

Present Perfect &

Past simple

- a Write the past simple forms and past participles of these irregular verbs in the chart.

Infinitive	Past simple	Past participle
1 be	<i>was / were</i>	<i>been</i>
2 do		
3 eat		
4 get		
5 have		
6 lose		
7 meet		
8 Speak		
9 sing		
10 win		

Complete the sentences with past participles from the chart in a.

- Sorry, I've *eaten* all the biscuits. Can you buy some more?
- She needs to sit down because she's a shock!
- I'm going to be late. I've the car keys.
- I've my boyfriend's mother, but not his father.
- She's nervous because she's never a song in public before.
- Matt's his homework, so he's going out.
- I haven't to Charlotte recently. Is she OK?
- I've to Spain, but not Portugal.
- I can't believe it! I've £10,000!
- Have you heard about Jenny and Steve? They've married!

Select the sentences. Are they **Present simple(PS)** or **Present perfect (PP)**?

A ¹Have you been on holiday recently? **PS / PP**

B Yes, last month.

A ²Where did you go? **PS / PP**

B ³We went to Ibiza for a week. **PS / PP**

A ⁴Has Jessie gone out? **PS / PP**

B Yes, I think so.

A ⁵Where's she gone? **PS / PP**

B ⁶I think she's gone to a friend's house. **PS / PP**

A ⁷What time did she go? **PS / PP**

B ⁸She went about an hour ago. **PS / PP**

A ⁹Have you ever tried Greek food? **PS / PP**

B No, never.

Select the correct option, **present simple** or **present perfect**.

- I'm hungry. I **didn't eat** / **haven't eaten** anything today.
- Grandma **visited** / **has visited** us last weekend.
- Look! Tomek **broke** / **has broken** his arm.
- Sorry, Sir. I **forgot** / **have forgotten** my homework.
- Mrs Ziarko **worked** / **has worked** at this school for 5 years.
- Uncle Tim **was** / **has been** in hospital since Friday.
- Did you** / **Have you** ever read a book in English?
- They **never lived** / **have never lived** in a big city.
- We **didn't clean** / **haven't cleaned** our room. It's really messy.
- Ola **wrote** / **has written** a Maths test last week.

Complete the mini-dialogues. Use the correct present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

1) a **Have** ever **had** (you / have) a vacation in Turkey?

b Yes, I **have** I **spent** (spend) two weeks there **last year**.

a Which cities **Did you visit** (you / visit)?

b Only two. We **started** (start) in Istanbul and then **traveled** (travel) to Izmir.

2) a _____ you **ever** _____ (try) an extreme sport?

b No, I _____. But I _____ (learn) to ski **last winter**.

a Really? _____ (you / enjoy) it?

b Yes, I _____. In fact, **yesterday** I _____ (book) my next skiing vacation!

3) a _____ you ever _____ (be) on a coach tour?

b Yes, we _____. We _____ (go) across the USA by coach last July.

a How long _____ (it / take)?

b Three weeks. We _____ (stop) at lots of interesting places on the way.

4) a _____ you ever _____ (eat) insects?

b Yes, I _____. I _____ (buy) a bag of insects as a snack on **my last trip** in Thailand. But I _____ (not enjoy) them very much.

Complete the email. Use the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

To: lucy@email.com

Dear Lucy,

I'm having a wonderful holiday with my family in Japan. So far, we **1)** _____ (**visit**) three amazing cities – Tokyo, Kyoto and Osaka. We **2)** _____ (**arrive**) in Tokyo five days ago.

3) _____ you ever _____ (**be**) there? It's an incredible city with so many interesting places.

On our first day, we **4)** _____ (**take**) a boat trip on the Sumida River and **5)** _____ (**try**) traditional Japanese food for the first time. I **6)** _____ never _____ (**eat**) sushi this fresh before!

Yesterday, we **7)** _____ (**travel**) to Kyoto by train. We **8)** _____ (**walk**) through the famous bamboo forest and visited several beautiful temples. It was an unforgettable experience.

Tomorrow we're going to Osaka. I **9)** _____ *already* _____ (**plan**) everything I want to see there, especially the castle and the aquarium. The weather **10)** _____ (**be**) wonderful since we arrived, so we've spent a lot of time outdoors.

See you soon!

Love,

Emil