

Past Simple or Present Perfect?

1. My friend is a writer. She (write) many books
2. We (not have) a holiday last year
3. (you/see) Ann last week?
4. I (play) tennis yesterday afternoon
5. What time (you/go) to bed last night?
6. (you/ever/be) to the United States?
7. My hair is clean. I (wash) it
8. I (wash) my hair before breakfast this morning
9. When I was a child, I (not/like) sport
10. Kathy loves travelling. She (visit) many countries
11. John works in a bookshop. He (work) there for three years
12. Last year we (go) to Finland for a holiday.
We (stay) there for three weeks
13. Molly lives in Dublin. She (live) there all her life
14. Bob and Alice are married. They (be) married for 20 years
15. When we were on holiday, the weather (be) awful
16. The weather (be) very nice recently, don't you think?
17. My grandmother died 30 years ago. I (never/meet) her
18. I don't know Carol's husband. I (never/meet) him
19. Jill (buy) a new car two years ago
20. His hair is very short. He (have) a haircut
21. Last night I (arrive) home at 12.30, I
..... (have) a bath and then I (go) to bed
22. (you/visit) many museums when you were in Paris?
23. My bicycle isn't here any more. Somebody (take) it
24. I (not/eat) anything yesterday because I
..... (not/feel) hungry.
25. The car looks very clean, (you/wash) it?
26. Brian: Hello Susan. Is Alan here?
Susan: No, I'm afraid He (go) out
Brian: Oh, what a pity! When exactly (he/go) out?
Susan: About ten minutes ago
27. I (smoke) 20 cigarettes today
28. I (smoke) a lot yesterday.

