

## PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

1. Write the sentences using the present perfect continuous. Choose the words in the box and short forms FOR NEGATIVE AND AFFIRMATIVE!!! ('S // 'VE// HASN'T// HAVEN'T....)

Discuss	not decorate	live	prepare	wait
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a. How long.....she.....in Egypt?  
b. I .....for you outside for an hour. I'm angry  
c. Mary.....the bedroom, I did it myself  
d. My cousin .....the school trip since the year began.  
e. We .....this problem many times.

2. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the present perfect simple or continuous. USE SHORT FORMS FOR NEGATIVE AND AFFIRMATIVE

a. .....she ever.....(use) a laptop before?  
b. Daniel .....(study) really hard in the last few months  
c. My cousin .....just.....(arrive) from Liverpool  
d. Ana.....(try) to repair the laptop for hours  
e. .....Susan and David.....(complete) their project yet?  
f. The director.....(develop) the new app for more than a year  
g. .....they.....(see) a platypus before?  
h. I can't see Peter, .....he already.....(leave)?

3. Rewrite the sentences, you have to include the words in brackets. Use present perfect simple and continuous. USE SHORT FORMS.

a. Ana left a few minutes ago. (JUST).....  
b. IT didn't stop raining all day. (BEEN) .....  
c. Kate and Peter talk on the phone all day.  
(TALKING).....  
d. Did you start playing the piano a long time ago (HOW LONG) (BOTH ARE OK).....  
e. This has been my home for 12 years.  
(living).....

4. Complete the sentences. Use the correct form of the past simple, present perfect simple or present perfect continuous. USE SHORT FORMS.

1 I .....(not be) to the Cyber café for ages.  
2 John .....(watch) videos all day today.  
3 Sarah .....(buy) some new CD-ROMs last week.  
4 I .....(read) three computer magazines this morning.  
5 Rachel .....(learn) English since she was six years old.  
6 They .....(move) to Australia three weeks ago.