

## GRAMMAR

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. Use each word once.

like hardly used quite all lot get that

- I don't play tennis as much as I \_\_\_\_\_ to in the old days.
- We go out a \_\_\_\_\_ because there's so much to do in London.
- Whenever we \_\_\_\_\_ the chance, we drive north to see my family.
- We \_\_\_\_\_ ever go to the cinema these days.
- Jerry and I don't see each other \_\_\_\_\_ often nowadays.
- We don't go there as often as we'd \_\_\_\_\_ to.
- We cook \_\_\_\_\_ a lot now we have the new oven.
- I call Mum \_\_\_\_\_ the time. It's so easy with Skype and it's good to keep in touch.

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2 Complete the sentences using the present perfect continuous form of the verb. Circle *for* or *since*.

- Jill \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) in the cottage *for* / *since* a week.
- Andrea \_\_\_\_\_ (not wait) *for* / *since* very long.
- Ever *for* / *since* the summer, the twins \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) to sail.
- 'How long \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (study) French?' 'Oh, *for* / *since* last Christmas, I think.'
- I \_\_\_\_\_ (sit) here *for* / *since* hours worrying about you.

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3 Complete the questions with the past simple, present perfect or present perfect continuous form of the verb. Use the present perfect continuous where possible.

- A: How long \_\_\_\_\_ (you / have) that watch?  
B: Oh, almost a year, I think. I love it.
- A: How long \_\_\_\_\_ (Dan / spend) in Greece?  
B: Three months. He went last May and came back at the start of August.
- A: How long \_\_\_\_\_ (warm) up?  
B: Only for five minutes. I think we need to warm up a bit more before we start.
- A: \_\_\_\_\_ (Shelley / know) John for long?  
B: No, not really. They only met a month ago but they seem to be in love.
- A: How long \_\_\_\_\_ (you / support) Manchester City?  
B: All my life. I'll support them until I die!
- A: \_\_\_\_\_ (you / see) that new horror movie yet?  
B: Yes, I have. It was great.
- A: How long \_\_\_\_\_ (your grandfather / live) in that house?  
B: All his life. He only died two years ago.
- A: \_\_\_\_\_ (Karen / play) rugby?  
B: Yes, she has. She's covered in mud – and injured!

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## VOCABULARY

4 Choose the correct verb to complete each sentence.

- Tim and I \_\_\_\_\_ for a run this morning.  
a went b did c took
- Sylvia \_\_\_\_\_ her first driving lesson yesterday.  
a made b had c went
- We decided to \_\_\_\_\_ to John's parents for dinner.  
a do b make c go
- We \_\_\_\_\_ in last night and watched TV.  
a made b stayed c placed
- Have you \_\_\_\_\_ any baking before?  
a made b done c went
- I \_\_\_\_\_ an early night last night.  
a had b made c did

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5 Match the verbs 1–6 with the phrases a–f.

1 pull	a an injury
2 get	b backwards and hurt yourself
3 bang	c a muscle
4 lose	d your head on the floor
5 break	e your arm in two places
6 fall	f confidence in yourself

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6 Choose the correct word.

- Andy sits in his armchair and never goes to the gym. That's why he's so *unfit* / *injured*.
- My legs are really *pulled* / *stiff* after playing football for two hours yesterday.
- It's not a serious *injury* / *hurt*. You'll be back playing in a week or two.
- It takes a long time to *recover* / *replace* from a bang on the head.
- I've had my foot *in* / *on* plaster for two weeks now.
- Jo has *slipped* / *injured* her back and has to take it easy for a few days.

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7 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

heavy uplifting catchy bland  
sentimental depressing

- This song is so \_\_\_\_\_ that I can't stop singing it.
- The film was so \_\_\_\_\_ that I felt sad and down for days.
- It's a really dull, boring album – really \_\_\_\_\_.
- I love \_\_\_\_\_ rock because the guitars are so loud and the lead singers are wild!
- The words are very \_\_\_\_\_ – romantic and sad but not very realistic.
- I prefer \_\_\_\_\_ music that makes you feel you can change the world!

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