

10 IDENTIFY Choose the correct option to complete each sentence.

- 1 He's been interested in studying weather and climate *for* / *since* he was twelve years old.
- 2 The area *has become* / *has been becoming* very popular with tourists.
- 3 We can't quit now, *we've been trying* / *we tried* to publish this research for years!
- 4 *I've worked* / *I've been working* on this project all week, and I'm still not finished.
- 5 Melanie has been giving talks about the effects of tourism on the reef *for* / *since* 30 years.

11 APPLY Complete the sentences with *for* or *since* and the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.

- 1 many years, tourism (be) an issue in the local area.
- 2 The number of tourists visiting the reef (increase) last year.
- 3 Jamal (go) to Australia every year the past ten years.
- 4 1985, about half of the reef's living organisms (die).
- 5 The government of Australia (try) to find a solution to the problem scientists first learned about it.