

Practice

Present Perfect or Past Simple

1 Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

- 1 I've lived in London for two years.
- 2 Helena has sung in a rock choir _____ December.
- 3 My sister's had a smartphone _____ years.
- 4 Pedro and Jorge haven't been at school _____ last Thursday.
- 5 We haven't been on holiday _____ last July.
- 6 My mum has learnt German _____ many years.

PRESENT PERFECT
OR PAST SIMPLE?



2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

for have How long since visited

- 1 I haven't seen Zoe since last year.
- 2 How _____ have you been at this school?
- 3 My grandparents _____ lived in this house since they got married.
- 4 _____ long has your sister ridden a moped?
- 5 Let's go home. We've been in the park _____ ages!
- 6 They haven't _____ their cousins since 2018.

Choose the correct option.

- 1 Where **did you go/have you been** after school yesterday?
- 2 Our teacher **hasn't given/didn't give** us any homework for three weeks!
- 3 **Has Tom invited/Did Tom invite** you to his party yet?
- 4 Jo **was/has been** ill since yesterday.
- 5 I **went/have been** to a great food festival on Saturday.
- 6 We **studied/have studied** this history topic last year.