

d Circle the correct form. If both forms are possible, tick (✓) the sentence.

- 1 How long have you lived / have you been living abroad? ✓
- 2 I've studied / I've been studying Chinese for two years. ☐
- 3 My parents have had / have been having the same car for ten years. ☐
- 4 How long has Mark played / has Mark been playing the bass guitar? ☐
- 5 Alex has worked / has been working in this school since he started teaching. ☐
- 6 I've known / I've been knowing her for years. ☐
- 7 We've gone / We've been going to the same dentist since we were children. ☐
- 8 You've worn / You've been wearing the same coat for years! ☐
- 9 How long have you ridden / have you been riding horses? ☐
- 10 I've washed / I've been washing the car; it looks much cleaner now. ☐

e What have you been doing recently? Write five sentences. Use the ideas from the list or your own ideas.

a book a hobby a job a new habit a sport a TV series  
your work/studies

I've been eating more vegetables because I want to be healthier.

I've got exams, so I've been studying.

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- 2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_

## 2 PRONUNCIATION sentence stress

a 2.3 Listen and complete the sentences.

- 1 I've been travelling all day \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ have they  
been \_\_\_\_\_?
- 3 She's been \_\_\_\_\_ since \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 They \_\_\_\_\_ been \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 We've been \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 I \_\_\_\_\_ been \_\_\_\_\_.

b 2.3 Listen again and repeat the sentences. Copy the rhythm.