

**1 Complete with the correct words: for/ since/ already/ just/ yet.**

- 1 'How long have you been on this expedition?' ..... last Saturday.
- 2 They have ..... decided to make a film about his amazing journey.
- 3 Parker Liautaud has ..... been on several expeditions.
- 4 They're freezing. They've ..... finished their trek to the North Pole.
- 5 We have walked ..... eight hours now and we're not even close to the camp .....
- 1 'How long have you been travelling around the world?' Only ..... two months.
- 2 Marcus hasn't posted anything on his blog about his trip around the world .....
- 3 Katie Walter has ..... been to the South Pole.
- 4 Sara is really tired, but very happy. She's ..... reached the top of Mount Everest.
- 5 We have walked ..... eight in the morning and we're not even close to the camp .....

**2 Complete the time phrases with for or since.**

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| 1 _____ 2005           | 2 _____ 7 p.m.   |
| 3 _____ five minutes   | 4 _____ one week |
| 5 _____ last Christmas | 6 _____ ages     |

**3 Write positive, negative and interrogative sentences in the present perfect.**

- 0 .....you ever .....a sports competition? (win)
- 1 Claire ..... to Spain (be)

- 2 I .....a horse. (not ride)
- 3 We ..... never .....a marathon. (run)
- 4 .....your parents ever .....Australia ? (visit)
- 5 She .....a school football match (see)
- 6 .....Robert.....the cooking for his family?

**4 Write positive, negative and interrogative sentences in the present perfect tense. Add *for* or *since* where necessary.**

- 0 I/know/Sandra/three months (✓)
- 1 How long/you/have/this car (?)
- 2 I/see/David/5 March (✕)
- 3 How long/your sister/be/a student (?)
- 4 They/live/in this city/22 years (✓)

**5- Complete the letter. Put the verbs in the Present Perfect Simple.**

Dear Michael,

Thank you very much for the card and flowers

which .....just ..... (arrive). I ..... (be) in hospital for ten days now but I ..... (not have) time to get bored. Most of my friends..... (visit) me every day. In fact Laura ..... just ..... (leave). Lisa ..... (not come) but it's hard for her as she's working AND studying at the moment. Since I ..... (be) here, I ..... (read) three books – long ones – and I ..... (write) about sixteen letters.

Somebody .....just..... (turn on) the TV. There's an excellent comedy channel on it and there's a Mr Bean film at the moment.

I .....already ..... (see) it and I don't want to see it again, so I'll  
continue with this letter.

.....you ..... (buy) a new windsurf board?

.....Mr Jackson ..... (give) you back the History  
projects? ..... your brother ..... (go) to South

Africa? .....Tom ..... (invite) Maria out?

Write soon and tell me all the news.

Lots of love,

Rebecca.