Checkpoint B1+_Unit 3

I Complete the sentences with the words given. There are two extra words.

historic terraced town hall city centre busy quiet
skyscraper lively square inner detached house suburbs

1 I live in the _____ and can cycle to school in the centre in about 20 minutes.

2 We live in a _____ and have great views. But if the lift isn't working properly it's a nightmare!

3 The police say that there is more crime in _____ city areas than in the suburbs.

4 In many cities, only taxis and buses can drive through the _____, to cut down on pollution.

5 One of the advantages of living in a _____ is that you don't hear much noise from the neighbours.

6 I just love the main market square on Friday nights – it's so _____ with all the artists and tourists.

7 Right over there is the _____ house where we're going to move to next month.

8 New York is probably the best example of a _____ city. Some people say that it never sleeps.

9 Most capital cities in central Europe have _____ centres with buildings that are several hundreds years old.

10 I live in a _____ village, not much happens there at weekends.

II Complete the sentences with Present Perfect time expressions.

recently for ever since yet already just never

1 Why haven't you called the doctor _____?

2 Have you _____ been to London?

3 Dan has _____ climbed a mountain before.

4 Prices have gone up _____.

5 I've _____ seen that movie. It's incredible.

6 Jane has _____ left. Wait a minute, I'll try to catch her.

7 We haven't met _____ last Christmas.

8 They have worked there _____ 2 years.

III Complete the sentences with Present Perfect or Past Simple.

1 ***Have you ever met / Did you ever meet*** her brother?

2 Dad ***has repaired / repaired*** the car – you can use it now.

3 The weather ***has been / was*** great last week.

4 Brian ***has lived / lived*** in England until the age of 14.

5 Oh, you _____ ***(paint)*** the kitchen, I like the colour.

6 We _____ ***(not/go)*** on holiday last year.

7 _____ ***(you/sleep)*** well last night?

8 Mary still _____ ***(not/find)*** her glasses.

IV Complete the sentences with Present Perfect Simple or Present Perfect Continuous.

1 My sister ***has had / has been having*** a shower for twenty minutes. Even the walls are wet.

2 Kate ***has bought / has been buying*** a new dress for the party.

3 Tom ***has learnt / has been learning*** French for three months and he loves it.

4 Our team ***has won / has been winning*** two championships already.

5 I _____ ***(watch)*** TV since 5 pm. My eyes hurt.

6 Sorry I'm late. How long _____ (you/wait)?

7 Do you like my bedroom? I _____ (put) new curtains.

8 Sara _____ (see) the film six times already.

V Replace the underlined words with extreme adjectives.

1 This is a very beautiful painting. _____

2 He has got a very big nose. _____

3 That mug is very dirty. I have to wash it. _____

4 The bus was very crowded yesterday. _____

5 I love my bedroom although it's very small. _____

6 It's very cold today. Take your gloves! _____

7 Is dinner ready? We are very hungry. _____

8 The place is very scarry. I don't want to saty here. _____

VI Complete the description of the photo below and answer the question.

_____ a beautiful landscape. _____, there is a river and _____, there is a small town. _____, there is a large hill with a lot of trees. _____, we can see a beautiful, _____ church with a high tower.

_____, there are some houses and a bridge.

The weather is _____ – it's _____ and _____.

I think, it's a really nice place to live in. The town looks like it's _____ and _____. However, I'd rather live in a big city. I like _____ and _____ places.

Would you like to live in a town in the mountains? Why? Why not?

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