

SPEAKING PRESENT PERFECT VS PAST SIMPLE

Tell your classmates sentences using the present perfect or past simple and the information in the box.

SUBJECT	ACTION	PLACE / TIME REFERENCE
I	SEE YOUR PARENTS	TODAY
MY GRANDFATHER	DIE	IN 2015
MY SISTER	NEVER EAT	JAPANESE FOOD
MY FATHER	WORK AS A MECHANIC	IN LONDON LAST YEAR
I	STUDY ENGLISH	SINCE I WAS 3
MY BROTHER	HAVE HIS BIKE	FOR AGES

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I	DO FIVE EXAMS	THIS MONTH
MY PARENTS	LIVE IN FRANCE	WHEN THEY WERE CHILDREN
MY FLATMATE	BREAK HIS LEG	TWO WEEKS AGO
THE TEACHER	GIVE A LOT OF HOMEWORK TO US	THIS WEEK
WE	STUDY IN THIS HIGH-SCHOOL	SINCE WE WERE 3
PETER	BUY A COMPUTER	LAST WEEK

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I	WORK AS A TEACHER	FOR 10 YEARS
MY MUM	VISIT FIVE COUNTRIES	THIS YEAR
JANE	MEET HER HUSBAND	IN 1995
MY FRIENDS	NEVER EAT	SUSHI
WE	DO AN ENGLISH TEST	YESTERDAY
MY PARENTS	PAINT THE BEDROOM	TODAY

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I	HAVE THIS FLAT	SINCE I WAS 16
MARY	LOSE HER KEYS	LAST NIGHT
MY GRANDMOTHER	BE BORN	IN GERMANY
WE	NEVER DRIVE A CAR	
MY SISTER	PLAY THE GUITAR	SINCE SHE WAS 10
MY BROTHER	BE TO JAPAN	THREE TIMES

SUBJECT	ACTION	PLACE / TIME REFERENCE
I	MEET MY BEST FRIEND	WHEN I MOVED TO LEGANÉS
MY FATHER	HAVE HIS CAR	FOR OVER 20 YEARS
STUDENTS	DO SIX EXAMS	THIS MONTH
JOHN	HURT HIS ANKLE	TODAY
MY SISTER	BE TO NEW YORK	TWICE
I	NOT / DO MY HOMEWORK	YESTERDAY