

1 Complete the sentences.

1 I've lived here ... 2002.

a) for b) since c) in

2 George has played in the band ... three years.

a) since b) during c) for

3 ... have they been together?

a) How long time b) How many c) How long

4 I've known him ... last year.

a) since b) in c) for

5 Have you studied English ... you were a child?

a) for b) when c) since

2 Complete the conversation with the correct form of the present perfect or past simple.

Use the verbs in brackets.

A Why ⁰ did you become (become) a busker?

B Because I'm a music student.

A How long ¹ (be) a music student?

B I ² (start) having violin lessons when I was six. My parents are both musicians.

Then I ³ (go) to the College of Music when I ⁴ (leave) school.

A How long have you been there?

B Since I ⁵ (be) seventeen.

3. Fill in with the correct form of **Present Perfect** or **Past simple**

- 1) Last night I(lose) my keys - I had to call my flatmate to let me in.
- 2) I(lose) my keys - can you help me look for them?
- 3) I(visit) Paris three times.
- 4) Last year I(visit) Paris.

5) I(know) my great grandmother for a few years - she died when I was eight.

6) I(know) Julie for three years - we still meet once a month.

7) I(play) Hockey since I was a child - I'm pretty good!

8) She(play) hockey at school but she didn't like it.

9) Sorry, I(miss) the bus - I'm going to be late.

10) I(miss) the bus and then I(miss) the aeroplane as well!

11) Last month I(go) to Scotland.

12) I'm sorry, John isn't here now. He(go) to the shops.

13) We(finish) this room last week.

14) I(finish) my exams finally - I'm so happy!

15) Yesterday, I(see) all of my friends. It was great.

16) I(see) Julie three times this week.

17) She(live) in London since 1994.

18) She(live) in London when she was a child.

19) I(drink) coffee during my lifetime.

20) I(drink) three cups of coffee yesterday.