

- 1 Read the text. Then, complete the blanks with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the present perfect or past simple.

My cousin Andrea e.g. **has been** (be) at the Escuela de Bellas Artes for six months now and she loves it. It's an art college in Viña del Mar. It was

a. _____ (establish) in 1935. Many Chilean painters and sculptors b. _____ (study) there before they were famous.

Andrea c. _____ (finish) school 18 months ago and then

d. _____ (go) backpacking around the country for ten months. She says it's the most exciting thing she e. _____ (ever / do)!

Andrea's taste in clothes f. _____ (change) since she went to Viña. For example, in the past, she g. _____ (love) shopping in big department stores, but now she hasn't been into one for months. Instead, she goes to Viña's street markets. Her favourite is the El Belloto fair near Villa Alemana. She also h. _____ (buy) all her fruits and vegetables at the markets for the past four months.



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- 2 Write questions about the text using the given words. Use the present perfect or past simple. Then, write the correct answers.

e.g. how long / Andrea / live / in Viña del Mar?

How long has Andrea lived in Viña del Mar?

Andrea has lived in Viña del Mar for six months.

a. when / Andrea / finish / school?

b. what / she / do / after that?

c. Andrea's taste / ever / has / in / clothes / changed?
