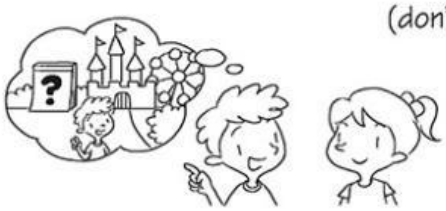
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## Present perfect tense • Simple past tense

### 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:
✗ yesterday ✗ last (Monday)
✗ in (2005) ✗ (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

Warm up

***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 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |
| 5 | | |
| 6 | | |
| 7 | | |
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| 9 | | |



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**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 in 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: ❶ _____ you _____ all the ingredients yet, Dan?

Dan: Yes, here you are.

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

*(2 hours later)*

Sue: ❷ _____ you _____ in the eggs and sugar yet?

Dan: Yes, I ❸ _____ them in five minutes ago.

Sue: ❹ _____ you _____ on the oven yet?

Dan: Yes. I ❺ _____ it on ten minutes ago.

*(1 hour later)*

Sue: Dan, where's your cake? ❻ _____ you _____ it out of the oven yet?

Dan: No, I ❼ _____ ! Oh no! It's burnt.

Sue: Never mind. I ❽ _____ a cake last Sunday and the same thing happened!



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