

Grammar 1

present perfect simple;
present perfect continuous

1 Complete the sentences with the present perfect simple of these verbs.

change just/eat just/finish leave
win work

- 1 I _____ my last exam and now I can relax for a few weeks.
- 2 My brother's a doctor and he _____ in several big hospitals.
- 3 I _____ a delicious meal at that new restaurant.
- 4 Our coach is really pleased because we _____ every match so far this season.
- 5 The climate _____ in the last twenty years.
- 6 I think I _____ my phone at home.

2 Complete the sentences with the present perfect continuous of these verbs.

get look study not train travel wait

- 1 Our summers _____ warmer over the last few years.
- 2 He _____ much recently and his football coach isn't happy.
- 3 Jeff and Ana _____ all around Asia since January.
- 4 You _____ a lot recently. Have you got exams soon?
- 5 Sorry I'm late. _____ you long?
- 6 Oh, there you are. I _____ for you everywhere.

3 Complete the sentences with the present perfect simple or present perfect continuous of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 They want to build ten new power stations, but so far they _____ (complete) only one.
- 2 I _____ (not / see) you for a long time. What _____ (you / do) recently?
- 3 That company _____ (spend) over £1bn on clean energy.
- 4 I _____ (not meet) Tania yet.
- 5 _____ (you / see) my keys anywhere?
- 6 I _____ (try) to contact you all morning.