Present Perfect vs Past Simple

Bài 1: Fill in the blank with Present Perfect or Past Simple

1. I _____ (see) an ambulance recently. Maybe there's an accident somewhere.
2. After he _____ (arrive) home, he _____ (eat) dinner and _____ (do) homework.
3. A: What's wrong with you?
   B: I _____ (lose) my bag! I cannot find it anywhere.

4. I _____ (be) in Tokyo for holiday for 3 weeks. I really enjoy it.
5. We _____ (not meet) Tommy last night.
6. When I _____ (be) 6 years old, I often _____ (go) fishing in the afternoon.
7. She _____ (be) a teacher before she _____ (become) a writer.
8. This is the second time I _____ (read) Harry Potter.
9. A: When _____ (you/arrive)?
   B: About 11pm last night.

10. Jenny _____ (arrive)! Come and say hello!
11. Mozart _____ (write) more than 600 pieces of music.
12. She _____ (come) to Sydney in 2000.
13. How long _____ (you/know) Johnny? I know you see him often.
14. I _____ (never/see) the sea before.
15. Dean _____ (not/sleep) yet. He's still playing games.

Bài 2: Choose the correct answer

1. They **built/have built** this house last year.
2. A: Hello
   B: Hi mum, it's me. I just want to say that I **arrived/have arrived** safely.

3. I had/have had a problem for months, but I **didn't find/haven't found** a solution yet.
4. Liz **was/has been** ill for 2 weeks. She's in hospital now.
5. This is the first time I **made/have made** a birthday cake.
6. What countries did you **visit/have you visited** in Africa?
7. My great grandmother **went/has been** to Vietnam twice.
8. I **lost/have lost** my keys yesterday. It's terrible!
9. I'm sorry, my boss isn't here now. He **was/has been** on vacation.
10. David **walked/has walked** in the rain all morning. He's sick.

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Bài 3: Underline and correct the mistakes in these sentences. Write "True" if the sentence is right

1. King Henry the Eighth of England has had six wives.

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2. He lived in Korea for a while when he was small.

   _____

3. Your finger is bleeding! You have cut your finger!

   _____

4. What have you done this weekend?

   _____

5. What subjects has she studied at university? She's a teacher now.

   _____

6. He has been married for 10 years, but he got divorced.

   _____

7. She has never seen such a fantastic movie before.

   _____

8. Mary has lived in England since 2012.

   _____

9. I have missed the bus and then I have missed the meeting as well!

   _____

10. She played volleyball since she was a child. She's pretty good!

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Bài 4: Rewrite sentences using words given

1. Last night / I / lose / keys / so / call / my roommate.

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2. I / lose / keys / so / I / find / them / now.

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3. She / visit / Thailand / three times.

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4. She / visit / Thailand / three times / last year.

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5. I / know / great grandmother / for a few years / but / she / die / when / I / be / 6 years old.

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6. I / know / Tommy / for a long time / since / we / be / kids.

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7. He / play / piano / at school / but / he / not like / it.

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8. He / play / piano / since / he / be / small.

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9. We / finish / the test / last week.

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10. We / already finish / the exam.

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Bài 5: Rewrite sentences with the same meaning

1. The last time I wrote a letter was 5 years ago.

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2. When did you build the house?

_____

3. I last met him 3 days ago.

_____

4. She started working as an accountant 2 months ago.

_____

5. He began playing football when he was 6 years old.

_____

6. It's been 2 years since the last time I went to Ho Chi Minh city.

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7. This is the first time I have seen such a beautiful girl.

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8. I haven't been to Japan for 4 years.

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9. I have never eaten such a delicious cake like this before.

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10. I have learnt English for 10 years.

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