Present perfect x past simple

I Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use present perfect or past simple.

1 I ..... (never / owe) any money to the bank in my life.

2 Rachel wants to buy a flat, but she ..... (not save) enough money yet.

3 They ..... (charge) us too much for our meal last night.

4 Paul ..... (not inherit) anything from his grandmother when she ..... (die).

5 I can't pay you back. I ..... (not go) to the cash machine yet.

6 I ..... (never use) contactless payment but I'd like to try it.

7 How much ..... (your TV / cost)?

8 I ..... (not have) any coins, so I couldn't put any money in the parking meter.

9 I love your house. How long ..... (you / live) there?

10 My girlfriend has a really well-paid job. She ..... (earn) £45,000 last year.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

II Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use present perfect or past simple.

1

A When ..... (your son / buy) his car?

B When he ..... (pass) his driving test last month.

2

C How much money ..... (you / borrow) from your sister yesterday?

D About £500, but I ..... (already / spend) it all.

3

E ..... (you find) a new flat yet?

F Yes, and the bank ..... (just / agree) to give us a mortgage.

4

G ..... (you / ever / lend) any money to a friend?

H Only to my boyfriend when he ..... (need) a new phone.

5

I ..... (your mother / make) an appointment with the doctor yet?

J Yes, she ..... (call) him yesterday, and she's seeing him tomorrow.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

III Re-order the words to write present perfect and past simple questions.

1 **a** you / buy a house?

.....

b when / you / buy it?

.....

2 **a** you / find any money on the street?

.....

b how much / you / find?

.....

3 **a** you / use contactless payment?

.....

b where / you / use it?

.....

4 **a** you / pay for a meal for a lot of people?

.....

b why / you pay for it?

.....

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5 **a** you / stay in an expensive hotel?

.....

b who / you / stay there with?

.....

6 **a** you / raise money for charity?

.....

b how much / you / raise?

.....

IV Answer the questions in ex. III

1

a .....

b .....

2

a .....

b .....

3

a .....

b .....

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4

a .....

b .....

5

a .....

b .....

6

a .....

b .....

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