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## Past Simple – Present Perfect

## 13 Fill in the gaps with time adverbs or expressions from the list below:

ago	how long	for	how long ago	ever	already
so far	just	since (x2)	yet	just now	

1 They got married a month .....	ago	8 I've studied Maths .....	2006.
2 He hasn't called us .....		9 I've ..... been to that new	
3 I've had this car .....	a year.	restaurant. It's really nice.	
4 Tim isn't here. He's .....	gone out.	10 ..... did he move house?	
5 She's typed three letters .....		11 The boss came .....	
6 Has Camila ..... lied to you?		12 Peter has been here .....	
7 ..... have you been in Rome?		5 o'clock.	

19 Put the verbs in brackets into the *past simple* or the *present perfect*.

Dear Tina,

Hi! How are you? I'm having such a great time here in Singapore. The city is so clean and the people are very kind and helpful!

We 1) ..... *have been* ..... (*be*) here for three days now and we 2) ..... (*do*) something different each day. On Monday, we 3) ..... (*go*) to the shops in Singapore's Chinatown. I 4) ..... (*buy*) souvenirs for my friends and some CDs for me. On Tuesday, we 5) ..... (*go*) on a riverboat tour on the Singapore River. It 6) ..... (*be*) fantastic! Yesterday, we 7) ..... (*visit*) Singapore Botanic Gardens. We 8) ..... (*see*) many beautiful, exotic flowers and plants.

There are still a couple of things we 9) ..... (*not/do*) yet. We 10) ..... (*not/visit*) the Jurong Bird Park yet and we 11) ..... (*not/go*) to the Singapore Zoo. We're going there tomorrow. I can't wait to see the white Bengal tigers!

Singapore is a beautiful city! I 12) ..... (*already/take*) so many lovely photographs and I can't wait for you to see them when I get back.

See you next week.

Lots of love,  
May

