

THE PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS - STRUCTURE PRACTICE

COMPLETE the following sentences with the correct form of the **PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS**.

REMEMBER THE STRUCTURE:

- Affirmative sentences:

SUBJECT + HAVE/HAS + BEEN + VERB-ING

- Negative sentences:

SUBJECT + HAVEN'T/HASN'T + BEEN + VERB-ING

- Questions:

HAVE/HAS + SUBJECT + BEEN + VERB-ING + ?

1. My cat *has been sleeping* (sleep) all day.
2. _____ Jim _____ (do) exercise? Yes, He _____.
3. It _____ (rain) for several days.
4. I failed the test because I _____ (not study) hard.
5. We _____ (drive) for two hours.
6. Tracy and Tom _____ (play) tennis for an hour.
7. I'm sorry, I'm late. _____ (you/wait) a long time? No, I _____.
8. Where _____ (you/spend) your summer holidays?
9. Who _____ (eat) my cookies?
10. You look tired. _____ (you/work) hard?

11. I _____ (think) about quitting my job.
12. Why _____ (you/get) up so early recently?
13. Mum _____ (cut) onions for the last ten minutes.
14. Jenny _____ (tidy) her room all morning. It looks so much better now.
15. Jon _____ (do) his homework all evening.
16. They _____ (swim) since 12 o'clock.
17. Tim _____ (run) for an hour now. He's training for the race.
18. We _____ (watch) the film since eight o'clock. It's nearly finished.
19. John _____ (play) the piano all afternoon.
20. My sister _____ (talk) on the phone for three hours.