

QUIZ - 11TH

PRESENT PERFECT vs PRESENT PERFECT CONTINUOUS - VOCABULARY

1 Read and label the actions as F (Finished) or S (Still in progress).

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0. I have been planning to write a book. _____
1. George is building a drone. _____
2. My brother has developed a new video game. _____
3. Susan has been attending acting classes for a week. _____
4. How long have you been playing in the band? _____

2 Read and answer with the name of a country:

Proms Around the World

In most schools in the US, teenagers wear a cap and gown to their school graduation ceremony and formal clothes to their prom. How is the end of high school celebrated in other countries?

Germany

In Germany, students wear formal clothes on their graduation day and celebrate with a school dance called the "Abiball." Many students go to the Abiball with their families and share the occasion with their friends and teachers, too. The dance starts with a procession of graduates and includes speeches and awards. When the party is over, students continue celebrating at a dance club, where they usually stay until the early hours of the morning.

Finland

In Finland, the big party isn't for the recent graduates, but for the class

below them—the future leaders of the school. When the seniors graduate in mid-February, the next seniors celebrate their new status with a ball known as "Vanhentanssit." This is a very special high school event and students practice traditional dances for months ahead of time. As in other school proms, students wear formal clothes.

Poland

In Poland, the event takes place 100 days before students' final exams. The celebration is called "Studiówka," a Polish word that means "a hundred days." Students and teachers celebrate together. The party usually starts off with a traditional Polonaise dance and a toast to celebrate the beginning of the graduating students' adult life. Girls usually wear something red to bring good luck on their exams.



Peru

In Peru, graduating students celebrate with the "Fiesta de Promoción," usually at a hotel banquet hall. Like other prom parties, the event includes family and teachers during the first part of the evening. After some dinner and dancing, students continue to party on their own—often until early the next morning, when the celebration ends with a group breakfast.

0. Students wear special clothes to accept their diplomas. _____
1. Students dance a traditional dance. _____
2. The celebration includes speeches. _____
3. Students have breakfast at the end of the party. _____
4. Students practice the dances for months. _____
5. The party usually takes place at a hotel. _____
6. Teachers are not mentioned in the party of this country. _____

3 Complete the text with the correct form of the verb, present perfect or present perfect continuous.

Jessie: Today we are talking with, Chenxi Yu, who has won the “Most Likely To Succeed” award and she deserves it! Let’s learn more about her interesting life. Chenxi, Thanks for being with us today. I hear you (0.) _____ (write) a book since September. Tell us about it.

Chenxi: Thanks, Jessie. The book is about my experiences living all over the world since I was born. My parents are diplomats so we (1.) _____ (live) in countries like China, France, Algeria and Cambodia.

Jessie: That’s fascinating. What (2.) _____ (learn) by living in all those places?

Chenxi: Well, (3.) _____ (learn) how to appreciate people from different cultures. Others may not think the same way as you or do things like you would, but it’s important to respect their differences and try to learn as much as you can from them.

Jessie: That’s a great lesson! Since you’ve been back home, you’ve accomplished quite a lot. Tell me more about what else you (4.) _____ (do) this year.

Chenxi: Well, I enjoy performing in front of audiences, so this year I (5.) _____ (attend) acting classes. We (6.) _____ (practice) for our upcoming performance of Hamlet. Also, I (7.) _____ (start) a vlog about my experiences living abroad. Be sure to check it out!