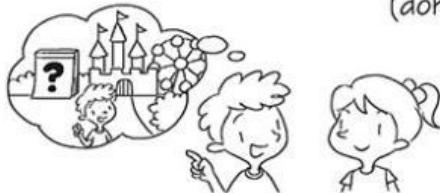


**Present perfect tense • Simple past tense****Present perfect tense**

(don't say when something happened)

I have been to a theme park ~~last week~~.

Use the present perfect tense with:

✓ already	✓ yet	✓ just
✓ ever	✓ never	✓ ... times

Don't use the present perfect tense with:

X yesterday	X last (Monday)
X in (2005)	X (two years) ago

**Simple past tense**

(say when something happened)



I went to a theme park last week.

Use the simple past tense with:

✓ yesterday	✓ last (Monday)
✓ in (2005)	✓ (two years) ago



Write the correct form of the verbs in the correct boxes. Follow the example.

- 1 Pam \_\_\_\_\_ already \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a present.
- 2 Sam and I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Lamma yesterday.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) your homework yet, Elaine?
- 4 Fiona \_\_\_\_\_ never \_\_\_\_\_ (be) to Mainland China.
- 5 Miss Chan \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) her car three years ago.
- 6 Nick \_\_\_\_\_ (study) in the UK last year.
- 7 Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (go) this morning?
- 8 Grandpa \_\_\_\_\_ (move) to Canada in 2008.
- 9 How many times \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) a museum?

	Present perfect tense	Simple past tense
1	has, bought	
2		
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Practice

Complete the sentences using the present perfect tense or the simple past tense.

throw give sing break blow have

1 Alan \_\_\_\_\_ up all the balloons already.

2 We \_\_\_\_\_ a buffet dinner last night.

3 Mum \_\_\_\_\_ Amy a teddy bear last Christmas.

4 Tammy \_\_\_\_\_ songs for some elderly people yesterday.

5 Benny \_\_\_\_\_ just \_\_\_\_\_ away the rubbish.

6 Oh dear! I \_\_\_\_\_ just \_\_\_\_\_ my new glass!

Grammar  
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Context

Sue is teaching Dan to bake a cake. Finish what they say. Use the correct form of the verbs again.

make buy turn put take

Sue: 1 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ all the ingredients yet, Dan?

Dan: Yes, here you are.

Sue: OK. Let's start. Watch carefully ...

(2 hours later)

Sue: 2 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ in the eggs and sugar yet?

Dan: Yes, I 3 \_\_\_\_\_ them in five minutes ago.

Sue: 4 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ on the oven yet?

Dan: Yes. I 5 \_\_\_\_\_ it on ten minutes ago.

(1 hour later)

Sue: Dan, where's your cake? 6 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ it out of the oven yet?

Dan: No, I 7 \_\_\_\_\_! Oh no! It's burnt.

Sue: Never mind. I 8 \_\_\_\_\_ a cake last Sunday and the same thing happened!