

HOMEWORK

INTERMEDIATE - DAY 9

1. Grammar: Present perfect and past simple

a Circle the correct answer.

- 1 My best friend inherited / has inherited a lot of money last month.
- 2 We have used / used the same bank for the last ten years and don't want to change.
- 3 Have you paid / Did you pay back the money yet?
- 4 I took / have taken €100 out of the cash machine this morning.
- 5 Have you ever had / Did you ever have problems with a friend about money?
- 6 I've called / I called the bank yesterday and they are going to give us the loan.
- 7 The company hasn't given / didn't give us a pay rise last year.
- 8 When did she borrow / has she borrowed the money from you?
- 9 We only parked / have parked the car an hour ago but they've charged us for two hours!
- 10 I have never owed / never owed money to the bank.

b Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 A How long _____ you _____ your camera?
(have)

B Not long. I _____ it about
two months ago. (buy)

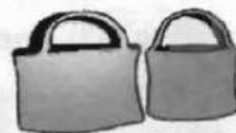


- 2 A I _____ shopping at the new mall on Saturday.
_____ you _____ there yet? (go, be)

B No, I _____ time yet.

_____ you _____

anything? (not have, buy)



- 3 A My parents _____ each other for 55 years –
since they were eight years
old! (know)

B Where _____ they
_____? (meet)

A At school. They _____
in the same class. (be)



- 4 A Jim _____ a new
digital TV. It _____
him a fortune. (just /
get, cost)

B Really? I _____ he
_____ any money. (think, not have)

A _____ you _____? He _____ €10,000
on the lottery last week. (not hear, win)



- 5 A _____ you _____
your homework yet? (do)

B Yes, I _____ it this
morning, on the bus to
school. (do)



2. Numbers:

a Circle and say the correct number.

- 1 \$23.99 twenty-three dollars ninety-nine /
twenty-three point nine nine dollars
- 2 $4\frac{1}{4}$ four and a quarter / a fourth
- 3 849 eight hundred forty and nine /
eight hundred and forty-nine
- 4 1,500 one thousand five hundred /
one thousand and five hundred
- 5 6.73 six point seven three / six point seventy-three
- 6 0.5 oh five / nought point five
- 7 $2\frac{1}{2}$ two halves / two and a half

b Write the numbers in words.

- 1 €7.50 seven euros fifty
- 2 £999 _____
- 3 14.5 _____
- 4 $\frac{2}{3}$ _____
- 5 $1\frac{1}{2}$ _____
- 6 3,842 _____
- 7 \$2,500,000 _____
- 8 0.7 % _____

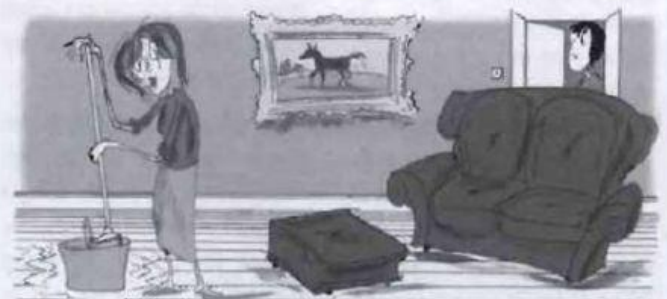
3. Present perfect continuous:

a Write the words and phrases in the correct column.

six years 1992 Friday the last three days
ages a long time Christmas I last saw you
months and months he was a child

for	since
six years	

b Complete the dialogues with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.



1 A Haven't you finished yet?

B No, I'm exhausted! I _____ (clean)
the house for hours!



2 A Have you finished that report?

B Not yet. I _____ (work) on it for three days.



3 A Dinner isn't ready yet.

B What _____ (you / do) for the last two hours?

A I _____ (prepare) the vegetables!



4 A He doesn't look very happy.

B No, he _____ (try) to repair his computer all morning.



5 A Why are you moving?

B We _____ (think) of moving for a long time. This house is too small.

c Circle the correct form. If both forms are possible, circle them both.

1 How long have you known / been knowing your boyfriend?

2 She's gone / been going to the same hairdresser for years.

3 They've worked / been working in that bank since 2003.

4 He's slept / been sleeping since three o'clock!

5 How long have you lived / been living here?

6 They've looked / been looking for a new flat for ages.

7 How long have you had / been having your bike?

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