

UNIT 10

1 Present perfect; already, yet page 65

- Use the present perfect for actions that happened some time in the past.
- Use **yet** in questions and negative statements: Have you checked your email **yet**?
No, I haven't turned on my computer **yet**. Use **already** in affirmative statements:
I've **already** checked my email.

A Complete the conversations with the present perfect of the verbs in parentheses and short answers.

1. **A:** Has Leslie call (call) you lately?
B: No, she not call (not call) me, but I get (get) some emails from her.
2. **A:** you and Jan have (have) lunch yet?
B: No, we not eat. We're thinking of going to Tony's. you try (try) it yet? Come with us.
- A:** Thanks. I not eat there yet, but I hear (hear) it's pretty good.

B Look at things Matt said. Put the adverb in the correct place in the second sentence.

1. I'm very hungry. I haven't eaten (yet)
2. I don't need any groceries. I've gone shopping. (already)
3. What have you done? Have you been to the zoo? (yet)
4. I called my parents before dinner. I've talked to them. (already)

2 Present perfect vs. simple past page 66

- Don't mention a specific time with the present perfect: I've **been** to a jazz club. Use the simple past to say when a past action happened: I **went** to a jazz club **last night**.

Complete the conversation using the present perfect or the simple past of the verbs in parentheses and short answers.

1. **A:** Did you see (see) the game last night? I really enjoy it.
B: Yes, I . It be (be) an amazing game. you ever go (go) to a game?
A: No, I . I never be (be) to the stadium. But I'd love to go!
B: Maybe we can go to a game next year.
2. **A:** you ever be (be) to Franco's Restaurant?
B: Yes, I . My friend and I eat (eat) there last weekend. How about you?
A: No, I . But I hear (hear) it's very good.
B: Oh, yes – it's excellent!

3 For and since page 67

- Use **for** + a period of time to describe how long a present condition has been true:
We've been in New York **for two months**. (= We arrived two months ago.)
- Use **since** + a point in time to describe when a present condition started: We've been here **since August**. (= We've been here from August to now.)

Choose the correct word.

1. I bought my car almost 10 years ago. I've had it **for** / **since** almost 10 years.
2. The Carters moved to Seattle six months ago. They've lived there **for** / **since** six months.
3. I've wanted to see that movie **for** / **since** a long time. It's been in theaters **for** / **since** March.