

1. Find 11 more verbs in the crossword

s	w	i	m	c	r	o	c	u	b
r	i	d	e	a	a	e	l	l	c
m	p	r	l	t	b	u	i	l	d
a	s	i	s	c	t	y	m	p	o
k	v	v	b	h	x	z	b	s	i
e	l	e	a	r	n	m	a	i	x
y	p	w	r	i	t	e	b	n	w
r	t	y	o	d	e	s	i	g	n

2. What have the teenagers done? Look at the photos and complete the sentences with the verbs below.

Has designed has learnt has sung 've made 've written 've ridden



1. I _____ a horse.

2. My sister _____ an app.

3. I _____ a birthday cake for a friend.

4. Tim _____ in a competition.

5. My brother _____ Japanese.

6. I _____ a novel.

3. Complete the magazine article with the Present Perfect form of the verbs in the box.

build catch climb do drive ride swim write

Amazing skills!

Some teenagers are pretty awesome! We look at five teenagers with amazing skills.

A tiny house

Not many teenagers have done DIY, but American Annabel O'Neill has. She built her own small house on wheels. She did it so she had somewhere cheap to live while she was a student. And now she wrote a book about her experiences.

Nine hours in the water

Australian teenager Ned Wieland swam across the English Channel! He was just 16 at the time, and it took him nine hours and 45 minutes to complete the 34 km between England and France.

On top of the world

Five teenagers from small villages in India climbed Mount Everest. They each received around £28,000 from the Indian government for their achievement.

Around the world

British teenager Callum Fairhurst has ridden his bike around the world in memory of his brother. And now he has decided to travel across Europe in Tuk Tuk, a kind of small taxi. So far, he has travelled from London to Brussels, but he still has a long way to go!

Fish for dinner?

Daniel McAlindon, a Scottish teenager, caught a shark! It happened on his first ever fishing trip at sea. The huge fish weighed nearly 16 kilograms, and it took him 20 minutes to get it into the boat!

4. Match the sentences halves to make sentences and questions:

Sam has loved

I was ten

How long have

cooking for many years.

I have known Mateo since

three years

Stella has designed her
own clothes for

You lived here?

5. Complete the forum posts with the words below:

for (x2) have improved ~~have you done~~
since (x2) 've been 've loved 've made

Tell us about your best skill. What do you do? How long ¹ **have you done** it for?

I ² interested in robots ³ a long time, probably ⁴ I

was about six years old. I went on a special course on how to build them a few years
ago, and I ⁵ three small robots.

I ⁶ food and cooking ⁷ about five years now. And my skills
8 a lot ⁹ I did an online course last year.

6. Complete the second sentence so it has the same meaning as the first. Use FOR
or SINCE and the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Look at the example:

I first met Jack in 2010.

I **have known** Jack **since** 2010. (**know**)

1. I started studying English three years ago.

I _____ three years. (study)

2. We moved here last year.

We _____ last year (live)

3. When did you get your sewing machine?

How long _____ your sewing machine? (have)

4. Sam came to this school six months ago.

Sam _____ six months. (be)