

USE OF ENGLISH

PRESENT PERFECT	PAST SIMPLE
I have spoken We haven't done it Have you seen it?	I yesterday We last week it?
RULES: 1. Time is not normally specified I visited Africa many times	RULES: 1. Time is specified I Africa last month
2. Action continues I in London for three years	2. Action is finished I in London for three years
3. Key Words Since Yet For How long?	3. Key Words When Ago Yesterday Last... As... During

Book. Page 37, ex 6. Complete the text using the Present Perfect or Past Simple

Software dollars

When Bill Gates (start) Microsoft in 1975, he (work) with another person. Now the company has more than 70,000 employees, and Microsoft (grow) into an enormous multinational company. As a result, Gates (become) one of the world's richest people. In 2007 alone, his company (make) \$50 billion. Gates and his wife Melinda (try) to help people with their money, and in 2000 they (start) a charity to finance health and education projects around the world.

Book. Page 37, ex 8. Listen and write the five lines from a dialogue. Then number the lines so they are in the correct order to make a dialogue.
