



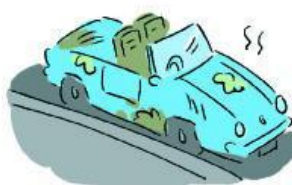
Boy: Dad, can I have \$20?
 Dad: Why?
 Boy: I've cleaned the car.
 Dad: OK.
 Boy: I've cleaned my room.
 Dad: That's good.
 Boy: And I've done all my homework.
 Dad: Well, OK then. Here's \$20.

Presentation

Use the present perfect to talk about a past action which has a present result.



I've cleaned the car. =
 The car is clean now.



I haven't cleaned the car. =
 The car is dirty now.

You don't say exactly when it happened. (Don't say *I have cleaned the car yesterday*.) Form the present perfect with *have/has + past participle*.

Affirmative and negative

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You	've	
We	haven't	cleaned the car.
They		cleaned your room.
He	's	
She	hasn't	

Past participle

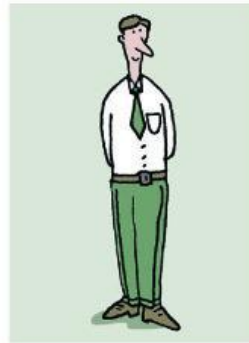
- Regular past participles end in *-ed*:
borrow → *borrowed*.
- Many verbs have irregular past participles:
buy → *bought*, *break* → *broken*.

Key vocabulary **Daily events:** do the dishes, comb your hair, clean your shoes, brush your teeth, take a shower, iron your clothes, clean your desk

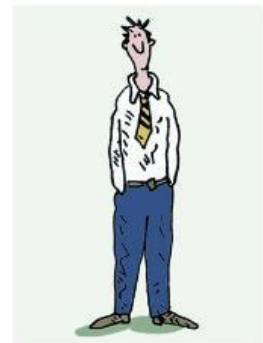
Exercises

1 Write affirmative and negative sentences. Use the present perfect.

- comb his hair
- 1 Mark 's combed his hair.
 - 2 Rick hasn't combed his hair.
- iron his shirt
- 3 Mark _____
 - 4 Rick _____
- clean his shoes
- 5 Mark _____
 - 6 Rick _____



Mark



Rick

2 Complete the sentences. Use the present perfect.

- 1 I 've brushed (brush) my teeth.
- 2 She _____ (leave) her bag on the table.
- 3 We _____ (not finish) our homework.
- 4 They _____ (have) breakfast.
- 5 You _____ (not do) the dishes.
- 6 He _____ (clean) his desk.
- 7 We _____ (buy) a new car.
- 8 He _____ (made) lots of mistakes.
- 9 We _____ (not understand) the teacher's instructions.
- 10 My friends _____ (forgot) my address.

3 Write sentences using the verbs in parentheses.

- 1 I can't find my credit card. (lose) I've lost my credit card.
- 2 Julia's got my dictionary. (borrow) _____
- 3 Christina's wearing a new top. (buy) _____
- 4 The car isn't moving. (stop) _____
- 5 I dropped my phone and now it doesn't work. (break) _____
- 6 My clothes are dirty. (not wash) _____
- 7 My exam results are good! (pass) _____
- 8 My credit card was under my bed. (find) _____

4 Write three sentences about what you have done today.

- 1 I've _____.
- 2 I've _____.
- 3 I've _____.