



- 1 At first, computers were very big, but they _____ much smaller. Our modern-day computers fit under your desk and laptops and tablets are even smaller.
a became **b** have become
- 2 Laptops _____ really popular only a few years ago.
a became **b** have become
- 3 I _____ Canada, but I want to go there next year.
a didn't visit **b** have never visited
- 4 Last summer we went to the USA, but we _____ to Canada.
a didn't go **b** haven't gone
- 5 John _____ his glasses yesterday.
a lost **b** has lost
- 6 I can't find my glasses. I think I _____ them.
a lost **b** have lost

***6 Przeczytaj uważnie zdania. Zaznacz ✓ trzy zdania poprawne, a ✗ zdania niepoprawne. Popraw błędne zdania i zapisz je w zeszycie.**

- 1 Yesterday I ~~have played~~ football with my friends.
- 2 The first modern computer appeared in the twentieth century.
- 3 Peter has started school in 2008.
- 4 Sarah has lost her pencil sharpener so she is using mine.
- 5 Oh no! I broke my torch. I can't use it now.
- 6 Has Tim ever used a tablet?
- 7 I haven't never got a bad mark in English.

*7 Uzupełnij tekst podanymi czasownikami w czasie *past simple* lub *present perfect*.



The first mobile phones that people could buy

(1) appeared (appear) in 1983. They were big and heavy and very expensive. You could only talk on them for thirty minutes and it (2) _____ (take) about ten hours to charge them. Only a few people (3) _____ (have) them.

But today things are different. Mobile phones (4) _____ (change) a lot: they're small and light, and simple mobile phones aren't very expensive.

Last week my parents (5) _____ (buy) me a smartphone for my birthday. I love it and I use it all the time. Oh! Here's a message from my friend Jim. He says he (6) _____ (finish) his music lesson and he's waiting for me at an electronics shop in town. He (7) _____ (lose) his mobile three days ago and he wants me to help him choose a new one.

