

## UNIT 8 – READING #1

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

### Present perfect with *ever* and *never*

Question					Answer	
Have	you	ever	played	the piano?	Yes, I <b>have</b> . Yes, I've <b>played</b> it many times.	<i>I've = I have haven't = have not</i>
					No, I <b>haven't</b> . No, I've <u>never</u> <b>played</b> the piano.	
Has	she	ever	been	to a concert?	Yes, she <b>has</b> . Yes, she's <b>been</b> to a concert once.	<i>she's = she has hasn't = has not</i>
					No, she <b>hasn't</b> . No, she's <u>never</u> <b>been</b> to a concert.	

*once* = one time

*never* = at no time in the past

**1** Read and write.

1. Have we ever been there? No, we have never been there.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ No, she has never listened to a flute.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ No, he has never played a chord on the guitar.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ No, I have never been to a concert.
5. Have they ever practiced together? No, \_\_\_\_\_.

**2 Read and write.** Write your own sentences.

1. This is the first time my teacher \_\_\_\_\_.
2. It's the only time I \_\_\_\_\_.

**3** Write three questions beginning with *Have you ever ...*

Then work with a partner. Take turns to ask and answer your questions.

Have you ever written a song before?

No, I have never written a song before!