

1 Match each sentence (1–7) with an explanation (a–g).

- 1 Jim has just written a book.d.....
- 2 Has Jim written a book yet?
- 3 Jim has already written a book.
- 4 Jim wrote a book a year ago.
- 5 Jim has never written a book.
- 6 Has Jim ever written a book?
- 7 Jim has written two books since 2006.

- a) This is not his first book.
- b) Does Jim write books?
- c) He finished his book last year.
- d) He finished a few days ago.
- e) Jim started writing in 2006 and has written two books between then and now.
- f) Jim doesn't write books.
- g) Has he finished a book?

2 Underline the correct word in each sentence.

- 1 Have you ever / yet visited Slovenia?
- 2 Tom has for / just come back from the USA.
- 3 I'm not hungry. I've already / since eaten.
- 4 Jane lived in Greece since / for fifteen years.
- 5 Brian and Claire got married ten years ago / since ten years.
- 6 I can't come out. I haven't done my homework already / yet.
- 7 Mark has worked in Turkey ago / since 2008.

3 Complete each sentence with a time word from the box.

already	ever	for	just	never	since	yet
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- 1 Sue has been on the beachfor..... an hour, but she hasn't had a swim yet.
- 2 I don't want to see this film. I've seen it.
- 3 Have you been to the Greek islands?
- 4 Can you wait a moment? I haven't finished
- 5 Ouch! An insect has bitten me!
- 6 George has eaten Chinese food, so this is the first time for him!
- 7 Rick has lived in Japan 2008.

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