

**A. Read the grammar rules for the use of Present Perfect.**Present perfect:
How long, for & since

We use the present perfect with *for* and *since* to talk about activities or situations that started in the past and are continuing in the present.
We've known each other for 8 years.
I haven't seen Carmel for two months.
We've been friends since 2008.
Eric hasn't played tennis since September.
 We use *How long* to ask questions.
How long have you known your best friend?

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B. Drag the time expression into the correct column: for / since. (13 marks)

for	since
<i>two weeks</i>	<i>last month</i>
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<i>three days</i>	<i>6 o'clock</i>
<i>yesterday</i>	<i>my birthday</i>
<i>July</i>	<i>ten years</i>
<i>an hour</i>	<i>2010</i>
<i>five minutes</i>	<i>two weeks</i>
<i>Easter</i>	<i>last month</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	

C. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the Present Perfect and for or since. Use contracted forms. (10 marks)1 Emily and Kate *have been* friends *since* 1950.2 Jake in Los Angeles three months.3 Brian any exercise ten years.4 Lauren her car 2011.5 Bern and Theo any water two days.6 Leonie the same perfume Christmas.

-be-
live
not do
not drink
own
use

D. Write question for each prompt in the Present Perfect using *How long*. (6 marks)**live in your current home***How long have you lived in your current home?***be awake today****study English****have your school bag****be in this class****have your mobile phone****know your best friend**

E. Read the grammar rules for the use of **been & **gone**.**

been & gone

The verb *go* has two past participles: *been* and *gone*.
 We use *been* to say that a person has come back from the place.
Louis has been to China.
 We use *gone* to say that a person is at a place but hasn't come back.
Lucia has gone to the swimming pool.

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F. Complete the dialogues with the verbs in the correct form. Use contracted forms. (7 marks)

1 A Where's Mum?
 B She's *gone* to the supermarket. (go)

2 A Which countries you ? (visit)
 B I to Canada, the USA, Mexico and Peru. (go)

3 A someone the car? (take)
 B Yes, Paolo. He to the gym. (go)

4 A Alicia looks relaxed!
 B Yeah, she on a lovely long holiday. (go)

G. Write the interview questions. Then write Lola's answers based on the information below. Use contracted forms. (10 marks)

The 60-second Interview
 This week, we talk to actor Lola del Solar.



Born	1992
Filmography	12 films including <i>New Dawn</i> and <i>Never Too Late</i> .
First film	<i>Rosie's Road Trip</i>
Became professional actor	13 years old
Moved to New York	2009
Met boyfriend Keanu	2011
Acting awards	Academy Award for <i>New Dawn</i>
Best experience	Swimming in Cuba, 2007

1 how long / be / a professional actor / ?
How long have you been a professional actor?
I've been a professional actor since I was 13.

2 how long / live / in New York / ?

3 how many / films / make / ?

4 how long / know / Keanu / ?

5 ever / win / any awards / ?

6 ever / go / to the Caribbean / ?