

# Started, but not finished!

## GET STARTED

Look at the picture. What is the man doing? What do you do when you're out in a city?



## VOCABULARY REVIEW

Describing progress

Listen to the conversation. What has Monroe already done?

- posted videos on YouTube
- taken videos of New York
- made his own show
- asked friends for help
- gotten help from friends
- bought a real video camera



Listen again. Are the following statements true (T) or false (F)?

- 1 Monroe has had time to upload some videos to YouTube.
- 2 He has been getting nowhere with his YouTube project.
- 3 He has been concentrating on less popular parts of the city.
- 4 He has been having trouble finding friends to help him.
- 5 He has spent a lot of time writing scripts for his show.
- 6 He has had problems selling his video camera.

# & PRESENT PERFECT PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS

**Present Perfect**



**Present Perfect  
Continuous**



**S + have/has + V3**

**S + have/has + been + V-ing**

**Finished actions**

E.g. The kids have played for 2 hours

**Unfinished actions**

E.g. The kids have been playing since morning.

**Permanent actions**

E.g. I have taught English for 12 years.

**Temporary actions**

E.g. I have been teaching this class for one hour.

**Emphasize the result of the action**

E.g. He has repaired the car.

**Emphasize the duration of the action**

E.g. He has been repairing the car for 2 hours.

**Indicate how much/how many**

E.g. It has taken six years to write this book.

**Indicate how much/how many in an  
ongoing process**

E.g. He has been studying English for two  
months.



## GRAMMAR REVIEW

### Present perfect vs. present perfect continuous

Make statements about the photo using the present perfect or present perfect continuous.

The boy has fallen.

The children have been playing  
soccer.



